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S.O.S. Bed-Stuy Guide to Community Resources, Services and Organizations

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SAVE OUR STREETS



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S.O.S. BED-STUY

Save Our Streets (S.O.S.) is a community-based effort to end gun violence. S.O.S. staff prevent gun violence from occurring in the program target areas by mediating conflicts that may end in gun violence and acting as peer counselors to men and women who are at risk of perpetrating or being victimized by violence. S.O.S. works closely with neighborhood leaders and businesses to promote a visible and public message against gun violence, encouraging local voices to articulate that shooting is an unacceptable behavior.

The Save Our Streets staff is comprised of Outreach Workers and Violence Interrupters. The outreach staff all have first-hand knowledge of street life and gang life and live in or near the program target area. Members of the program's outreach team use their credibility, influence, and street relationships to detect brewing conflicts and de-escalate and mediate them before they erupt into violence.

S.O.S. builds on a model successfully pioneered in Chicago which uses a public health approach to violence. By treating violence like an epidemic the program seeks to modify community norms regarding gun violence. The primary components of the model are outreach and conflict mediation directed towards individuals at high risk for future gun violence, as well as broader community mobilization and education efforts. The goal of S.O.S. is to stop shootings, killings, and community violence. At S.O.S. we believe that hurt people hurt people and we aim to address the factors that can lead to gun violence and prevent further tragedy after violence occurs.

S.O.S. Bed-Stuy, created in 2014 by the Crown Heights Community Mediation Center, works closely with local organizations, neighborhood churches and pastors, community residents and the individuals most likely to commit a shooting. The program works in a 32-square-block target area from Marcus Garvey Boulevard to Nostrand Avenue and from Kosciuszko Street to Madison Street. S.O.S. Bed-Stuy is a sister organization of S.O.S. Crown Heights which works towards the same goals in the Crown Heights community.

This guide is a tool to help and assist the families we serve gain access to the resources they need to lead fulfilling lives free of violence.

Follow S.O.S. Brooklyn on social media to learn more about our programs and stay up-to-date:

Twitter: [@sos_brooklyn](https://twitter.com/sos_brooklyn)

Facebook: www.facebook.com/sosbrooklyn

SAVE OUR STREETS



CROWN HEIGHTS COMMUNITY MEDIATION CENTER

The Crown Heights Community Mediation Center operates out of multiple storefront offices on Kingston Avenue. At our walk-in center we offer resources, legal referrals, and youth programs. We also run S.O.S. Save Our Streets, an anti-violence program based on the Cure Violence model which treats gun violence as a public health crisis. Our goal is to create a safer and healthier community through our programs listed below.

Save Our Streets Bed-Stuy (S.O.S.)

718-773-6886 ext. 3

crownheights.org/sos/bed-stuy/

An organization committed to reducing the number of shootings and killings in our local Bed-Stuy neighborhood through outreach and community events. Call if you are interested in volunteering.

Save Our Streets Crown Heights (S.O.S.)

256 Kingston Avenue

Brooklyn, NY 11213

718) 773-6886

soscrownheights.org

Similar to S.O.S. Bed-Stuy, works to end gun violence in Crown Heights.

Youth Organizing to Save Our Streets (YO S.O.S.)

256 Kingston Avenue

Brooklyn, NY 11213

718-773-6886

yosos.org

As the youth arm of S.O.S. Crown Heights, YO S.O.S. aims to empower young people, ages 14-17 to become community leaders and organizers in order to bring the ever-vital youth voice to the issue of gun violence. YO S.O.S. combines experiential workshops and service-learning opportunities to develop the skills needed for tomorrow's leaders, such as community organizing, networking, public speaking, job training and real world experience. Go online to learn about the application process.

Make It Happen

256 Kingston Avenue

Brooklyn, NY 11213

718-773-6886

crownheights.org/makeithappen/

Its mission is to give young men between the ages of 16 and 24 who have experienced violence the tools necessary to overcome traumatic experiences, and enable them to succeed in spite of those experiences. Specialists provide mentorship, intensive case management, clinical interventions, and supportive workshops.

Neighbor Services

250 Kingston Avenue

Brooklyn, NY 11213

718-619-4248

crownheights.org/neighbor-services/

Offers free appointments for tutoring and college application help, to apply for benefits and healthcare, assist with job searching and resume building, and help with housing. Staff can also make referrals to reentry and job training programs, summer programs for youth, mental health treatment, adult education classes and emergency food and housing. Through the Mediation Center, Neighbor Services hosts organizations that provide free tax assistance, healthcare screenings, and legal services.

Legal Hand

250 Kingston Avenue

Brooklyn, NY 11213

718-619-4248

crownheights.org

Legal self-help program operating in partnership with the Crown Heights Community Mediation Center. This program aims to eliminate barriers to legal access for low-income residents by bringing legal help to the community itself. Provides legal guidance and assistance around a variety of issues, as well as referrals to full-time legal representation. The program is staffed by trained volunteers.

HISTORY OF BED-STUY

Bedford–Stuyvesant was once home to the second largest Black population in the U.S. and served as the cultural center for Brooklyn’s African-American population. Bed–Stuy is made up of four neighborhoods: Bedford, Stuyvesant Heights, Ocean Hill, and Weeksville, one of the first free African-American communities in the U.S. Formally purchased in 1670, Bedford later merged with these other neighborhoods to become Bed-Stuy and has a rich, complex history of power, control, resistance, and triumph.

After the revolutionary war, Bedford was a small community. However, increased public transportation brought changes to the population of Bed-Stuy by making access to the area easier. In 1836, the Brooklyn and Jamaica Railroad connected Bedford to the Atlantic Avenue Ferry, making the area convenient to those with jobs in Manhattan, which led to an increase in the white population.

The second shift was in 1936, when the IND Fulton Street Line was created. This connected Bed-Stuy residents with Harlem, leading to another population explosion, this time of mostly Black residents. This was also around the same time that Bedford and Stuyvesant Heights became referred to together as Bed-Stuy. The ethnic shift that occurred at this time allowed the Black community greater access to property, something that was often difficult due to racist property owners and zoning practices.

Tensions erupting around the country in response to racism were also felt in Bed-Stuy. Residents were often targeted by the police and struggled with the burden of unfair employment and housing practices. By the 1960s, the dropout rate and unemployment rates in Bed-Stuy had greatly increased. When Robert Kennedy was elected Senator, he turned his sights to Bed-Stuy and worked with local activists and politicians to create the Bedford–Stuyvesant Restoration Corporation, which still exists today. This program then became a nationwide model for addressing poverty and catalyzed change in the community by combining community action with private enterprise.

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Bed-Stuy is now shifting again, with gentrification changing the population’s make-up. Between 2000 and 2010, the Black population decreased from 75 percent to 60 percent, and the white population increased from 2.4 percent to 15 percent. Bed-Stuy still remains a neighborhood with immense community pride, boasting stars like Jay-Z, Notorious B.I.G, and Lil’ Kim. Bed-Stuy has also seen activism and change, with groups like the Youth Education and Safety (YES) taskforce, the Coalition for the Improvement of Bed-Stuy, S.O.S. Bed-Stuy, and many community gardens and grassroots organizations.

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ADULT EDUCATION

Instead of the GED, New York State has selected a new high school equivalency test called the Test Assessing Secondary Completion (TASC™). The TASC™ is a secure, reliable and valid instrument that is used to verify that examinees have knowledge in core content areas equivalent to that of graduating high school seniors.

Visit aces.nysed.gov/hse/what-hsetasc-test to learn more about the test, find HSE prep courses, and reserve a seat at a testing location.

BED-STUY

Brooklyn Job Corps Center

585 DeKalb Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11205
718-623-4000

brooklyn.jobcorps.gov/Home.aspx

Open 8AM-5PM Monday - Friday. Free vocational training program for a number of trades for adults 18 to 24. Offers HSE depending on age. To enroll call 718-623-4059 (English) or 718-623-4005 (Spanish)

Bedford Library – Second Floor

496 Franklin Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11238
718-623-2134

bklynlibrary.org/only-bpl/literacy/pre-hse-young-adult-liter

Offers Young Adult Literacy Program for ages 17 to 24, offers HSE prep classes, work readiness workshops, and skill development. Enroll for fall, winter, or summer classes. Part-Time HSE prep classes for anyone over 17.

College of New Rochelle School of New Resources

1368 Fulton Street
Brooklyn, NY 11216
718-638-2500

cnr.edu/school-of-new-resources

Offers a wide range of degree programs for adults who are looking to be competitive in today's job market. Admission for students who are 21 or older with a GED, high school diploma, or previous college credit. Check website for instructions on how to apply and how to receive financial aid.

BROOKLYN

DREAMS/YouthBuild

1615 St. John's Place, Lower Level
Brooklyn, NY 11233
718-455-4308

settlementhousingfund.org/dreams_youthbuild.html

Free GED classes, OSHA classes, and construction training, for ages 17 to 24.

Medgar Evers College | HSE Preparation Program

1534 Bedford Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11216
718-804-8880

Pre-GED and GED level and ESL classes. Call and leave a message detailing what you need.

Opportunities For a Better Tomorrow

Williamsburg

25 Thornton Street
Brooklyn, NY 11206
718-387-1600

Bushwick Workforce Resource Center

28 Wyckoff Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11237
718-381-3222

obtjobs.org/index.php/20

Free services for ages 18 and over. Both locations offer HSE and Pre-HSE classes, job placement assistance for those over 21, and English classes. The Bushwick location offers citizenship classes, computer classes, and customer service skills classes.

BUSINESS AND ENTREPRENEUR RESOURCES

BROOKLYN

Brooklyn Legal Services Corporation A - Green Building Law and Justice Project

260 Broadway, Suite 2
Brooklyn NY 11211
718-487-2300
bka.org

Provides legal assistance to nonprofit community development corporations (CDCs) and community based organizations (CBOs) undertaking environmentally sustainable, or “green,” community development projects.

Business Outreach Center Network

North Brooklyn Business Outreach Center
85 South Oxford Street, 2nd Fl.
Brooklyn, NY 11217
718-624-9115
http://www.bocnet.org/boc/north_brooklyn.asp

Offers free business counseling and referrals to small business owners or those looking to start a business. Assistance is offered in both English and Spanish.

Fifth Avenue Committee

621 DeGraw Street
Brooklyn, NY 11217
718-237-2017
fifthave.org

Enables people with low and moderate incomes to build assets for their families and community by securing, improving, and owning their own homes and businesses. Has a number of affordable housing units, job placement and counseling, skills training programs, and adult education classes.

Local Development Corporation Crown Heights

252 Kingston Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11213
718-467-8800
ldcch.com

Offers grants for low-income individuals looking to start small businesses.

Minority Business Development Center

12 Heyward Street
Brooklyn, NY 11211
718-522-5620
odabdc.org

Offers counseling, referrals, help with certifications as MBE, contracting opportunities, business seminars, and financial packaging.

CAMBA Small Business Services

2211 Church Avenue, Room 207
Brooklyn, NY 11226
718-282-0108
camba.org/programs/economicdevelopment/smallbusinessservices

Offers one-on-one counseling, small business loans, and workshops for entrepreneurs in Brooklyn.

Part of NYC Small Business Services, NYC Business Solutions is a suite of services that help businesses start, operate and expand in New York City. Regardless of the size or stage of a business, NYC Business Solutions can help meet the needs of entrepreneurs and business owners.

Visit nyc.gov/html/sbs/nycbiz/html/home/home.shtml or call 311 for more information.

