

# The Commons

## Law Center

### **MULTI-USE RESOURCES:**

#### **Multnomah County Assistance Line (211):**

Search for “Rent Payment Assistance” resources by zip code

- Phone: 211 or 1-866-698-6155 (Available 24/7)
- <https://www.211info.org/>

#### **Rose City Resource Online Guide**

- [Rosecityresource.streetroots.org](http://Rosecityresource.streetroots.org)

#### **Community Alliance of Tenants (CAT):**

Renter’s Rights Hotline, organization for immediate improvements in buildings, advocacy for increased funding for affordable housing and improved tenant protections.

- [Oregoncat.org](http://Oregoncat.org)
- Phone: 503-288-0130 (Renter’s Rights Hotline)

#### **Impact NW**

Information and referral services at the walk-up “Worker of the Day” program

- Monday-Thursday: 9am-12pm & 1pm-4pm
- Dancing Tree Family Center: 10055 E Burnside St. Portland, OR.

#### **Portland Mandatory Renter Relocation Assistance**

- <https://www.portland.gov/phb/rental-services/renter-relocation-assistance>

### **RENTAL ASSISTANCE AGENCIES:**

#### **Oregon Health Plan (OHP)/Medicaid**

Health-Related Social Needs (HRSN)

Housing Benefits

- <https://www.oregon.gov/OHA/HSD/OHP/Pages/Housing.aspx>
- Phone: 503-468-5375 (M-F, 8am-6pm)

#### **The Cupcake Girls**

People in sex industry or victims of sex trafficking

- <https://www.thecupcakegirls.org/directcare>

#### **Bienestar de la Familia**

Front Desk: 503-988-3509

Senior Case Manager

- Fasseh Abdullahi

Contact Information;

- Phone: 971-334-4773;  
[Fasseh.abdullahi@multco.us](mailto:Fasseh.abdullahi@multco.us)

Spanish Bilingual Case Manager

- Jorge Cruz

Contact information;

- Phone: 971-806-8120;  
[Jorge.cruz@multco.us](mailto:Jorge.cruz@multco.us)

#### **St. Vincent de Paul**

Low-income households with a late rent notice and who have not received assistance from SVDP in the past 12-14 months

- Phone: 503-235-8431
- [www.svdppdx.org/rent](http://www.svdppdx.org/rent)

#### **Urban League of Portland**

Black, African American, or BIPOC

- Phone: 503-280-2600 ext 654
- Email: [ulpdx@ulpdx.org](mailto:ulpdx@ulpdx.org)

### **Transition Projects Veteran Services - (Veterans)**

Must be willing to work with a caseworker, veteran must be present in the household to participate

- 650 NW Irving Street Portland, OR 97209
- Phone: 855-425-5544

### **Easterseals Oregon**

Veterans and Military Families

- Phone: 971-317-9660
- <https://www.easterseals.com/oregon/programs-and-services/military-veteran-services/supportive-services-for.html>

### **Southern Smoke**

Food and beverage workers

- <https://southernsmoke.org/emergency-relief/>

### **The Immigrant and Refugee Community Organization (IRCO):**

- Main office phone: 503-234-2048

Pacific Islander & Asian Family Center

- 8040 NE Sandy Blvd. Portland, OR 97213
- Phone: (503) 235-9396

Africa House

- 709 NE 102nd Ave Portland, OR 97220
- Phone: (503) 802-0082

Greater Middle East Center

- 4915 SW Griffith Dr. Ste #216 Beaverton, OR 97005
- Phone: (971) 716-2116

Slavic & Eastern European Center

- 555 SE 99th Ave Portland, OR 97216
- Phone: (971) 271-6512

### **Northwest Pilot Project**

At least one household member must be 55 years old or older

- Phone: 503-227-5605
- <https://www.nwpilotproject.org/rent-or-deposit-assistance/>

### **Janus Youth Programs**

The HAPPY (Housing Assistance to Pregnant and Parenting Youth) program offers emergency short-term rental assistance for young parents (16-24)

- The Family First program (with Homeless Youth Continuum partners), provides rental assistance and in-home supportive services specifically tailored to the needs of families who are exiting the streets (16-24)
- (503) 233-6090

### **Cascade AIDS Project**

Individuals living with HIV/AIDS; services include short and long-term housing search assistance and one-time emergency rental assistance

