



JEWISH TEEN FOUNDATION

Local Organizations Aiding People Experiencing Homelessness

Please consider supporting the homeless community by volunteering or donating!

ADVOCACY

- [Coalition on Homelessness](#) - San Francisco
 - The Coalition on Homelessness organizes homeless people and front line service providers to create permanent solutions to homelessness, while working to protect the human rights of those forced to remain on the streets.
- [Western Regional Advocacy Project](#) - West Coast
 - WRAP was created to expose and eliminate the root causes of civil and human rights abuses of people experiencing poverty and homelessness in our communities.

FAMILY SERVICES

- [Compass Family Services](#) - San Francisco
 - We help homeless families and those at imminent risk to achieve housing stability, economic self-sufficiency, and well-being.
- [Gilead House](#) - Novato
 - To inspire hope and empower homeless single moms and their children toward financial stability and independence.
- [Hamilton Families](#) - San Francisco
 - Hamilton Families' mission is to end family homelessness in the San Francisco Bay Area. Our pioneering homelessness prevention and housing subsidy programs are nationally recognized. In addition, we provide shelter and stability, and support the well-being of children experiencing homelessness.
- [Homeless Prenatal Program](#) - San Francisco
 - In partnership with our families, break the cycle of childhood poverty

FOOD BANKS

- [Alameda County Community Food Bank](#) - Alameda County
 - Food is a basic human right. We work towards a stronger, more nourished Alameda County, where no one worries where their next meal will come from.
- [Food Bank of Contra Costa and Solano](#) - Contra Costa and Solano Counties
 - Leading the fight to end hunger, in partnership with our community and in service of our neighbors in need.
- [Redwood Empire Food Bank](#) - Sonoma, Humboldt, Del Norte, Mendocino, and Lake Counties
 - Our mission is simple — to end hunger in our community
- [San Francisco-Marín Food Bank](#) - San Francisco and Marin
 - Our mission is to end hunger in San Francisco and Marin.

- [Second Harvest of Silicon Valley](#) - Silicon Valley
 - Lead our community to ensure that anyone who needs a healthy meal can get one.

GENERAL SERVICES

- [Berkeley Food and Housing Project](#) - Alameda, Solano, Contra Costa, Sacramento, and Amador Counties
 - Since 1970, Berkeley Food & Housing Project has been a provider of homeless services. We believe that everyone has a basic right to food, housing, and stability, and we work one-on-one with our clients to help them move toward independence and into safe and affordable housing as quickly as possible.
- [Bill Wilson Center](#) - Santa Clara County
 - Bill Wilson Center supports and strengthens the community by serving youth and families through counseling, housing, education, and advocacy.
- [Dolores Street Community Services](#) - San Francisco
 - Dolores Street Community Services nurtures individual wellness and cultivates collective power among low-income and immigrant communities to create a more just society.
- [Glide Foundation](#) - San Francisco
 - GLIDE's mission is to create a radically inclusive, just and loving community mobilized to alleviate suffering and break the cycles of poverty and marginalization. Our Core Values emerge from GLIDE as a spiritual movement. They are rooted in empowerment, recovery and personal transformation. Our values inspire and guide our behaviors. They are the ground we stand on.
- [Homeward Bound of Marin](#) - Marin County
 - Homeward Bound of Marin is the primary provider of Marin County homeless shelters and services for homeless families and individuals in Marin, California.
- [Samaritan House](#) - San Mateo County
 - We mobilize the resources of our community to help those among us who are in need.

- Our dedicated professional staff and volunteers work together to provide food, access to shelter, healthcare, and a broad range of supportive services.
- [St. Anthony's](#) - San Francisco
 - In the spirit of the Gospel, inspired by the joy and compassion of Francis and Clare of Assisi, in solidarity with all who hunger and thirst for justice and peace, and together with those we serve, our mission is to feed, heal, shelter, clothe, lift the spirits of those in need, and create a society in which all persons flourish.