CAREER COUNSELING AND TRAINING PROGRAMS

All of the following items are required for an employment certificate:

- an application with Section 1 completed and signed by parent
- a birth certificate as evidence of age
- an original doctor's note (stating the minor is "fit for employment") or an original certificate of physical fitness completed by a physician
- schooling record
- signature of minor in presence of issuing official

Unemployment Benefits: How to Apply

1. You will need:
 - Social Security number
 - Driver's license or State ID card
 - Complete mailing address
 - A telephone number
 - If not a U.S. citizen, Alien Registration card number
 - Names and addresses of the companies you have worked for in the past 18 months
2. Go to: labor.ny.gov/ui/claimantinfo/sign-in-faq.shtm
(easy way to do this: Google "NY.GOV ID" and choose first result)
3. Sign in with NY.GOV username and password, or create account
4. Click on "Unemployment Benefits: File a Claim/Certify" button on the left-hand side
5. Answer questions on form
6. Print out confirmation page

BED-STUY

The Bedford-Stuyvesant Volunteer Ambulance Corps

727 Greene Avenue
Brooklyn, New York 11221
718-453-4617
bsvac.org

Teaches life-saving skills to Bed-Stuy residents and connects them to careers in emergency medicine. Offers EMT courses and CPR/First Aid Courses. Tuition assistance is available for qualifying students.

Reconnect

139 Tompkins Avenue
Brooklyn, NY, 11206
347-406-9780
reconnectcommunity.org

Offers employment to young men in Bed-Stuy at their café, bakery, or graphics shop. Their mission is to offer employment that leads to renewed engagement of education, training and commitment to community leadership and service.

**Rite Center, Bedford Stuyvesant
Restoration Corporation**
1368 Fulton Street 4th Floor
Brooklyn, NY
718-636-6994
restorationplaza.org/business/employment-solutions

For those 18 and over, the Rite Center has a computer facility offering Internet access, job placement assistance, and job search preparation. Also allows access to occupational training and educational resources. Bring in your resume to get assistance or call to hear registration dates and upcoming events.

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Assisted Competitive Employment (ACE)
2559-65 West 13th Street
Brooklyn, NY 11223-5812
718-372-0371
goodwillnynj.org/services/workforce-development/assisted-competitive-employment-ace

The ACE program offers supported employment services to persons with a psychiatric disability. Services include an intake interview, one-on-one and group job counseling, job development and placement assistance, off-site and on-site job coaching. Participants may receive long-term support through other Goodwill programs.

CAMBA
1720 Church Avenue 2nd Floor
Brooklyn, NY 11226
718-287-2600
camba.org/contact

Offers a wide range of educational and training services for adults and youth, including career counseling, HSE prep, ESL classes, and after-school programs. Call to find the best program for you.

**New York State Department of Labor -
Workforce1 Career Center**
250 Schermerhorn Street (Corner of Bond and
Schermerhorn) Brooklyn, New York 11201
718-780-9200
nyc.gov/html/sbs/wf1/html/home/home.shtml

For those 18 and over. Offers assistance with online job searches, resume prep, and interview techniques. Also contains resource room with computers and phones for residents use. Visit the website to register for services.

Interested in a civil service job?

Go to nyc.gov/dcas to learn about how and when to apply for exams.

Find the application form at schools.
nyc.gov/NR/rdonlyres/9784C69C-C126-4137-91C1-38010BEF4538/119875/AT191.pdf
or visit schools.nyc.gov for more information.

New York City College of Technology - Continuing Studies Center

25 Chapel Street 4th Floor
Brooklyn, NY 11201
718-552-1170

Offers 18-week GED prep course for those over 18, including career counseling and computer training. Call to schedule an appointment to take the placement test.

St. Nicks Alliance - Skills Training

790 Broadway, 2nd Floor
(Between Sumner Place and Fayette Street)
Brooklyn, NY
718-302-2057
stnicksalliance.org/SNA/

Offer training in environmental remediation, commercial driving, and pest control. Information sessions are held Wednesday and Thursday at 2PM. Call to learn more.

How to Get an Employment Certification

(Formerly Known as Working Papers)

All individuals under 18 years of age, including college students, high school graduates, married students, and volunteer workers, must obtain an employment certificate if they intend to work. Students must fill out an application and submit it to the designated person in the high school or middle school that they attend. The school will then issue an employment certificate to the student.

MANHATTAN

Business Center for New Americans

120 Broadway, Suite 230
New York, NY 10271
212-898-4126
nybcna.org/bcna/

Helps immigrants, refugees, women, and others get money to start businesses, buy their first home, or save up. Also offers classes and counseling on how to run a business and financial education.

First Step Job Training

Coalition for the Homeless

129 Fulton Street
New York, NY 10038
212-776-2074
coalitionforthehomeless.org

Offers 14-week long classes to homeless and low-income women to provide them with training, social support, and education to help them achieve their career goals. Call to sign up for an information session.

Small Business Development Center Pace University

163 William Street, Room 328
New York, NY 10038
212-618-6655
pacesbdc.org

Offers free counseling for small business owners in NY to prepare and run a successful business.

UPNEXT

314 W 54th Street
New York, NY 10019
646-264-1343

Six-week training program to help unemployed men and/or non-custodial fathers develop job and family engagement skills. Participants complete job readiness training and learn family engagement skills. To enroll call number above.

BRONX

Per Scholas- Bronx Campus

804 E 138th Street #2
Bronx, NY 10454
718-991-8400
perscholas.org

Offers free intensive training programs in the Information Technology field for individuals with a high school diploma or equivalent.

RECONNECT

Reconnect is an organization that offers employment to young people in Bed-Stuy that will lead to renewed engagement of education, training and commitment to community leadership and service. They currently have three projects to achieve their goal.

- **The coffee shop at 139 Tompkins Avenue is open 8AM to 11PM Monday - Thursday and 11AM to 11PM Friday - Sunday. Call at 347-406-9780.**
- **Reconnect Bakery has wholesale, retail, and catering services, located at 110 Moore St. The bakery is open from 8AM to 5PM, Tuesday - Friday.**
- **Reconnect Graphics, which provides high quality custom apparel and graphic solutions from our young artists to businesses, big or small. Call at (917) 909-1415.**

Visit reconnectcommunity.org to learn more.

Visit bklynlibrary.org/jobs-business for library resources for career counseling and training.

COMMUNITY CENTERS

BED-STUY

Brooklyn Queens Land Trust (BQLT)

677 Lafayette Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11216
718-963-7020
bqlt.org

Runs 32 community gardens in Brooklyn and Queens that are staffed by volunteers and members. The gardens grow a variety of fruits and vegetables and host a number of events for the community, including art and photo exhibits, crafts, cooking demonstrations, night time movies, yoga, live music, card games, garden parties, barbeques, fish fries, dinner fundraisers, block association meetings, community meetings, and educational workshops for the youth. Go online or call to find out how to become a member or to find a garden near you.

Herbert Von King Park

670 Lafayette Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11216
718-622-2082
nycgovparks.org/parks/herbert-von-king-park

Von King Park is at the center of Bed-Stuy and offers a range of activities for community members. The Cultural Arts Center, houses an amphitheater, arts and crafts rooms, a computer resource center, and a dance room.

BROOKLYN

Make the Road New York

301 Grove Street
Brooklyn, New York 11237
718-418-7690
maketheroad.org

Provides literacy and HSE prep classes, job assistance, small business support, educational programs, legal, and healthcare services.

St. Johns Place Family Center

1630 St. Johns Place
Brooklyn, NY 11233
718-771-7720
settlementhousingfund.org/st_johns_place.html

Offers temporary housing to families, as well as daycare. Contains two permanent housing locations for low-income families. Assists families with searches for employment and affordable housing.

St. Johns Recreation Center

1251 Prospect Place
Brooklyn, NY 11213
718-771-2787
nycgovparks.org/facilities/recreationcenters/B245

Recreational facility that contains a pool, fitness rooms, and basketball courts. Also offers fitness classes and access to the computer resource center.

Community Boards are local representative bodies that consist of up to 50 unsalaried, involved people appointed by the Borough President.

Community Board 3 serves Bed-Stuy

1360 Fulton Street, Brooklyn, NY 11216
718-622-6601
cb3brooklyn.org

CULTURAL INSTITUTIONS

Here are some helpful hints for making the most of your visit:

- Before you go, talk about what you will see in the museum and include some basic information about museums, how objects get there, and why people collect objects.
- “Child-size” your visit by focusing on a couple exhibits and not trying to see everything at once.
- Be flexible and follow your child’s lead. Don’t be surprised if your planned visit to see the dinosaur bones is put on hold because the huge elephant has caught your child’s attention. Let your child enjoy the exhibit as his or her own pace.
- The Information Desk is a good “first stop” once you’re at the museum. There, you’ll find floor plans, materials in foreign languages, self-guided family tour brochures, gallery games and activity sheets, and family workshops and programs.
- Play Museum and Gallery Games with your kids! Museum games help focus a visit and help to break up the time as you go from exhibit to exhibit. They stimulate your child’s curiosity, sharpen observation skills, and generally make the visit more enjoyable. Here are some games to play:
 - **I Spy:** Have your child find an object in an exhibit and describe it to the other family members so that each one can take a turn guessing what the object is.
 - **Seek and Find:** Ask your child to find objects that have his or her favorite colors, shapes, and objects in them.
- After your visit, ask your child what their favorite things were about the exhibit and why they liked them. You can also try and find the answers to any questions your child might have had during the visit that you couldn’t answer.

BRIC Arts | Media House

647 Fulton Street
Brooklyn, NY 11217
718-683-5600
bricartsmedia.org

BRIC presents contemporary art, performing arts and community media programs for free or for a low-cost. They also offer education and other public programs to people of all ages as well as opportunities and fellowships for new artists.

Brooklyn Academy of Music

30 Lafayette Avenue
Brooklyn, NY, 11217
718-636-4100
bam.org

Offers music, theater, dance, art and film performances and educational programs. Check website for events and ticket prices.

Brooklyn Children’s Museum

145 Brooklyn Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11213
718-735-4400
brooklynkids.org

Museum for children of all ages filled with awesome indoor and outdoor exhibits and activities! Check website for details on events and calendar.

Museums provide a perfect opportunity for parents and kids to learn together. Remember that you don’t have to be an expert or know the answers to all the questions your child will ask. Part of the fun of exploring a museum is finding out what excites you and your child by sharing, looking, listening, talking and learning together.

Brooklyn Botanical Garden

990 Washington Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11225
718-623-7200
bbg.org

A large garden with plenty of family activities and workshops.

Brooklyn Museum

200 Eastern Parkway
Brooklyn, NY 11238
718-638-5000
brooklynmuseum.org

Art museum with a wide range of exhibits, from ancient Egyptian to contemporary art. Closed on Monday and Tuesday.

Bronx Zoo

2300 Southern Boulevard
Bronx, NY 10460
718-367-1010
bronxzoo.com

Open from 10AM to 5PM. Admission fees vary. 10% discount if you buy tickets online.

Five Myles Gallery

558 St. Johns Place, Brooklyn, NY 11238
718-783-4438
fivemyles.org/

Art gallery and performance space. See online calendar for list of events. Open Thursday - Sunday from 1PM to 6PM.

High 5 Tickets to the Arts

212-302-7433
teens.artsconnection.org/contact/

Discount ticket program that allows teens aged 13 to 18 to buy a \$5 for themselves and an adult to hundreds of dance, music, art, and theater events around New York.

Ifetayo

348 St. Mark's Avenue, Suite 1B
Brooklyn, New York 11238
718-856-1123
ifetayo.com

An arts and cultural organization dedicated to supporting the creative, educational and vocational development of youth and families of African descent. Ifetayo strives to enhance their lives by providing programs in cultural awareness, performing and visual arts, as well as academic instruction, health and wellness, professional skills development, and social services. Check website for programs and calendar of events.

Museum of Contemporary African Diasporan Arts

80 Hanson Place
Brooklyn, NY 11217
718-230-0492
mocada.org

Brooklyn's first museum dedicated to contemporary art by people of African descent. The museum hosts events like the Soul of BK festival and the Bed-Stuy KIDFlix film festival. Open Wednesday-Sunday.