- Phone: 503-223-5907
- 520 NW Davis Street Suite 215 Portland, OR 97209

### **Insights Young Parent Services**

People 22 years old and younger who are pregnant and/or parenting, must have been served a notice for nonpayment of rent

- Phone: 503-239-6996
- 4900 NE Glisan Street Portland, OR 97213

### **Central City Concern**

Provides rental assistance for existing clients: must have already been a client for at least 30 days and have a notice of eviction

- 232 NW 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue Portland, OR 97209
- Phone: (503) 294-1681
- [ccadmin@ccconcern.org](mailto:ccadmin@ccconcern.org)

### **Self Enhancement Inc.**

Prioritizes families enrolled in Self Enhancement INC (SEI) services; all other community members will be served on a first-come, first-serve basis

- 503-285-0493
- <https://www.selfenhancement.org/home>

### **Home Forward Short Term Rent Assistance Program**

For Short-Term Rent Assistance (STRA) is a countywide program that provides up to 24 months of rental assistance to households in Multnomah County, that are experiencing or at risk of homelessness, by providing emergency hotel/motel vouchers, eviction prevention assistance, and housing placement assistance. Call 2-1-1 for information on available agencies and how to apply

- Call 211
- [211info.org](http://211info.org)

### **Catholic Charities**

- (503) 489-6842

### **Coalition of African and African American Pastors/Imams**

Emergency rent assistance program targeting assistance to African & African American Oregon residents.

- Household income must be at or under 80% AMI

Email one of the organizations to apply:  
[https://multco.us/file/coalition\\_of\\_african\\_american\\_pastors\\_rent\\_assistance\\_flier\\_%2810.2024%29/download](https://multco.us/file/coalition_of_african_american_pastors_rent_assistance_flier_%2810.2024%29/download)

### **United Way of the Columbia-Willamette**

- 503-228-9131

### **Multnomah County Emergency Rent Assistance**

- <https://www.portland.gov/phb/rent-relief/multnomah-county-rent-assistance>

### **Bradley Angle**

- offer RA programs for domestic violence survivors
- <https://www.bradleyangle.org/emergency-services>

### **Rose City Resource Guide (Street Roots) - Renters Services**

- <https://rosecityresource.streetroots.org/>

### **Islamic Social Services**

Housing Needs Assistance search the link below for Resource Aid Form to apply and complete their Release of Information.

- (503) 259-2320
- [info@i-sos.org](mailto:info@i-sos.org)

### **Path Home Homelessness Prevention Program**

Assists households with children that are at risk of losing their housing.

- (503) 504-5902
- Path Home Family Village; 6220 SE 92nd Ave Portland, OR 97266

### **SEI Community and Family Programs**

- (503) 285-0493

### **UTILITY ASSISTANCE AGENCIES:**

#### **Human Solutions Energy Hotline**

Only working with current clients or former clients

- 503-405-7877

#### **St. Andrews Emergency Services**

- 971-255-0339

#### **Latino Network Energy Assistance**

- <https://www.latnet.org/energy-assistance>

### **LOW-COST HOUSING RESOURCES:**

#### **Central City Concern**

Have to be a current Central City Concern client or a client within the last three years and reach out to your case manager, healthcare provider, or resident service coordinator; if you're not a current or recent client, will not be able to provide RA

- 503-525-8483

#### **Coordinated Housing Access Team (CHAT) of Multnomah County**

Care and support for individuals and households moving out of homelessness into transitional and permanent housing

- Adults: Please contact the Coordinated Housing Access Team (CHAT) Hotline at 844-765-9384. For culturally specific assessments for the BIPOC community, you can call/email the **BIPOC CHAT Line at 503-280-2600 x 654** or [housingreferrals@ulpdx.org](mailto:housingreferrals@ulpdx.org).
- Veterans: Call the Veteran Services hotline at 855-425-5544.
- Families: Call 211 for assessment
- Domestic Violence Survivors: **Call to Safety 503-235-5333** or, for

Spanish, **Project UNICA 503-232-4448** ([more info and resources](#) for survivors)

- Unaccompanied Youth (Under age 25): Contact Janus Youth through their Access Center 635 SW Alder St or **503-432-3986**

#### **Home Forward**

Providing RA from Apr 15 – Apr 21st

To sign up click copy the link below

- [Homeforward.org](https://homeforward.org)
- 503-802-8300

#### **Housing Search Assistance**

providing assistance to tenants in Clackamas County; whether they have an open case, are living outside, etc.