HOUSING

- [Community Housing Partnership](#) - San Francisco
 - Community Housing Partnership's mission is to help people experiencing homelessness secure housing and become self-sufficient.
- [LifeMoves](#) - Silicon Valley
 - LifeMoves is dedicated to finding solutions to homelessness in Silicon Valley.
- [Tenderloin Housing Clinic](#) - San Francisco
 - The mission of the Tenderloin Housing Clinic (THC) is to prevent tenant displacement, to preserve and expand the City's low cost housing stock, and to provide comprehensive legal assistance to low income tenants. THC is successful in fulfilling this mission by providing free legal services, securing SRO units through the Master Lease program and offering comprehensive support services to our clients.
- [Tenderloin Neighborhood Development Corporation](#) - San Francisco
 - TNDC develops community and provides affordable housing and services for people with low incomes in the Tenderloin and throughout San Francisco, to promote equitable access to opportunity and resources.

LEGAL SERVICES

- [Homeless Action Center](#) - Alameda County
 - People who are homeless are overwhelmingly poor, disabled, ill and marginalized. The Homeless Action Center (HAC) provides no-cost, barrier-free, culturally sensitive legal representation that makes it possible for homeless men and women to access the maze of social safety net programs that provide a pathway out of homelessness. Through HAC's legal assistance, clients obtain health care, housing, a sustainable income and restored dignity. HAC is the only program in the Bay Area that specializes in legal assistance to those who are chronically homeless.

YOUTH SERVICES

- [At The Crossroads](#) - San Francisco
 - At The Crossroads reaches out to homeless youth and young adults at their point of need, and works with them to build healthy and fulfilling lives. By bringing our services directly onto the streets, we cultivate long-term, unconditional relationships with young people who would otherwise be disconnected from consistent support.
 - We empower our clients to accomplish their individual goals, build community, pursue their passions, and find their own paths to happiness

and stability. We believe that there are no limits to what our clients can achieve, and that every homeless youth deserves the chance to build an outstanding life.

- [Huckleberry Youth Services](#) - San Francisco
 - Huckleberry's mission is to educate, inspire, and support underserved youth to develop healthy life choices, to maximize their potential, and to realize their dreams.
- [Larkin Street Youth Services](#) - San Francisco
 - To create a continuum of services that inspires youth to move beyond the street.
 - We nurture potential, promote dignity and support bold steps by all.

OTHER

- [Faithful Fools Street Ministry](#) - San Francisco
 - We are called to a ministry of presence that acknowledges each human's incredible worth. Aware of our judgements, we seek to meet people where they are through the arts, education, advocacy, and accompaniment. We participate in shattering myths about those living in poverty, seeing the light, courage, intelligence, strength, and creativity of the people we encounter. We discover on the streets our common humanity through which celebration, community, and healing occur.
- [LavaMae^x](#) - Los Angeles, San Francisco, and Oakland
 - Vision: A world where hygiene is treated as a basic human right, communities mobilize to provide Radical Hospitality—meeting people wherever they are with extraordinary care—and every person moving through homelessness has one-stop access to critical services.
- [Miracle Messages](#) - United States
 - Miracle Messages is an award-winning nonprofit on a mission to end relational poverty on the streets. Our reunion service and virtual buddy system reconnect our homeless neighbors with their loved ones... and us.
- [Project Homeless Connect](#) - San Francisco
 - The mission of Project Homeless Connect is to connect San Franciscans experiencing homelessness with the care they need to move forward.
- [The Healing WELL \(Community Initiatives\)](#) - San Francisco
 - The Healing WELL offers calm in the storms of poverty and prejudice, mental illness, substance abuse and addiction. Inspired by the ideals of compassion and justice, we love and guide one another so we can step into brighter futures, healing ourselves and our greater community.
- [Urban Alchemy](#) - San Francisco
 - Urban Alchemy (UA) was founded in 2018 in order to bring a sense of peace and respect to America's most chaotic urban areas that are struggling with the intersection of extreme poverty, addiction, mental illness, and hopelessness. We understand how impactful it can be when we all join together to build a better tomorrow. We are fueled with passion and believe that giving back is the key to changing lives and communities.