Museum of Tolerance New York

226 East 42nd Street
New York, New York 10017
212-697-1180

Challenges visitors to confront bigotry and racism, and to understand the Holocaust in both historic and contemporary contexts. Through interactive workshops, exhibits, and videos, individuals explore issues of prejudice, diversity, tolerance, and cooperation in the workplace, in schools and in the community. The MOTNY provides participants with intense educational and experiential training programs and welcomes school field trips and group tours. Open from 10AM to 5PM Monday - Friday.

New York Aquarium

602 Surf Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11224
718-265-3474
nyaquarium.com

Located next to Coney Island beach.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE RESOURCES

Domestic violence is a pattern of behavior in any relationship that is used to gain or maintain power and control over an intimate partner. Abuse can be physical, sexual, emotional, economic or psychological actions or threats of actions that influence another person. This includes any behaviors that frighten, intimidate, terrorize, manipulate, hurt, humiliate, blame, injure or wound someone. Domestic violence can happen to anyone of any race, age, sexual orientation, religion or gender. It can happen to couples who are married, living together or who are dating. Domestic violence affects people of all socioeconomic backgrounds and education levels.

Don't let your immigration status stand in the way of getting help for domestic violence.

Call the NYLAG immigration issues hotline 212-613-5000 on Monday and Wednesday between 9AM and 3PM.

For assistance locating an emergency shelter for DV victims, call the 24 hour hotline at 800-621-HOPE (4673) or see "Homelessness" section for shelter options.

HOTLINES

Safe Horizon Domestic Violence Hotline
800-621-HOPE (4673)

Safe Horizon Rape and Sexual Assault Hotline 212-227-3000

STEPS to End Family Violence Hotline
877-783-7794

Women's Survival Space: 718-439-1000

CONNECT Legal Advocacy Helpline
212-683-0605

Monday - Friday 9:30AM to 5PM. Provides immediate access to information and advocacy to survivors of domestic violence. Also offers assistance to immigrant victims looking to obtain formal immigration status.

HELPFUL WEBSITES

Futures Without Violence
futureswithoutviolence.org

Women's Law
womenslaw.org

Legal Information for Families Today
liftonline.org

Safe Horizon
safehorizon.org

BED-STUY

Center Against Domestic Violence

718-439-1000

cadvny.org

Operates shelters that provide lifesaving emergency housing for women and children who are fleeing abusive homes. Each family stays in their own apartment complete with full kitchen and bath, giving them the privacy they need to feel safe in a new environment. Staff provides 24-hour assistance and security and supplies all basic living essentials. Has confidential shelter in Bed-Stuy, call to receive assistance and housing.

BROOKLYN

Arab American Family Support Center

150 Court Street, 3rd Floor

Brooklyn, NY 11201

718-643-8000

aafscny.org

Offers crisis intervention to help women and girls towards informed decision-making, information and referrals to additional services, counseling and support groups for survivors of violence, empowerment education, court advocacy and translation.

Brooklyn District Attorney's Office - Victim Services Unit

350 Jay Street

Brooklyn, NY 11201

718-250-3300

brooklynda.org/victim-services-unit

Offers crisis counseling, safety planning, court escort, advocacy with additional agencies, physical and mental health referrals, and assistance with reimbursements for eligible victims.

Do you need to get an Order of Protection?

Visit nycourts.gov/faq/orderofprotection.shtml for information on how to obtain one and for additional resources.

Camba - Family Violence Prevention and Intervention

1720 Church Avenue

Brooklyn, NY 11226

718-287-2600

800-310-2449 (Hotline)

camba.org/programs/familysupport/familyviolencepreventionintervention

Offers a 24/7 victims' hotline, escort services, crisis counseling, individual and group support and education, advocacy, emergency cash assistance, and referrals to other services.

Caribbean Women's Health Association

3512 Church Avenue

Brooklyn, NY 11203

718-826-2942

cwaha.org

On-site advocacy, accompaniment to health centers, and referrals.

Edith and Carl Marks Jewish Community House of Bensonhurst

7802 Bay Parkway

Brooklyn, NY 11214

718-943-6347

ichb.org/family-violence-prevention-program/

Serves English and Russian-speaking survivors of family violence with counseling, support groups, safety planning, housing assistance and referrals to additional resources.

HELP R.O.A.D.S Domestic Violence Program

515 Blake Avenue

Brooklyn, NY 11207

718-922-7980

Outpatient program that provides services to adult and adolescent victims of violence, including counseling, crisis intervention, safety planning, support groups, court and policy advocacy, police advocacy, and outreach services.

New York Asian Women’s Center

6215 5th Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11220
212-732-0054
Hotline: 888-888-7702
nyawc.org

Serves women and children through multi-lingual support programs for adults and children, immigration assistance, and shelter services.

North Brooklyn Coalition Against Family Violence

P.O. Box 110664
Brooklyn, NY, 11211
718-302-4073
northbrooklyncoalition.org/index.html

This program provides a wide range of services to help clients navigate the criminal justice system. Because many clients have limited English, this program also serves as a bridge with other mainstream agencies such as entitlement government agencies. Services include: crisis intervention counseling, assistance in filing orders of protection, accompaniment to court and police precincts, assistance in filing Crime Victims Board Compensation Claim forms, criminal justice advocacy, information and referrals, home and hospital visits, and entitlement assistance. Also offers Joyful Family Services, which is designed to help women take back control of and rebuild their lives, free from abuse. Additional services include, support groups, individual counseling, parenting education, nutrition, self care, computer literacy, assistance with resume writing, referrals for ESL, GED and job training.

NYC Family Justice Center Brooklyn

350 Jay Street
Brooklyn, NY 11201
718-250-5111 ext. 6
nyc.gov/html/ocdv/html/help/fjc.shtml

Victims of domestic violence, elder abuse, and sex trafficking can meet with a prosecutor, speak with a trained counselor, and apply for housing and financial assistance all for free. Services are provided to walk-ins, no appointment necessary.

OHEL Violence Counseling and Housing Program

4510 16th Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11204
800-603-OHEL (6435)
ohelfamily.org

Provides confidential phone consultations, safety planning, counseling, and support groups. Also offers a safe dwelling program for women and families.

The Park Slope Safe Homes Project

PO Box 150429
Van Brunt Station
Brooklyn, NY 11215
212-243-7070
Hotline: 718-499-2151
goodshepherds.org/program/safe-homes/

Offers a hotline, counseling, safety-planning, as well as a 20-bed shelter for survivors and their children.

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Safe Horizon – Brooklyn Community Program

50 Court Street, 9th Fl
Brooklyn, NY 11201
718-624-2350
safehorizon.org

Counseling Center specializes in treating traumatized victims of crime and abuse and links clients to additional services, including financial assistance, court advocacy, and shelter placement.

YWCA Brooklyn

30 Third Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11217
718-875-1190
ywcabklyn.org

Offers advocacy and housing assistance for survivors of violence.

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Barrier Free Living - Freedom House

270 E 2nd Street
 New York, NY 10009
 212-400-6470
bflnyc.org/programs-services/freedom-house/

Emergency shelter for disabled survivors of domestic violence and their families. Offers counseling, case management, and advocacy for people staying in the shelter.

New York Gay and Lesbian Anti-Violence Project

116 Nassau Street, 3rd Floor
 New York, NY 10038
 212-714-1141 (Hotline)
avp.org

Offers 24-hour bilingual hotline as well as counseling, advocacy, support groups, and legal services for LGBTQ and HIV-affected survivors of all types of violence.

Safe Horizon

2 Lafayette Street, 3rd Floor
 New York, NY 10007
 800-621-4673
safehorizon.org

Runs a domestic violence shelter, provides counseling, legal representation, housing and employment assistance, and childcare. Hotlines available for survivors of domestic violence, sexual assault, and stalking.

Sanctuary for Families

PO Box 1406
 Wall Street Station
 New York, NY 10268
 212-349-6009 x221 (All other services)
 212-349-6009 x246 (Legal services)

Provides services to adults, teens, and children of all genders who have been victims of domestic violence of any kind. Offers counseling, legal assistance, shelter, career readiness and technology training, and advocacy.

STEPS to End Family Violence

PO Box 287326
 New York, New York 10128
 877-783-7794 (Hotline)
 646-315-7600

A holistic program of services for victims of gender-based violence with a focus on prevention, intervention, and policy advocacy.

**If in need of
 immediate assistance,
 call National Domestic
 Violence Hotline at
 1-800-799-SAFE (7233)
 24 hours a day,
 seven days a week.**

FINANCIAL ADVICE

USEFUL NUMBERS

Burial Assistance - Burial Claims Unit

718-473-8310

HRA Information System

718-557-1399

Debtors Anonymous

212-969-8111



Bed-Stuy Community Legal Services Corporation

1360 Fulton Street, Suite 301

Brooklyn, New York 11216

718-636-1155

legalservicesnyc.org/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=92&Itemid=132

Provides broad range of legal advocacy and information to low-income Brooklyn residents.

Brooklyn Bar Association Volunteer Lawyers Project, Inc.

44 Court Street #1206

Brooklyn, NY 11201

718-624-3894

brooklynvlp.org

Offers free legal assistance to financially eligible low-income residents of Brooklyn. Program areas include: Family Law, Elder Law, and Consumer Law, including Chapter 7 bankruptcy, CLARO, and the Foreclosure Intervention Program. Call on Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday from 10AM-4PM.

Brooklyn Legal Services Corporation

A- Low Income Tax Clinic

260 Broadway, Suite 2

Brooklyn, NY 11211

718-487-2300

bka.org

Assists income-eligible taxpayers with IRS issues. The goal of Brooklyn A's LITC is to represent and educate low-income taxpayers who cannot afford legal services and to advocate on their behalf. Call to make an appointment, available Monday - Wednesday.

Money Management International and Consumer Credit Counseling Services

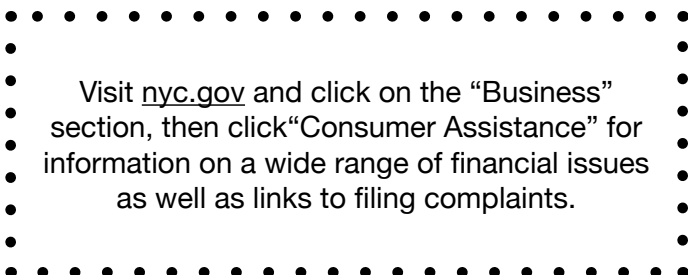
26 Court Street Suite 2610

Brooklyn, NY 11242

800-308-2227

moneymanagement.org

Assists families in need of financial planning assistance, credit reports help, bankruptcy counseling, small business credit advice, interest rate debt, general budgeting and financial planning help. Call first to set up an appointment.



What to do if you are the victim of identity theft:

Identity theft is when someone uses your personal information, such as your credit card or social security number to obtain something of value. Here is what you should do if you suspect you have been victimized.

1. Report lost or stolen credit, ATM, and debit cards immediately to the credit card company or bank associated with the fraudulent activity. It is important to do this as soon as you discover the fraud because if you wait, you may be found liable for the charges.
2. Call one of the three fraud helplines and tell them to flag your file with a “fraud alert.” Include a statement that creditors should call you for permission before opening any new accounts in your name.
 - a. Equifax 1-888-766-0008
 - b. Experian 1-888-397-3742
 - c. TransUnion 1-800-680-7289
3. Report identity theft to the Federal Trade Commission [atftccomplaintassistant.gov/#crnt&panel1-1](https://www.ftccomplaintassistant.gov/#crnt&panel1-1) and print and save your affidavit.
4. File a report with your local police department and ask for a copy of the police report.
5. Have your bank put a “stop-payment order” on any checks that you believe have been stolen. Consider closing out all existing accounts and then opening new accounts with new account numbers.

