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I am homeless and need help finding long-term housing.

COORDINATED ENTRY SYSTEM

The Coordinated Entry System is the centralized system that Chicago uses to link people ages 18 and older experiencing homelessness with permanent, supportive housing. To get on the list, you must complete an intake assessment. These can be done at a “homeless access point” listed below. You can also complete the intake over the phone by calling (312) 361-1707, though it is recommended to go in-person to an access point if possible.

*To be eligible, you must meet the Department of Housing and Urban Development’s (“HUD”s) **definition of homelessness**, which means you stay in a place not meant for human habitation (such as on the street, in a car, or an abandoned building) or in a shelter. If you report that you stay(ed) at a shelter, they will contact the shelter to confirm. If you report that you stay outside, they will take you on your word.*

Once you complete the assessment and are added to the list, ongoing check-ins will be required to confirm that you are still unhoused. Failure to check-in may result in you being removed from the waitlist.

****YOU ONLY NEED TO COMPLETE AN ASSESSMENT AT ONE OF THE BELOW AGENCIES****

WEST: Garfield Service Center at Franciscan Outreach

- **Address:** 10 S Kedzie, 60612, 1st Floor
- **Phone Number:** (312) 746-5642
- **Hours:** Monday-Friday, 9:00 am-4:30 pm

SOUTH: Featherfist

- **Address:** 2255 E. 75th St. Chicago, IL 60649
- **Phone Number:** (773) 721-7088 ext. 219
- **Hours:** Monday-Friday 8:00am-3:00pm

NORTHWEST: Nourishing Hope (El Mercadito)

- **Address:** 3533 W. North Ave. Chicago, IL 60613
- **Phone Number:** (773) 550-2972
- **Hours:** 1st and 3rd Mondays of every month from 12:00pm-3:00pm

Follow this website for additional agencies and more information on the coordinated entry system:

<https://allchicago.org/coordinated-entry-system/>

I need help finding affordable or subsidized housing.

Chicago Housing Authority (CHA)

Subsidized housing in Chicago means your rent is no more than 30% of your income. If approved for a CHA voucher, you are eligible for 1 bedroom for an adult couple and an additional bedroom for every 2 children. For example, a family with 2 adults and 3 children would be eligible for a 3-bedroom apartment, with rent costing 30% or less of your income.

• **How to apply?**

- Complete an application in person at 60 E Van Buren St., Chicago IL 60605
- Complete an application online at CHA's Waitlist portal
<https://applyonline.thecha.org/home>
- If you are homeless, complete the coordinated entry assessment FIRST (see section above) and THEN apply for CHA and check the box indicating you are homeless on the application

Hispanic Housing Development

• **What is available?**

- Waitlist options available on the website
<https://www.hispanichousingdevelopment.com/properties>

• **How to apply?**

- Call properties/buildings directly for availability and how to apply

• **Main Office Number for General Questions:** (312) 602-6500

The Resurrection Project

The waitlist is often closed, but check on the website for updates.

• **Phone Number:** (312) 666-1323

• **Website:** <https://resurrectionproject.org/>

• **Office address:**

- 1805 S Paulina St, Chicago, IL 60608
- 600 S Wood St, Chicago, IL 60609

• **How to apply?**

- Pre-Application required to be added to the waitlist
- Can be submitted online via the website or in-person at office locations
- Applications are made available to those on the waitlist who are eligible after a property becomes available

Bickerdike Redevelopment Corporation

Bickerdike offers affordable housing options in Logan Square, Humboldt Park, and West Town. There is a minimum income requirement, and it is geared towards low- to moderate-income families. Check website or call for waitlist availability.

- **Website:** <https://www.bickerdike.org/>
- **Phone Number:** (773) 278- 5669

Full Circle Communities

Operates many affordable housing developments throughout Chicago (Avondale, Logan Square, Jefferson Park, Portage Park, and Brainerd Park) and the suburbs.

- **Website:** <https://www.fccommunities.org/our-communities/>
- **Phone Number:** (312) 530- 9600
- **How to apply?**
 - Go to the website above to browse properties and then download and print application materials for your preferred properties (located under downloadable documents). Then **mail** the completed applications via USPS.

Mercy Housing

Mercy Housing is a large organization that operates many affordable housing developments throughout the US.

- **Website:** <https://www.mercyhousing.org/find-housing/>
 - **Phone Number:** (866) 338-0557
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I am worried about affording my rent, threatened eviction, or I am having safety/health issues with my housing.

Lawyers' Committee for Better Housing (<https://lcbh.org/get-legal-help/>)

- **Phone number:** Call at (312) 347-7600 or Text "Hi" to (866) 773-6837
- LCBH can help Chicago and Cook County suburb residents with most tenants' rights issues, and can offer other agencies if they are unable to assist.

Metropolitan Tenants' Organization

- **Phone number:** (773) 292-4988
- **Hours:** Monday-Friday from 1-5 pm

City of Chicago Renters' Rights Hotline

- **Phone number:** (312) 742-7368
- **Hours:** Monday-Friday 8:30am-4:30pm

The Cook County Legal Aid for Housing and Debt

This is a free resource available to help landlords and tenants resolve housing and debt issues. All services are available at no cost to Cook County residents and property owners regardless of income, language or immigration status.

- **Phone number:** (855) 956-5763
- **Hours:** Monday-Friday 9:00am-4:30pm

Rental Assistance Program (RAP)

Provides funding such as payment of future rent or rent arrears to prevent eviction, and security deposits in cases of fire, flood, foreclosure, domestic violence, or eviction. This program is for Chicago residents who classify as low-income and at risk of becoming homeless.

- **Apply online at:**
https://chicago.gov/city/en/depts/fss/provdrs/serv/svcs/how_to_find_rentalassistanceinchicago.html