- 503-655-8575

#### **Housing Transitions of Catholic Charities**

- 971-222-1880

#### **One App**

Allows applicants to apply for multiple affordable housing projects

- <https://oneapp.rentals/>

#### **Rose Community Development**

owns and operates affordable housing, so if there's anyone facing evictions reach out to the number below

- 503-788-8052

### **Transition Projects (TPI)**

- 503-280-4700

-Rapid Rehousing Program: assists with move-in costs, monthly rent, utilities, and supportive services as needed; clients can connect with Income Development Specialist.

-Permanent Support Housing: combine affordable housing with healthcare, mental health counseling, substance abuse treatment, and job training

Ticket Home Family Reunification: assist one-time transportation, approved within 72 Hours of receipt of the Signed Host Agreement and Proof of Address

#### **Requirements;**

- Must have a State Issued ID
- Necessary contact
- Stay with family or friends
- 3-month minimum housing plan verified by the host
- Service Hours
- Pre-screening: Monday to Friday 8 am to 4 pm
- Appointment: Monday to Friday 12 pm to 4 pm by 503.280.4700.

### **Cascadia Health**

Independent housing waitlist for Oregon residents experiencing addiction and other mental health issues

- Housing waitlist hotline:
- (971) 380-3164; 503-232-6971
- <https://cascadiahealth.org/housing/>

### **Our Just Future (formerly Human Solutions)**

- <https://ourjustfuture.org/services/affordable-housing/>

### **SPECIALTY HOUSING RESOURCES:**

#### **BIPOC Chat Line**

- 503-280-2600 x 654

### **Call to Safety- Domestic Violence Help**

- 503-235-5333

### **Janus Youth Access Center-**

#### **Unaccompanied Youth (Under age 25)**

- 503-432-3986
- 1635 SW Alder St., Portland, OR 97205

#### **Bridge House (age 16-21):**

- (503) 341-0839, pregnant or parenting youth with children under the age of two; educational and employment needs toward independence

#### **Access Center (age 16-24):**

- (503) 432-3986,
- screenings can be accommodated 365 days of the year between the hours of 9:00 am and 5:00 pm by call

### **Native American Youth & Family Center**

Fill in the pre-application form from link and submit to [tistilal@nwrecc.org](mailto:tistilal@nwrecc.org)

- <https://nayapdx.org/services/housing/>

### **LEGAL ASSISTANCE:**

#### **Eviction Defense Project**

- <https://oregonlawcenter.org/eviction-defense-project/>
- 888-585-9638

#### **Legal Aid Services of Oregon-Multnomah**

- 503-224-4086

#### **Metropolitan Public Defender**

- 503-225-9100

#### **Oregon Law Center**

- 888-585-9638

#### **Oregon State Bar Modest Means Program**

- 503-684-3763

**CLEAR Clinic**

Expungements and legal advocacy

- <https://clear-clinic.org/tenant-advocacy>

**Bias Response Hotline**

- 1-844-924- Bias (2427)

**Thomas, Coon, Newton & Frost**

Provide free over the consultation

- 503-228-5222
- [www.tcnf.legal](http://www.tcnf.legal)

**Bradley Angle**

- <https://www.bradleyangle.org/emergency-services>

Require Safety Stabilization Assessment

- Call 503.281.2442 x 2 for availability

**IMMEDIATE HOUSING:****Family Promise Metro East Referral**

- [www.familypromisemetroeast.org](http://www.familypromisemetroeast.org)
- 503-753-3960

**EMERGENCY SHELTERS:****Joint Office of Homeless Services**

- <https://johs.us/find-help/>

**Janus Youth Access Center-  
Unaccompanied Youth (Under age 25)**

- 503-432-3986
- 1635 SW Alder St., Portland, OR 97205

**Street Light Shelter**

- (age 16-24); (503) 914-9100,  
open every night of the year from 9:00 pm  
to 9:00 am by reservation only

**Porch Light Shelter**

- (age 16-24): (503) 380-7200,  
open every night of the year from 8:45 pm  
until 8:45 am, first come first served, self-  
refer at door any time in the night between  
9:00 pm and 5:00 am