Visit [identitytheft.gov](https://www.identitytheft.gov) for more information.

LGBTQ RESOURCES

BROOKLYN

Audre Lorde Project

85 South Oxford Street
Brooklyn, NY 11217-1607
718-596-0342
alp.org

Center for lesbian, gay, bisexual, two spirit and transgender people of color to do community organizing. Offers educational trainings, outreach, and workshops on homophobia, racism, and classism. Also has resource guide for LGBTQ resources.

Project Reach - Brooklyn Pride Center

310 Atlantic Avenue
Brooklyn, New York 11201
347-889-7719
projectreachnyc.org

The mission of the Brooklyn Community Pride Center is to provide a safe, common space offering physical and mental health services, social support, recreational and cultural programming, as well as being a hub of information for lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender individuals and families in Brooklyn.

SAGE - Services and Advocacy for LGBT Elders

25 Flatbush Avenue, 5th Floor
Brooklyn, NY 11217
718-246-2775
sageusa.org/nyc/

Offers social activities and programs for LGBT older people including art classes, men's and women's groups, fitness programs, HIV support groups, and case management.

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Gay Men's Health Crisis

446 West 33rd Street,
New York, NY 10001-2601
800-243-7692
gmhc.org

Offers a wide variety of services to people affected by HIV and AIDS. Call to become a client or to speak to someone on the hotline.

WHAT DOES LGBTQ STAND FOR?

L - Lesbian
G - Gay
B - Bisexual
T - Transgender
**Q - Queer or
Questioning**

Hate crimes are criminal offenses committed against persons, property, or society that are motivated by an offender's bias against an individual's or a group's actual or perceived race, religion, national origin, ethnic background, gender, age disability or sexual orientation.

What to do if you have been the victim of a hate crime:

1. Get medical help, if necessary.
2. Write down any and all of the details of the crime as soon as possible after the incident.
3. File a police report. If you believe the incident was bias-motivated, urge the officer to check the "hate/bias-motivation" or "hate crime/incident" box on the police report.
4. File a report with the FBI.
In NYC, number is 212-384-1000
5. Find support, either from friends and family or seek professional support.

David Geffen Center for HIV Testing and Education

224 West 29th Street, Ground Floor
New York, NY 10001
212-367-1100

Offers free, confidential HIV testing and counseling.

Green Chimneys

400 Doansburg Road, Box 719
Brewster, NY 10509
845-279-2995
greenchimneys.org

Green Chimneys believes in creating safe spaces and supporting healthy development for Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender and Questioning (LGBTQ) youth who are runaway or homeless. Offers a transitional living program in New York City for LGBTQ youth aged 16-21 who are homeless or at risk of homelessness (call 347-514-0752 for information). Also offers a 12-week career readiness program for 18-24 year old homeless or LGBTQ youth (call 646-823-2178 for more information).

Hetrick-Martin Institute

2 Astor Place, 3rd Floor
New York, NY 10003
212-674-2400
hmi.org

Offers a number of youth programs and supportive services including health and wellness, job readiness training, counseling, and an onsite pantry. Stop in Monday-Friday 3:15PM to 6:30PM to complete a free youth membership intake.

Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender Community Center

208 W 13th Street
New York, NY 10011
212-620-7310
gaycenter.org

Consists of a family center, youth center, community center, wellness center, and recovery center in order to give LGBTQ people access to services and access to a community. Check out their website or call to find out about programs and events.

The Anti-Violence Project

240 W 35th Street #200
New York, NY 10001
212-714-1141 (Hotline)
avp.org

Provides counseling, advocacy support groups and legal services to LGBTQ & HIV-affected survivors of all forms of violence including hate violence, intimate partner violence, sexual violence, pick-up violence, and institutional violence.

PFLAG

130 E 25th Street M1
New York, NY 10010
646-240-4288
212-463-0629 (Helpline)
pflagnyc.org

Offers programs and services for families and friends of LGBTQ people, such as support groups, a phone and online helpline, advocacy, and education. Offers a huge number of online resources. Check website to find closest meeting location to you.

Sylvia Rivera Law Project

147 W 24th Street, 5th Floor
New York, NY 1011
212-337-8550
srlp.org

The Sylvia Rivera Law Project (SRLP) works to guarantee that all people are free to self-determine their gender identity and expression, regardless of income or race, and without facing harassment, discrimination, or violence. SRLP is a collective organization founded on the understanding that gender self-determination is inextricably intertwined with racial, social and economic justice. Therefore, we seek to increase the political voice and visibility of low-income people and people of color who are transgender, intersex, or gender non-conforming. SRLP works to improve access to respectful and affirming social, health, and legal services for our communities.

DAYCARE CENTERS AND HEAD START

Head Start is a federally-funded community-based child development program designed to meet the needs of low-income children and their families. Head Start has childcare programs for children from birth to age 5 and are free for qualifying families. Visit eclkc.ohs.acf.hhs.gov/hslc/HeadStartOffices to locate a Head Start center near you.

If your child is enrolled in a Head Start center or other city-funded child care center, find out if the center is part of the Cool Culture program. If so, your family is eligible for a Cool Culture pass, which allows you FREE admittance to many of New York museums, cultural institutions, zoos, and botanical gardens. For more information, talk to your center's Director, call Cool Culture at 718-230-4186 or check out their website at coolculture.org.

Visit nyc.gov/html/acs/html/child_care/child_care_information.shtml to get information about how and where to get childcare

BED-STUY- Daycare

Child Development Support Corporation

352-358 Classon Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11238
718-398-2050

Provides parent education and resources around childcare. Call 718-398-6738 to talk to a parent counselor about childcare options that fit your needs.

The Salvation Army Bedford Daycare Center

110 Kosciusko Street
Brooklyn, NY 11216
718-552-2691

Open Monday - Friday 8AM to 6PM.

BROOKLYN- Daycare

The Garden of Learning Day Care

834 Prospect Place
Brooklyn, NY 11216
718-778-0996

Open Monday-Friday 7:30AM - 6PM. Accepts ACD.

Park Place Day Care Center

742 Nostrand Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11216
347-627-3955

crownheightsdaycare.com

Infants to six years, accepts HRA and ACD vouchers. Open Mon-Fri 7:30AM to 6PM.

BED-STUY- Head Start

Bishop Sexton Head Start Center

933 Herkimer Street
Brooklyn, NY 11233
718-778-0292

stmarksheadstart.org

Bed Stuy Early Childhood Development Center

813 Hancock Street
Brooklyn, NY 11233
718-455-5565

BROOKLYN- Head Start

Medgar Evers College Head Start

60 E 93rd Street
Brooklyn, NY 11212
718-221-2531

Breukelen Recreation Rooms Head Start

715 E 105th Street
Brooklyn, NY 11236
718-649-2960

HEALTH

The New York State marketplace helps people without insurance find and enroll in a plan that fits their budget and needs. You can apply online, by phone, or with a paper application. There are two options for care:

USEFUL NUMBERS

Growing Up Healthy Hotline: 1-800-522-5006

Medicaid Choice: 1-800-505-5678

Medicaid Helpline: 1-800-541-2831

Medicare- Empire Blue Cross/Blue Shield:
1-800-261-5962

New York State Temporary and Disability Assistance Info Line: 1-800-342-3009

BED-STUY

Bed-Stuy Family Health Center

1456 Fulton Street
Brooklyn, NY 11216
718-636-4500
bsfhc.org

Medical center and clinic services, with a multi-lingual staff. Offers free resources, screenings, counseling, and programs. Check website for details on times and locations.

Bedford Stuyvesant Alcoholism Treatment Center

722 Myrtle Street
Brooklyn, NY 11205
718-636-4200

The treatment center provides outpatient, partial hospitalization, and residential long-term treatment care. Payments via Medicaid, state financed insurance, and Medicare are accepted. Payment assistance is offered by way of case-by-case basis (check with facility for specifics).

Interfaith Medical Center

1545 Atlantic Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11213
718-613-4000
interfaithmedical.com

General hospital and clinic services. Accepts Medicaid and provides care for uninsured individuals based on need.

To be eligible for health coverage through the Marketplace, you:

- Must live in the United States
- Must be a U.S. citizen or national (or be lawfully present)
- Can't be incarcerated

New York offers its own healthcare marketplace at nystateofhealth.ny.gov. Visit to enroll for care or call the NY hotline at 1-855-355-5777 from 8AM to 8PM Monday - Friday or 9AM to 1 PM on Saturday. The national office also runs a hotline at 1-800-318-2596 24 hours 7 days a week to answer any questions. Visit healthcare.gov for more information.

There are two options for care:

- A health insurance plan with savings based on your income that includes essential health benefits, coverage of pre-existing conditions, and preventative care.
- Medicaid and the Children's Health Insurance Program, which provide free or low-cost coverage to millions of individuals and families with limited income, disabilities, and some other circumstances. To find out if you qualify for Medicaid in New York, call 800-541-2831 or visit health.ny.gov/health_care/medicaid/.

MANHATTAN

Covenant House Health and Wellness Center

460 West 41st Street
New York, NY 10036-6801
212-613-0300
ny.covenanthouse.org

Services are offered at no cost or on a sliding-scale basis. Services include pediatric and adult primary care, gynecological care, pre- and post-natal care, STD and HIV screening, mental health care, case management, health education, drug awareness and education, and substance abuse assessments. They also provide referrals to partner health providers for substance abuse treatment, severe and persistent mental health support, dental and vision services, and other specialized care as appropriate.

Metropolitan Council on Jewish Poverty

7th Floor, 120 Broadway
New York, NY 10271
212-453-9500
metcouncil.org

Social service provider that operates housing units, kosher food pantry, home safety and repairs, home care, free and low cost health insurance, career services, and crisis interventions. Services for people of all faiths.

Visions Center on Blindness

500 Greenwich Street, 3rd Floor
New York, NY 10013-1354
212-625-1616 ext. 130
888-245-8333
visionsvcb.org/visions/programs/vcb/

VCB is a residential rehabilitation and training center offering educational programs and social activities for youth, adults, and family. VCB runs on the weekends all year, and full time during the summer. All services are free.

Check out this
great tool for finding
health resources!

The Health Information Tool for Empowerment is designed to help social service providers connect their clients to services. The tool can be used by anyone.

Visit hitesite.org to use the directory.

HIV/AIDS SERVICES

BED-STUY

God's Love We Deliver

630 Flushing Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11206
212-294-8100
glwd.org

Delivers home-cooked meals to individuals who are too sick to provide food for themselves. Provides education and support about nutritious meals. Call to start the process of becoming a client.

BROOKLYN

Bridging Access to Care

2261 Church Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11226
347-505-5100
bac-ny.org/ny/

Services include: support groups, case management services, HIV testing and counseling, housing services, and an emergency shelter. BAC has additional locations in Prospect Heights, Williamsburg, and Crown Heights.

CFPC Health Center- CABS Community Health Center

94-98 Manhattan Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11206
718-388-0390
chnnyc.org/our-locations/cabs-health-center

Offers HIV education, testing, and treatment, and social services. Also provides a wide range of other health services.

Diaspora Community Services

182 4th Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11217
718-399-0200
diasporacs.org

Offers case management to people and families with Medicaid for a variety of conditions, including HIV. Current program services include access to quality health services, adequate housing, job training, education, and the social support services critical to meeting basic needs while focusing on impacting poverty.

Downstate Medical Center - HIV Center for Women and Children & STAR Health Center

470 Clarkson Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11203
718-270-3745
downstate.edu/hiv/

Offers outpatient medical care to HIV positive adults including patient education, care coordination, counseling, and social work services. Also provides referrals for HIV+ children to the Infant Child and Learning Center.

