

Resources for Difficult Times

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Name	Resources Available	Contact	Website
Financial Help			
DuPage County Human Services	Variety of services beyond financial	630-407-6500 1-800-942-9412	www.dupageco.org/humanservices
St. Vincent De Paul Society	Emergency financial assistance	630-628-9008 (Addison) 630-231-5658 (West Chicago)	www.svdusa.org
Catholic Charities	Emergency shelter & financial assistance, mentoring, transitional housing	630-495-8008 (Lombard)	www.catholiccharitiesusa.org
Downers Grove FISH	Food, clothing, emergency finances; Mon & Fri 9-11:15 a.m.	630-964-7776	
Love Christian Clearinghouse	Rental assistance, car repairs, utilities; M-W 9a-noon & 1-4p	630-512-8665	www.love-cc.org
Naperville Cares	Emergency shelter	630-369-1336	www.napervillecares.org/index-5.html
Downers Grove Township		630-968-0451	www.dgtownship.com/
Lisle Township		630-968-2087	www.lisletownship.com/
Naperville Township		630-355-2786	www.napervilletownship.com/
Salvation Army LIHEAP	Utility assistance, furnace repair/replace, weatherization, reconnection assistance	630-629-4948 800-942-9412	
Employment			
Career Connections	1 st & 3 rd Tues. 7-9 p.m.; Speednetworking event 3 rd Tues.	630-390-3512	www.trinitylisle.org/careerconnections
COD Career Services		630-942-2230	
Illinois Employment & Job Training		630-495-4345	

Financial Counseling

DuPage Homeownership Center Economic Awareness Council State of Illinois State Treasurer's Office	Foreclosure counseling	630-260-2500	www.dhoc.org
		info@econcouncil.org 312-814-1700 financialed@treasurer.state.il.us	www.econcouncil.org www.treasurer.il.gov/programs/financial-education/program-overview.aspx

Health Assistance

Mental Health Hotline DuPage County Health Dept.	24 hour hotline Healthcare referral; dental care; mental health services	630-627-1700 630-682-7400	www.dupagehealth.org
Access DuPage Evangelical Child & Family Agency	Entry to variety of services Adoption, counseling	630-510-8720 630-653-6400	www.accessdupage.org www.evanca.org
DuPage Community Dental Clinic DuPage Community Clinic Lutheran Child & Family Services of IL	Reduced cost dental care Reduced cost medical care Adoption, counseling	630-690-7450 630-682-0639 1-800-563-5237	www.lcfs.org
CareNet Pregnancy Services of DuPage	Crisis pregnancy; testing, ultrasound, counseling, support	630-455-0300	www.pregnanthelp.com

Basic Needs

Illinois Hunger Hotline	Apply for food stamps, health coverage, WIC, locate food pantry or soup kitchen nearby	800-359-2163	
Woodridge Community Pantry	Food, application for Link cards, T, Th, Sat 9 a.m. – noon; Th. 6-8 p.m.	630-512-9921	www.wcpinc.org
Loaves & Fishes Community Pantry	Food; Tu 12-2:45 p; W 9:30-11:15 a; Th 5:30-7 p; Sa 8:30-11 a.m.	630-355-0562	www.loaves-fishes.org
R.E.A.C.H (DuPage AME church)	Housing/shelter, financial assistance, food, job	630-969-8274	

Walk-In Ministry of Hope	assistance; M-F 9:30 a.m. – 5 p.m. Referrals; vouchers food, medicine, transportation; M,W,F 10-11:45 a.m. & M 6:30-8:15 p.m.	630-241-0187	www.wimoh.org
Sharing Connections (furniture)	Furniture & basic home furnishings	630-971-9594	www.sharingconnections.org
Hands and Feet Outreach	Cleaning, personal hygiene supplies	630-832-5580	www.stpaul.villapark.org
People’s Resource Center	Food, clothing, employment assistance, literacy, GED	630-682-5402	www.peoplesrc.org
Second Chance Resale Shops	Inexpensive clothing & home goods	630-241-7268 (Westmont) 630-260-8855 (Wheaton)	www.familyshelterservice.org
Family Shelter Service – for abused women & children	Emergency housing, counseling, legal assistance, financial literacy, job club	630-469-5650 (hotline) 630-221-8290 (everything else)	www.familyshelterservice.org