

COMMUNITY SHELTER BOARD
HOMELESSNESS PREVENTION & RAPID REHOUSING PROGRAM
CONTACTS

HOMELESSNESS PREVENTION

ADAMH Prevention: 222-3747 (Keith McCloud, Residential Placement Manager)

For individuals exiting Twin Valley Behavioral Health or other ADAMH Residential Care Facilities who are homeless or at risk of being homeless. Qualifying individuals can receive temporary rental assistance until a permanent subsidy can be secured. This program may also pay for additional expenses that are preventing housing placement, i.e., security deposit, rental application fee, previous utility charges, etc.

Gladden Community House

Gladden Community House provides prevention and emergency support services to low income residents of Franklinton and the near west side. Qualifying single adults referred through the Centralized Point of Access or residing in Gladden's service area may be eligible to receive assistance with rent, security deposits, utility payments, etc.

The services can only be accessed through the Centralized Point of Access, 1-888-4SHELTR (1-888-474-3587).

Centralized Point of Access

Faith Mission: 315 East Long Street, 1-888-4SHELTR (1-888-474-3587)

Faith Mission provides 24-hour assistance to single adults experiencing a housing crisis. Faith Mission intake staff will discuss housing options with single adults who are seeking shelter. With a focus on diversion to the most appropriate community services, shelter entrance is a last resort. Individuals with no other resources will be assisted in finding emergency shelter at Faith Mission, Friends of the Homeless, Volunteers of America, or other programs.

Stable Families: 268-2472 ext. 25

Stable Families Program is a homelessness prevention program that helps families that are at risk of losing their housing. Families are provided with case management services as well as some financial assistance, if needed to help stabilize their housing situation so they don't end up homeless and in shelter. The basic eligibility requirements are:

- < Family has to be at imminent risk of losing housing
- < Family must have minor children under the age of 18 in the household
- < Family must be at or below 50% AMI

RAPID REHOUSING

HPRP Transition

For individuals and families exiting emergency shelters or who are experiencing street homelessness, services that include short-term housing placement assistance that successfully places the household into decent, affordable housing. Through the program, clients receive assistance with rent, security deposits, utility payments, etc.

The services can only be accessed through a case manager at a local shelter or through a street homeless outreach provider (see Outreach & Emergency Housing Contacts).

DEFINITIONS

- < Homelessness Prevention: Financial assistance and housing relocation and stabilization services designed to prevent or divert individuals and families at imminent risk of homelessness that without intervention would become homeless in less than 30 days.
- < Rapid Re-Housing: financial assistance and housing relocation and stabilization services designed for currently homeless individuals and families where short- or medium-term rental assistance and services are provided to stabilize the housing situation.
- < Financial assistance is limited to the following activities: short-term rental assistance, medium-term rental assistance, security deposits, utility deposits, utility payments, and moving cost assistance. Although motel and hotel vouchers are a permissible use, HPRP funds will not be used for this purpose locally.

FURTHER INFORMATION ABOUT HOMELESSNESS

Further information about programs serving the homeless, local plans for services, and statistics about programs serving Columbus and Franklin County are available at the Community Shelter Board's web site at www.csb.org.