HASA Center

94 Flatbush Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11217
718-923-5861
nyc.gov/site/hra/help/hiv-aids-services.page

HASA can help clients with individualized service plans to target necessary benefits and provide support that is specific to their medical situation and that will enhance their well-being. HASA clients receive ongoing case management and are assigned to a caseworker at one of our HASA centers. Call 212-971-0626 to apply to become a client.

Heartshare Human Services of New York

Community Follow-Up Program
2865 West 19th Street
Brooklyn, NY 11224
718-372-0580

Residential Services
123 Linden Blvd. 2nd Floor
Brooklyn, NY, 11226
347-770-8155

heartshare.org/programs/hiv-aids-services/

The Community Follow-Up Program provides individual and family-centered case management services connecting those with HIV or those at risk with services. Also offers residential services to individuals and families in order to help them find a suitable apartment or home in Brooklyn or Queens. They also maintain contact with families and arrange group trips with other families.

HOMELESSNESS

FOR FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN

Children Under 21:

Prevention Assistance and Temporary Housing (PATH)

151 East 151st Street
Bronx, NY
917-521-3900

nyc.gov/html/dhs/html/housing/families.shtml

Families with children under 21, or families with pregnant women must go to this center with their whole family to apply for shelter. Open 24/7. Directions: On the subway take the 2, 4, or 5 train to 149th Street/Grand Concourse Station. Head west on E. 149th Street toward Grand Concourse. Walk north on Grand Concourse two blocks, to E. 151st Street and turn left. Walk two blocks to Walton Avenue. The PATH office is located at the corner on your right.

Children Over 21:

Adult Family Intake Center

400-430 East 30th Street
New York, NY 10016
212-481-4704

nyc.gov/html/dhs/html/housing/adult.shtml

For families with no children under 21, open 24/7. Directions: On the subway take the 6 train to 28th Street. Walk east to 1st Avenue and turn left, heading north to 30th Street. On the bus take the M15 to 29th St.

FOR SINGLE INDIVIDUALS

Men:

30th St. Intake

400 East 30th Street
New York, NY 10016
212-607-6041

For men over 18 who aren't accompanied by other adults or minors. Open 24/7. Directions: On the subway Take the 6 train to 28th Street. Walk east to 1st Avenue and turn left, heading north to 30th Street. Entrance is now at 30th Street and 1st Avenue.

Women:

Help Brooklyn Women's Shelter

116 Williams Ave
Brooklyn, NY 11207
718-483-7700

For women over 18 who aren't accompanied by other adults or minors. Directions: Take the C train to Liberty Avenue.

FOR SURVIVORS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

Call the **Hope Hotline at 800-621-HOPE** for a domestic violence shelter placement. If there are no places available, go through the PATH center and ask for the NOVA program, which will make another effort to find a DV shelter.

DROP-IN CENTERS

At these centers, you can get clothing, hot meals, medical attention, shower and laundry facilities, and assistance finding shelter.

24 Hours:

Mainchance

120 East 32nd Street in East Midtown
Subway: 6 to 33rd Street

The Living Room

800 Barretto Street, Bronx
Subway: 6 to Hunts Point Avenue

OPEN FROM 7:30AM TO 8:30PM

Olivieri Center

257 West 30th Street near Penn Station
Subway: 1/2/3/A/C/E to 34th Street – Penn Station

The Gathering Place

2402 Atlantic Avenue in Brooklyn
Subway: A to Broadway Junction

Project Hospitality

25 Central Avenue in Staten Island
Subway: No subway service

FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

Covenant House

460 West 41st Street
New York, NY 10036-6801
212-613-0300
ny.covenanthouse.org

Open 24/7, 365 days a year. Provides immediate assistance to homeless youth and aids them in creating a personal plan to achieve their goals. The youth shelter is open intake.

Safe Horizon Streetwork Project

Harlem Homeless Drop-In Center

209 W. 125th. Street
New York, NY 10027
212-695-2220

Lower East Side Homeless Drop-In Center

33 Essex Street
New York, NY 10002
646-602-6404

safehorizon.org/page/streetwork-project-helping-homeless-youth-68.html

Provides shelter and services for teens and young adults younger than 24. Call Teen and Youth Homelessness Hotline at 800-708-6600.

Call 1-800-RUNAWAY for shelter availability or counseling

Call 1-800-246-4646 for crisis intervention and Information Referral Hotline for Youth

OTHER HELPFUL HOMELESS RESOURCES

Coalition for the Homeless

129 Fulton Street, New York, NY 10038
212-964-5900
coalitionforthehomeless.org

Provide services to help with housing, job training, emergency food, crisis intervention, and youth programs. Crisis Intervention walk-in hours begin at 9AM Monday – Friday. They see a limited number of people on a first come, first serve basis, so it is advised to get there no later than 8AM.

HOUSING

BED-STUY

Churches United for Fair Housing

66 Whipple Street
Brooklyn, NY 11206
718-360-2906
cuffh.org

Offers affordable housing workshops to assist individuals with the application process, and go over the credentials to be eligible. Workshops occur once or twice per week and last about 30 minutes. One-on-one help is offered after the presentation for those who need it. Also offers general housing advice and assistance.

Neighborhood Housing Services of NYC

Bed-Stuy

1012 Gates Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11221
718-919-2100

East Flatbush

2806 Church Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11226
718-469-4679

nhsnyc.org

Offers low interest and high-risk loans to home and building owners for emergency repairs and renovations. Offers homeownership education programs including financial planning and foreclosure intervention. Also provides a first-time homebuyer program that offers education and counseling around buying a home.

BROOKLYN

Brooklyn Neighborhood Improvement Association

1482 St. Johns Place, Suite 1C
Brooklyn, NY 11213
718-773-4116
thebnia.org

Provides counseling to homeowners at risk of losing their home to foreclosure, provides housing counseling and referrals, tenant organizing, and transitional housing.

CAMBA Homebase

1117 Eastern Parkway
Brooklyn, NY 11213
718-622-7323
camba.org/programs/housing/homelessnessprevention/homebase

Provides a variety of homelessness prevention services to assist families and individuals who are at risk of entering the shelter system, including financial workshops, case management, employment services, legal services, and rental and utility assistance.

Housing Court Answers

141 Livingston Street
Brooklyn NY, 11201
Second Floor Clerk's Office – Room 202
212-962-4795
cwtfhc.org

A great resource for information about Housing Court. Housing Court Answers helps people without lawyers at their information tables in the city's Housing Courts, on their hotline, and through their website. Hotline is open 9AM to 5PM Monday - Friday, information tables are available Monday - Friday 9AM to 1PM and 2PM to 4:30PM to answer questions and provide referrals to legal services.

Rental Assistance One Shot Deals

If you are behind your rent due to an emergency you may be eligible for a "one shot deal" to help you get back on your feet.

Call HRA at 718-557-1399 for more info or visit your local job center. Visit nyc.gov/site/hra/locations/job-locations.page for a list of job centers.

Neighbors Helping Neighbors

462 36th Street
Brooklyn, NY 11232
718-686-7946

Affiliated with Fifth Avenue Committee. Offers counseling for tenants, those dealing with eviction or foreclosure, and first-time homebuyers. Tenants who wish to speak with a counselor can go to the office between 10AM and 4PM on Monday (no appointment necessary), call, or e-mail info@nhnhome.org.

St. Nicks Alliance - Tenant Services

306 Union Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11211
718-388-9190
stnicksalliance.org/SNA/

For residents having problems with their landlords, St. Nicks Alliance offers counseling by experienced professionals. They train residents in the following areas: housing rights, sustainable practices, financial wherewithal (understanding credit, managing money), first-time homebuyer education. Call and ask to speak to a Tenant Services Professional.

Behind on rent payments?

FEPS is a housing supplement that helps prevent evictions and provides rental support to families receiving public assistance for up to five years. In order to be eligible, families must have a child under 18 living in the household and must be facing eviction for non-payment of rent.

Get help online!

Below are some websites with useful information about common housing concerns:

New York City Department of Housing Preservation & Development

nyc.gov/site/hpd/index.page

Rental Assistance

portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/states/new_york/renting

Resources for Apartment Seekers

nyc.gov/site/hpd/renters/other-rental-lotteries.page

HUNGER

If you have access to the internet, visit nyc.gov/dhs for resources and answers to questions about city services.

SOUP KITCHENS

Bethany United Methodist Church

1208 St. John's Place
Brooklyn, NY 11213
718-774-6753
12:30PM-2:30PM Tuesday

Bridge Street Missionary Feeding Program

277 Stuyvesant Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11221
718-452-3936
11AM-1:30PM Wednesday

Calvary AME Church

790 Herkimer Street
Brooklyn, NY 11233
718-756-8930
12:30PM-2PM Tuesday

Cathedral of Joy CDC

43 George Street
Brooklyn, NY 11206
718-213-6957
9AM-10:30AM & 12PM-1:30PM Tuesday

Crossover Baptist Church Comm.

Outreach Help Cntr.
358 Kosciusko Street
Brooklyn, NY 11221
718-871-4953
12PM-2PM Wednesday
9AM-11PM Tuesday/Thursday
12PM-2PM Saturday

Hebron SDA Church

1256 Dean Street
Brooklyn, NY 11216
718-773-7463
12PM-2PM Sunday

FOOD PANTRIES

Act of Faith Ministries

141 Manhattan Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11206
718-570-8277 / 516-852-5934
12PM-2PM Thursday

Agape Social Services Beulah Church

929 Marcy Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11216
718-484-3823
10:30AM-2PM Tuesday/Thursday

All People's Church Apostolic Faith, Inc.

182 Tompkins Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11206
718-782-3703
10AM- 11PM Saturday

Bed-Stuy Campaign Against Hunger

2004 Fulton Street
Brooklyn, NY 11233
718-773-3551 ext.151
10AM-3PM Monday Tuesday
bedstuyagainsthunger.org

Bedford Central Presbyterian Church

1200 Dean Street
Brooklyn, NY 11216
718-467-0740
1PM-2PM Thursday

Bethel Sunshine Camp

344 Tompkins Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11216
347-530-0718
9AM-1PM Tuesday/Friday

Bethany House/St. Christopher

164 Suydam Street
Brooklyn, NY 11221
718-574-6300
11AM-1PM Thursday

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Bible Faith Tabernacle

1368 St. John's Place
Brooklyn, NY 11213
347-756-9546
12PM-1PM Wednesday and Thursday
biblefaithworld.org

Black Veterans for Social Justice

665 Willoughby Ave.
Brooklyn, NY 11206
718-852-6004 ext.263
12PM-3PM Friday
bvsj.org

Los Sures Food Pantry

145 South 3rd Street
Brooklyn, NY 11211
718-599-1940
8:30AM to 5PM Tuesday

Salvation Army

601 Lafayette Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11216
718-622-0614
10AM-12PM Wednesday

St. John's Bread and Life Program

795 Lexington Ave
Brooklyn, NY 11221
718-574-0058
breadandlife.org

Runs a soup kitchen Monday - Friday from 8AM to 9:30AM and 10:30AMto 12:30PM. Offers food pantry open Monday- Thursday 8AM to noon and Friday from 9AM to noon for seniors 55 and over. Also provides a wide range of social services including legal services, SNAP assistance, and medical services.

SNAP

How to apply for food stamps

1. Go to nyc.gov/accessnyc and select "Apply Now"
2. Create an account –make a username and password and be sure to save this information
3. Fill out the following multiple page questionnaire which asks about income, family size, expenses, etc.
4. After the survey is complete, you will be contacted via phone for an interview. After the interview, your benefits will be activated.

Check out foodbanknyc.org and click "Find Help" to locate food pantries and soup kitchens near you

LEGAL SERVICES

LEGAL SERVICES FOR FAMILIES AND YOUTH

Advocates for Children

151 West 30th Street, 5th Floor
New York, NY 10001
212-947-9779
advocatesforchildren.org

Offers free legal services and advocacy for students dealing with a violation of their rights. Also offers free education and training on student and parents rights among other issues. Call hotline at 1-866-427-6033 Monday - Thursday, 10 AM - 4 PM for information and guidance on education related matters.

Association for the Help of Retarded Children

83 Maiden Lane, 11th Floor
New York, NY 10038
212-780-2500
212-780-2586- Legal Services
ahrcnyc.org

Provides assistance with obtaining guardianship of a disabled family member under 18. Assistance with legal issues related to a family member with a developmental disability is available on a limited basis.

Council on Adoptable Children

589 Eighth Avenue, 15th floor
New York, NY 10018
212-475-0222
coac.org

Offers legal assistance to help families with adopted children or those living with HIV to address issues including public benefits, wills, adoptions, guardianships, healthcare proxies and permanency planning. Also offers a number of counseling and referral services to families with adopted children or who are looking to adopt.

If a loved one has been detained in New York State, call the Legal Aid Society Immigration Hotline for assistance (212) 577-3456 Wednesdays and Fridays from 1PM - 5PM.

Family Law Hotline Information Hotline

212-343-1122

Monday-Friday from 9:00AM - 5:00 PM

You can also leave a message any time and they will call you back. Accepts collect calls from incarcerated parents. The Hotline provides free information about family law, Family Court procedure, and related matters including child welfare policy and child support regulations. Se habla Español.

Covenant House

460 West 41st Street, New York, NY 10036-6801
212-613-0300
ny.covenanthouse.org

Provides legal services to runaway, homeless, and at-risk youth and works with case managers to create a comprehensive plan for the client. Covenant House also provides Know Your Rights workshops for youth.

The Door

555 Broome Street
New York, NY 10013
212-941-9090
door.org

Offers legal counseling for undocumented immigrants, people in foster care, people who are homeless, in need of public benefits, being victimized or stalked, or need help with family law. There is also a criminal law clinic every Thursday from 3PM to 5 PM for young adults who are currently involved in the criminal justice system. To make an appointment walk in Monday - Friday from 2PM to 5PM or call 212-941-9090 ext. 3280.

The Family Center - Legal Services

493 Nostrand Avenue, 3rd Floor,
Brooklyn, NY 11216
718-230-1379 ext.150
thefamilycenter.org

Provides legal counsel for those in need of help with housing, income maintenance, family law, or lifetime planning.

MEDIATION AND DISPUTE RESOLUTION

BROOKLYN

New York Peace Institute (Safe Horizon) Brooklyn Mediation Center

210 Joralemon Street, Room 618
Brooklyn, NY 11201
718-834-6671
nypeace.org

Offers free mediation for almost all types of disputes as an alternative to the lengthy and expensive court process. Both parties will be contacted by a case manager who will then work with them to create a solution that works for both parties. Call or go online to complete request form.

Legal Referral Services of the New York City Bar Association

42 West 44th Street
New York, NY 10036
212-626-7373 (English)
212-626-7374 (Spanish)
nycbar.org

Call to get connected with ADR services. After describing your dispute you will be provided with dispute resolution programs and information about attorneys who are experienced in the area of your dispute.

MANHATTAN

Center for Mediation and Training

111 W. 90th Street
New York, NY 10024
212-799-4302
divorcemediation.com

Couples meet with a trained mediator to discuss and resolve all the important points you need for a complete agreement and possible divorce. Mediation lasts three to six months and costs much less than lawyer fees.

CUNY Dispute Resolution Center John Jay College

524 West 59th Street, Room 3263N
New York, NY 10019
212-237-8692
johnjayresearch.org/cdrc/

Provides online resources for those interested in mediation as well as trainings and links to events throughout NYC. Check the website or call to learn about becoming a mediator.

QUEENS

Community Mediation Services

89-64 163rd Street
Jamaica, NY 11432
718-523-6868
mediatenyc.org

CMS provides free mediation services for a variety of issues including housing disputes, interpersonal disputes, juvenile delinquency disputes, and civil court disputes. Call for more information.

MENTAL HEALTH RESOURCES

BED-STUY

Interborough Development and Consultation Center Inc.

790 Broadway
Brooklyn, NY 11206
718-388-5175
interborough.org/index.php

Provides mental health services to adults, adolescents, and children, including, anger management, trauma treatment, therapy, marital counseling, medication management, and more. Affordable fees are created on a sliding scale, based on payment ability and individual needs. Medicaid, Medicare, Crime Victims Benefits, and most insurance plans are accepted. Open Monday-Thursday 8AM - 10PM, Friday 8AM - 4PM, and Sunday 8AM - 8PM. Also has locations in Flatbush and Crown Heights.

BROOKLYN

Community Counseling and Mediation

810 Classon Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11238
718-230-5100
ccmny.org

Mental health clinic offering treatment services including: individual, group and family counseling; psychological, psychiatric and psychosocial assessments and diagnosis; and psychopharmacology. Also offers alcohol and substance abuse programs, and health services for people living with HIV/AIDS. Accepts Medicaid or \$35 per session.

CABS Health Center

94-98 Manhattan Avenue, #98
Brooklyn, NY 11206
718-388-0390
chnnyc.org/our-locations/cabs-health-center

Center has trained social workers who can provide private and supportive counseling on family and relationship issues, HIV/AIDS, depression, sexual abuse, domestic violence, and drug abuse. Also has outpatient mental health treatment program that offers therapy, psychiatric evaluations, and help managing medication.

East New York Diagnostic and Treatment Center

2094 Pitkin Avenue
Brooklyn, New York 11207
718-240-0400
nyc.gov/html/hhc/html/about/About-HospServices-PrimaryPre-EastNY.shtml

Offers a range of health services for children and adults. The Child and Adolescent Mental Health Clinic provides psychiatric assessment and treatment for children upto 18 years of age. Offers therapy for families affected by HIV/AIDS. Provides psychological testing and screening for learning disabilities. Offers assessment and treatment for patients who have experienced severe trauma. Call to get information about financial assistance.

Highland Park Clinic

2581 Atlantic Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11207
718-495-6700
iclinc.net/search-results/highland-park-clinic/

Licensed mental health clinic serving adults, children and families in the Brownsville and Central Brooklyn communities. A skilled staff of social workers and psychiatrists provides individual, family and group therapy, psychopharmacology, health assessments, health monitoring and crisis intervention services. Accepts Medicare and Medicaid.

1-800-LIFENET (1-800-543-3638)
is a free, confidential help line for
New York City residents.

You can call 24 hours per day/7 days per week.

The hotline's staff of trained mental health professionals help callers find mental health and substance abuse services.

For Spanish call 1-877-298-3373,
1-877-990-8585 for Korean and Chinese callers,
and 1-212-982-5284 for TTY.

RE-ENTRY SERVICES AND RESOURCES

For a more extensive list of re-entry resources, see the S.O.S. Re-entry Resource Directory available at crownheights.org/sos/resources/.

Looking for a job & have a criminal record?
Call the National HIRE Network for some assistance at 212-243-1313.

BED-STUY

Ready, Willing, and Able

520 Gates Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11216
718-628-3223
doe.org/rwa.cfm

Uses paid transitional work and a holistic, individualized service package to catapult individuals into the workforce and out of cycles of homelessness, crime, and addiction. Serves formerly homeless and incarcerated individuals by providing job training and placement, housing, case management, and drug relapse programming. Call to enroll.

Reconnect

139 Tompkins Avenue
Brooklyn, NY, 11206
347-406-9780
reconnectcommunity.org

Offers employment to young men in Bed-Stuy at their café, bakery, and graphics shop. Their mission is to offer employment that leads to renewed engagement of education, training and commitment to community leadership and service.

BROOKLYN

The Osborne Association

175 Remsen Street, Suite 800
Brooklyn NY, 11201
718-637-6560
osborneny.org/index.cfm

Offers opportunities for individuals who have been in conflict with the law to transform their lives through a number of programs. Offers assistance with health management, family support, job development and training, court advocacy, and community services. Visit website to explore full range of services or call for more information.

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Center for Employment Opportunities (CEO)

50 Broadway, Suite 1604
New York, NY 10004
212-422-4430
ceoworks.org

Open Monday through Friday, 9 to 5. CEO helps people who are under parole supervision—as well as probationers in New York City—find and keep jobs. The CEO Program includes: Five-day pre-employment workshop, Resume and Interview Help by Job Coaches, Transitional Employment, Job search and job matching with our Job Developers. E-mail enroll@ceoworks.org or check website for orientation times and locations.

Exodus Transitional Community

2271 Third Avenue, Second Floor
(Between 123rd & 124th Streets)
New York, NY 10035
917-492-0990
etcny.org

Provides supportive services to men and women who are in transition from incarceration to full reintegration into their communities. Offers job development, anger management and substance abuse, and HSE preparation. Immediate support services such as interview and work clothing, SNAP and Medicaid sign-up, daily hot meals, and special trainings on a variety of topics.

QUEENS

The Fortune Society

29-76 Northern Boulevard
Long Island City, NY 11101
212-691-7554
fortunesociety.org

Offers a wide range of services to incarcerated and formerly incarcerated individuals. Professionals can provide assistance with housing, employment services, education, family services, alternatives to incarceration, mental health services, substance abuse treatment, health services, drop-in services, preparing for release, and help applying for benefits. No appointment is necessary, call or stop by to learn more.

SENIOR, VETERAN, AND DISABLED SERVICES

SECTION 202 IN BED-STUY

Bridge Street Senior Housing

864 Gates Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11221
516-285-7500

C.A.B.S. Elderly Housing

590 Dekalb Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11205
718-443-4766

Concord Senior Citizen Housing

375 Putnam Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11216
516-285-7500

Cornerstone Senior Housing

550 Greene Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11216
516-285-7500

Elijah Smith Senior Citizens Housing

385 Throop Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11221
516-285-7500

Lucille Rose Manor

364 Vernon Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11206
212-665-5500

Robert H. Moore Senior Housing

1 Vernon Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11206
212-665-5500

SENIOR CENTERS

Fort Greene Albany Neighborhood Center

196 Albany Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11213
718-773-2600
fortgreenecouncil.org/#!/albany-nsc/c1du

Serves members age 60 and older. Open Monday-Friday 9AM-5PM. Offers breakfast, lunch, and dinner on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Also offers activities, fitness and health classes, and educational programs. Check the website for a calendar of events.

Fort Greene Stuyvesant Heights Neighborhood Center

69 MacDonough Street
Brooklyn, NY 11216
718- 230- 0824
fortgreenecouncil.org/#!/stuyvesant-heights-nsc/c15u8

Serves members age 60 and older. Open Monday-Friday 9AM-5PM. Offers lunch from 12PM - 1PM. Also provides case assessment and social services, activities, fitness and health classes, and educational programs. Check the website for a calendar of events.

Los Sures "David Santiago" Senior Center

201 South 4th Street
Brooklyn, NY 11211
718-384-2314
southsideunitedhdfc.org/index.php/about-us/our-work/social-services/senior-center

Adults age 60 and older can become members for free. Open from 9AM to 4PM Monday - Friday. Offers a wide range of activities and serves lunch at noon. Check website for activities calendar.

Maria Lawton Neighborhood Center

400 Hart Street
Brooklyn, NY 11206
718-452-7474
fortgreenecouncil.org/#!/maria-lawton-nsc/c218o

Serves members age 60 and older. Offers breakfast, lunch, and dinner on Wednesday and Thursday. Also offers activities, fitness and health classes, and educational programs. Check the website for a calendar of events.

Discounts for those with Military IDs!

Check out this comprehensive list of stores that offer discounts to veterans
veteransresources.org/military-discounts/#.VgxF749Viko

Wayside Tompkins Park Senior Center

550 Greene Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11216
718-638-3000

Offers a wide range of services including: two nutritious hot meals served five days per week, information and referrals to services five days per week, Home Care, Social Security, SSI, Medicaid, Medicare, Food Stamps, Health Promotion Workshops, Medical Screening, Exercise and Nutrition Classes, Computer Training, Arts & Craft, Music. Open Monday-Friday 8AM-4PM.

SENIOR RESOURCES

Brooklyn Office for the Aging

111 Livingston Street, 7th Floor
Brooklyn, NY 11201
718-645-3111
legal-aid.org

Services are provided for elderly Brooklyn residents age 60 and older with civil legal problems. Regular outreach and training is provided at designated senior citizen centers. The office also operates a pro bono wills project and routinely provides home visits and social work services. Call for an appointment.

Brooklyn Alzheimer's Disease Assistance Center (BADAC) at SUNY Downstate Medical Center

450 Clarkson Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11203
718-270-1000
downstate.edu/brooklyn-alzheimersdac/index.html

The Center offers comprehensive assessment and a full range of treatment for memory disorders. They provide counseling and educational services along with comprehensive memory evaluations including psychiatric, neurological and physical examination. They also offer a support group for caregivers and a patient activities group.

**Check out aging.ny.gov
for resources and information!**



You might qualify for **SCRIE, the Senior Citizen Rent Increase Exemption**, which offers eligible tenants a freeze in the amount of rent they pay. Call 311 or visit nyc.gov/nyc-resources/service/2424/senior-citizen-rent-increase-exemption-scrie.

ReServe

633 Third Avenue, 6th Floor
New York, NY 10017
212-727-4335
reserveinc.org

Connects adults age 55 and over with part-time jobs at non-profit organizations and offers an hourly stipend. Call for application and placement information.

Social Security Office

1540 Fulton Street
Brooklyn, NY 11216
1-800-772-1213
socialsecurity.gov

Offers assistance with applying for retirement or disability and help with social security and Medicaid card replacements. Offers a number of services online. Check website for more information.

St. Nicks Alliance - Assisted Living Program

306 Union Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11211
718-782-3390 ext. 221
stnicksalliance.org/SNA

The ALP is licensed by the New York State Department of Health to provide Medicaid-funded home care services to seniors who need help with their daily activities. Call for more information.

St. Nicks Alliance- Home Care Services

306 Union Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11211
718-388-5654 ext. 210
stnicksalliance.org/SNA/

Offers home care for Medicaid-eligible Brooklyn residents. Staff works with clients and clients' families to create a suitable plan and are on call 24/7. Call to get assistance with the application process.

DISABILITY RESOURCES

Heights and Hills

57 Willoughby Street, 4th Floor
Brooklyn, NY, 11201
718-596-8789
heightsandhills.org

Provides free caregiver services to adults over 60 and their caregivers. Social workers can help caregivers navigate the healthcare maze, help caregivers understand the legal issues, provide caregivers with information and assistance, offer supportive and confidential counseling in an individual and/or group setting, offer information to caregivers on appropriate benefits and entitlements for the older person in their lives, and assist when there is a caregiving emergency. To access caregiver services leave a message at ext. 301 describing your needs.

God's Love We Deliver

166 6th Avenue
New York, NY 10013
212-294-8102 or 800-747-2023
glwd.org

Prepares and delivers food to men, women, and children living with HIV/AIDS, cancer, Alzheimer's Disease, ALS, Parkinson's disease and other life-altering illnesses, in addition to their families and caregivers. Call the client services department to start the referral process.

Helping Hands for the Disabled of NYC

P.O. Box 9174
Astoria, New York 11103
773-572-6327
hhdnyc.org/Home.html

Coordinates volunteers to assist disabled people 18 years and older on social outings and with chores. Membership is \$20 per calendar year. To become a member send name, address, phone number,

SSI (Disability) How to Apply

1. Go to ssa.gov and select "Apply for Disability."
2. Start a new application and be sure to keep a record of your application information.
3. Fill out the following questionnaire.
4. You will be contacted within a few days for an interview to determine if/when you will receive your benefits.

cell phone number, email, nature of your disability, and any additional information along with a check to address above or call for more information. Also offers food pantry for disabled people.

Dr. Theodore A. Atlas Foundation

543 Cary Avenue
Staten Island, NY 10310
718-980-7037
info@dratlasfoundation.com
dratlasfoundation.com

Helps families, children, and single adults with specific needs. Call or e-mail to get connected with services.

RESOURCES FOR VETERANS

Brooklyn Veterans Center

25 Chapel Street, Suite 604
Brooklyn, NY 11201
718-630-2830

Open Monday - Saturday 9AM to 5PM.

Goodwill- Operation GoodJobs

111 East 59th Street, 10th Floor
New York, NY 10022
718-361-5415

Operation: GoodJobs offers career assessment, individualized career planning, financial education, job placement and career advancement services, transitional services, family support services, assistance with child care, support for spouse and other family members.

SUBSTANCE ABUSE

Alcohol Abuse Help for Abusers and Families

Adult Children of Alcoholics
adultchildren.org

NCAAD Hotline 800-622-2255

Alcoholics Anonymous (Intergroup) 212-647-1680

Alcoholics Anonymous (Intergroup Brooklyn)
718-851-3039

Al-Anon (For Families and Abusers) 212-941-0094

Al-Anon (For Families of Abusers) 800-939-2770

ALATEEN And ALA-Preteen (For teens 9-19)
212-941-0094

Drug Abuse Help for Abusers and Families

**Co-Anon Family Groups
(For Families of Cocaine Users)** 480-442-3869

Cocaine Anonymous 212-262-2463

New York Addiction Helpline 800-522-5353

Families Anonymous 800-736-9805

Marijuana Addicts Anonymous 800-766-6779

**Nar-Anon Family Groups
(For Families of Narcotics Users)** 800-477-6291

Narcotics Anonymous 212-929-6262

Pills Anonymous 212-874-0700

BED-STUY

Bedford Stuyvesant Alcoholism Treatment Center
722 Myrtle Street
Brooklyn, NY 11205
718-636-4200

The treatment center provides outpatient, partial hospitalization, and residential long-term treatment care. Payments via Medicaid, state financed insurance, and Medicare are accepted. Payment assistance is offered on a case-by-case basis (check with facility for specifics).

Interfaith Medical Center
1545 Atlantic Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11213
718-613-4330
718-613-4450 (Outpatient Program)
718-613-4784 (Rehab Program)
interfaithmedical.com

Offers inpatient detox and rehab, and an outpatient program. For detox services go to emergency room located at address above. The outpatient program lasts six months and is 5 days per week from 9:30AM to 1:30PM, offering individual and group sessions. Call to schedule an appointment for intake.

Paul J. Cooper Center for Human Services
510 Gates Avenue
Brooklyn NY 11216
718-346-5900
pauljcooper.org

Offers chemical dependency treatment program for adults 18 and over. Accepts Medicaid or self pay on a sliding scale. Offers four group sessions Monday - Friday and schedules one individual session each week. Call or go online and fill out a chemical dependency form.

Want to stop smoking?

Coney Island Hospital Smoking Cessation Program: 718-616-5039

Downstate Medical Center Tobacco Education Program: 718-270-8846

Kings County Smoking Cessation Program: 718-245-2782

YOUTH PROGRAMS AND FAMILY RESOURCES

HELPFUL WEBSITES

Reach Out

us.reachout.com

Has factsheets and resources on a variety of issues that young people have questions about as well as online and over the phone access to experts.

Visit nyc.gov/html/doh/html/services/vr.shtml for information on how to get a birth or death certificate.

SUMMER OPPORTUNITIES

Ananse Shield Group- Leadership Academy

P.O. Box 3942

New York, NY 10185-3942

347-918-4090

ananseshield.org/index.php/youth-programs/leadership-academy

Four-week intensive academic enrichment summer program for high school students to help students gain exposure to new career opportunities and explore academic options after high school. Application is online.

Downtown Community Television Center- Summer Media Fellowship

87 Lafayette Street

New York, NY 10013

212-966-4510

dctvny.org/youth/activities/summer-fellowship

Summer fellowship where students learn collaborative filmmaking and media arts, media literacy, video production and editing, as well as storytelling through digital video production. Participating students create narrative, documentary, or experimental short films and develop web content. Available to NYC students ages 14-24. Look online for application.

Department of Parks and Recreation Summer Camps

Call 311

nycgovparks.org/reg/summercamp

The NYC Parks Experience Summer Day Camp program is an exciting chance for children ages 6 to 13 to have a fun-filled summer! Your child will engage in sports, fitness, and outdoor adventure and take part in many of New York City's rich cultural and educational opportunities. Registration fills quickly and occurs in March.

Department of Youth and Community Development - Summer Youth Employment Program

application.nycsyep.com

The Summer Youth Employment Program (SYEP) provides New York City youth between the ages of 14 and 24 with paid summer employment for up to six weeks in July and August. SYEP also provides workshops on job readiness, career exploration, financial literacy and opportunities to continue education and social growth. Applications open in March.

Groundswell Summer Leadership Institute

540 President Street, Suite 1A

Brooklyn, NY 11215

718-254 9782

The Summer Leadership Institute (SLI), is a summer job training program for up to 100 youth. Seven teams of youth spend seven weeks working with professional artists and community-based organizations, learning job skills and creating public art for their neighborhoods. Look online for application.

AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES

Bedford YMCA After-School Programs

1121 Bedford Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11216
718-789-1497
ymcanyc.org

Curriculum focuses on learning enhancement, health and recreation, and building competence and confidence in children. The program runs every regular school day, from 3PM to 6 PM in a supervised and structured environment, providing a safe after school alternative for children. Y After School is offered at low or no cost to parents.

Brooklyn Arts Exchange Youth Education Department

421 Fifth Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11215
718-832-0018

Provides expert instruction in building technical skills in dance, theater, and tumbling with an emphasis on cultivating creative expression. Offers over 45 classes for students ages 1-18. Programs include a broad range of youth classes, performances and festivals. At BAX, no student is turned away based on the inability to pay. They offer scholarship assistance for all education programs, and approximately 20% of the student population receives some level of financial assistance.

Brooklyn Children's Museum

145 Brooklyn Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11213
718-735-4400
brooklynkids.org

Museum for children of all ages filled with awesome indoor and outdoor exhibits and activities! Offers afterschool programs and camps. Check website for details on events, fees, and calendar.

CAMBA Elite at P.S. 3

50 Jefferson Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11216
347-598-1448
camba.org/programs/educationyouthdevelopment/comprehensiveafterschoolsystem#ps3

After school enrichment program that serves children grades K-5 during the school year, during the summer, and on most school holidays. For P.S. 3 students, priority given to past participants and their children.

Community Counseling and Mediation- Programs for Youth

810 Classon Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11238
718-230-5100
ccmnyc.org

Offers academic, social and emotional enhancement to youth of all ages. Through their programs, children and adolescents receive educational assistance, learn leadership skills, form meaningful connections with adults, and develop the competencies they need to make a successful transition from youth to adulthood. The Out of School Time Program utilizes after school and summer hours to develop young people's capabilities.

El Puente

311 Central Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11221
718-452-0404
elpuente.us

Offers programs for ages 13 – 19, Monday through Friday, 3PM - 6PM. Activities include tutoring, homework help, college prep, drama, visual arts (painting, photography), spoken word, health & wellness, leadership training, Community Action Project and internships.

USEFUL NUMBERS

Department of Youth and Community Development (DYCD)

311

nyc.gov/dycd

Partnership for After School Education

212-571-2664

ACS (Administration for Children Services)

212-341-0900

Advocates for Children 212-947-9779

Big Brother Big Sister NYC 212-686-2042

Child Support Enforcement Help 888-208-4485

Child Care and Head Start Referrals 311

Child Abuse and Neglect 800-342-3720

Community Service Society 212-674-7787

The mission of the Police Athletic League Wynn Center is to significantly, enthusiastically, and passionately create opportunities that allow the children of the Bedford-Stuyvesant community to put the values of education into practice, thereby developing their self worth and community. Located at 495 Gates Avenue the center offers four programs to help children excel.

- From 3PM to 6PM Monday through Friday PAL's afterschool program aims to make a positive difference in the academic success and in the artistic, recreational, and social development of 1st - 8th grade children. Offers academic assistance, arts instruction, and a nutrition program.
- PAL Summer Day Camp programs are designed to stimulate learning, foster creativity, and facilitate an appreciation of cultural diversity. Check website for more information.
- Hosts an Evening Teen Center that offers opportunities for youth between the age of 14 - 19 to engage in sports and recreation, prevention education, life skills rap sessions, and one-on-one positive peer and adult relationships.
- Site of OST programs, which are afterschool programs free of charge to young people. PAL offers Option 1 for elementary school students and high school students that are mainly recreational and Option 11, which trains teens to be recreational aids.

Call 718-230-8477 or visit palnyc.org for more information!

FATHERHOOD PROGRAMS

**CUNY Fatherhood Academy
LaGuardia Community College**
29-10 Thomson Avenue Room C-225
Long Island City, NY 11101
718-730-7336

Free 4 month, 3-day a week program, that helps fathers, ages 18-24, to earn a G.E.D., prepare for college, get work experience, explore careers, learn about parenting, and gain valuable information on your rights and responsibilities as a father.

DYCD- Fatherhood Initiative
800-246-4646
nyc.gov/html/dycd/html/family/fatherhood.shtml

DYCD has three program options to address the particular needs of the target populations: young fathers aged 16 – 24 years; fathers aged over 24 years, and fathers with prior involvement in the criminal justice system. Programs help fathers by providing them and their children with up to six months of case management, with follow-up services as needed for up to one year, and service plans that address five core areas: parenting skills development, effective co-parenting with the child’s guardian, employment/education, child support, child visitation/placement. Call to find the program location nearest you.

Osborne Association- Fatherhood Initiative
175 Remsen Street, 6th Floor
Brooklyn New York 11201
347-505-6629
osborneny.org/programs.cfm?programID=38

Returning home from prison or jail can present numerous challenges for fathers. This program supports fathers as they work to deepen connections to their children, partners, and/or their children’s caregivers. Provides individual and family counseling, mediation and conflict resolution, peer counseling and father-to-father mentoring, workshops on effective co-parenting, referrals to legal assistance, affordable paternity/DNA testing, and child support (OCSE), GED and/or ESOL classes or referrals, college placement program referrals, and three weeks of work-readiness training.

St. Nicks Alliance- Fatherhood Program
790 Broadway, 2nd Floor
(between Sumner Place and Fayette Street)
Brooklyn, NY
718-302-2057
stnicksalliance.org/SNA/

The Strong Fathers, Stronger Families Program is designed to help low-income fathers gain the resources they need to become good fathers. This program offers participants: case management, jobseeker preparation, parenting education and support, healthy relationship promotion, support services, child support assistance, and financial counseling.

STRIVE- Stronger Fathers Stronger Families
240 East 123rd Street, 3rd Floor
New York, NY 10035
646-335-0811
striveinternational.org

A program designed to help fathers learn to embrace fatherhood and to obtain the tools they need to have a positive impact on the lives of their children. Free services include: Embracing Your Fatherhood and Healthy and Productive Relationship Building classes, fast track to employment and employment advancement, skills training, computer basics, family court educational workshops, financial education, health screening, and peer mentorship.

UPNEXT
314 W 54th Street
New York, NY 10019
646-264-1343

Six-week training program to help unemployed men and/or non-custodial fathers develop job and family engagement skills. Participants complete job readiness training and learn family engagement skills. To enroll call number above.

FAMILY RESOURCES

Bed-Stuy Family Center

20 New York Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11216
718-622-9400

wearebcs.org/bcs/what_we_do/strengthen_families/preventative_services:en-us.html

Offers preventative services for families with children who are at risk of being placed in foster care. Call to schedule an interview with intake assistant. Services are free.

CAMBA: Beacon Center 269

1957 Nostrand Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11210
718-462-2597

camba.org/programs/educationyouthdevelopment/communitycenters/beaconcommunitycenters

Beacon 269 is a hub for youth, adults and families to access integrated and comprehensive services, including: academic interests (college prep and tours, financial literacy, history, journalism, STEM, tutoring); adult education (adult computer classes, adult basic education classes; arts (dance, step, filmmaking, media arts); Leadership and Youth Council; and sports and recreation (chess, karate, soccer). Services for K-12 and adults.

The Door

555 Broome Street
New York, NY 10013
212-941-9090
door.org

The Door provides a wide range of services to meet the needs of New York City youth aged 12-21. Programs include: primary health care, prenatal care and health education, mental health counseling, legal services, HSE, ESL, computer classes, tutoring and homework help, college preparation, career development services, job placement, meals, arts, and sports activities.

The Family Assessment Program (FAP)

345 Adams Street, 8th floor
Brooklyn, NY 11201
718-260-8550

Provides support to families who are struggling to deal with every day challenges. Through assessment, individualized advice, counseling, and referral to a range of community and home-based services, FAP works to strengthen families and reduce conflict.

IncludeNYC

116 East 16th Street, 5th floor
New York, NY 10003
212-677-4650
includenyc.org

Offers workshops, online resources, and a helpline for families with children with special needs. The resource line 212-677-4660 connects you with expert staff who can provide you information or make referrals to other professional and is open Monday through Friday 9AM to 3PM. Check website for upcoming workshops and for online resources.

Inside Schools

212-229-5471
insideschools.org

This website provides independent and thorough research about New York City Public Schools. A project of Advocates for Children, this website presents an independent review of schools, provides information for parents about how the school system works, and publishes news and resources about schools.

LYFE (Living for the Young Family Through Education)

Boys High School
832 Marcy Avenue
Brooklyn, NY 11216
718-622-4310 ext. 636
lyfenyc.org

LYFE is a NYC Department of Education program that provides free, high-quality childcare to children of student parents. Children between 8 months and three years are eligible. Check website for enrollment forms and information about additional sites.

North Brooklyn Coalition Against Family Violence

P.O. Box 110664
Brooklyn, NY, 11211
718-302-4073
northbrooklyncoalition.org/index.html

This program provides individual counseling to children/teens who are exposed to domestic violence and teens who are experiencing dating violence, in order to help them express themselves in a safe and comfortable environment. This program helps children decrease their feelings of isolation, self-blame and fear, and increase their self-esteem. It also helps teens learn other alternatives to express their frustration and communicate with their parents and learn about the dynamics of dating violence and learn tips to stay free from abuse. Sessions also work to mediate conflicts between their parents, and teach self-care and STD prevention.

PINS Preventative Program - Children's Aid Society

175 Remsen Street, 7th Floor Suite 700
Brooklyn, NY
718-625-8300
childrensaidsociety.org/juvenile-justice/long-term-pins-preventive-programs

Provides families access to ongoing family counseling and case management services. These programs focus on helping families develop the skills needed to cope with the stresses — including poverty, substance use, domestic violence and other intractable problems — that many PINS children and their families face. These programs also seek to reduce the number of PINS youngsters placed in foster care. Referrals are made through FAP.

Project Reach

39 Eldridge Street, 4th Floor
Chinatown, New York, 10002
212-966-4227
projectreachnyc.org

Provides group counseling for both men and women and one-on-one intensive counseling for young people in crisis and their families. Project Reach Youth also provides a variety of extracurricular activities. Check the website for a calendar with all their events.

The Single Parent Resource Center

228 East 45th Street, 5th Floor
New York, NY 10017
212-951-7030
singleparentusa.com/Our-Programs.html

Programs available for all single parents, including those who are living in transitional housing, struggling with substance abuse, or have been released from incarceration. Programs include a single fathers program, a mothers support group, parenting workshops, gambling prevention, and a single parents in recovery program. Programs for children and youth are also offered.

XMental Inc.

226 Hancock Street, Suite 3R
Brooklyn, NY 11216
347 295-0796
xmental.org

An organization devoted to creating a safe space for our youth to practice creative self-expression and develop positive mindsets, self confidence, and self awareness. Using the elements of hip-hop (graffiti, break dancing, dj-ing, mc'ing) they create opportunities for at-risk youth to showcase their work and engage with their communities in a positive manner. Check website for details about events.

Youth Action Programs and Homes Inc.

206 East 118th Street
New York, NY 10035
212-860-8170
youthaction.nyc

YouthBuild is a full-time, 9-month workforce development and high school equivalency preparation program that serves low-income young people aged 17-24. Each participant is assigned a case manager who works with them to meet individualized goals for their own progress. Youth Action Programs and Homes Inc. also offers afterschool programs for children 6-13 and housing development.

Youth Connect Information Services

1-800-246-4646
nyc.gov/dycd

Confidential resource and referral line for youth and families. Operates from 9AM-7PM Monday through Friday.

USEFUL GOVERNMENT NUMBERS

POLICE/FIRE

Fire and Police Emergencies: 911

79th Precinct: 718-636-6611

81st Precinct: 718-574-0411

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bk09@cb.nyc.gov

UTILITIES AND HOUSING

Sanitation: 718-756-7027
nyc.gov/site/dsny/index.page

Pest Control: 718-855-3019

Affordable Housing Hotline: 212-863-5610

NYCHA Emergency Repairs: 718-707-7771

Heat or Hot Water Complaints: 311

TRANSPORTATION

Amtrack: 800-872-7245

MTA Services: 511

New Jersey Transit: 973-275-5555

Port Authority Bus Terminal: 212-502-2200

JFK International Airport: 718-244-4444

La Guardia Airport: 718-533-3400

Newark International Airport: 973-961-6000

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Community Education Council

718-636-3212
cec13.org

MISCELLANEOUS CITY SERVICES

Restoration Plaza Post Office: 718-789-3072

Birth/Death Certificates: 212-788-4520

City Clerk/Marriage Licenses and Domestic Partnership Registration: 212-669-2400

Civilian Complaint Review Board: 800-341-2272

Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV):
212-645-5550

Department of Parks and Recreation: 311

Human Resources Administration: 718-557-1399

Medicare and Social Security: 800-772-1213

Medicaid and Child Health Plus Helpline:
800-541-2831

NYC Department for the Aging: 311

Passport Information: 877-487-2778

Public Hospitals: 212-788-9648

**New York State Division of Veterans' Affairs
Help Line:** 888-838-7697

Voter Registration: 866-868-3692

EMERGENCIES

AND PLACES TO GET HELP

Abused Children: 800-342-3720

Alcohol and Drug Information: 800-729-6686

Animal Bites: 646-632-6074

Center for Disease Control: 404-639-3311

Crime Victims Hotline: 212-577-7777

Domestic Violence Hotline: 800-621-4673

Emergency Children's Services (24 hours):
212-966-8000

Homeless Services: 311

Poison Control: 800-222-1222

Rape and Sexual Assault Hotline: 212-267-7273

National Runaway Switchboard: 800-621-4000

Suicide Prevention Hotline: 800-273-8255

How do I apply for a new or replacement Social Security number card?

You can get an original Social Security card or a replacement card if yours is lost or stolen by following the steps below. You cannot apply for a card online. There is no charge for a Social Security card. This service is free.

You will need to:

- Show the required documents. We need to see different documents depending on your citizenship and the type of card you are requesting. See socialsecurity.gov/ssnumber/ss5doc.htm to find out what documents you will have to show.
- Fill out and print an application at <http://www.socialsecurity.gov/forms/ss-5.pdf>
- Take or mail your application and documents to your local Social Security office. The Bed-Stuy office is at 154 Pierrepont Street, 6th floor, and is open from 7AM to 4PM Monday - Friday. Visit secure.ssa.gov/ICON/main.jsp#office. Results to find another office.

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