

# COMMUNITY RESOURCES



WAUBONSEE  
COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Waubonsee Community College and the communities it serves offer different types of assistance for students and their families in times of crisis. Please refer to this guide for help outside of Waubonsee's resources. If you are experiencing a crisis, call the 24/7 Waubonsee Talk Line at (630) 264-0394.



## FOOD RESOURCES

Look up by Zip Code [www.foodpantriesnear.me](http://www.foodpantriesnear.me)

Find a local food pantry from [www.solvehungertoday.org](http://www.solvehungertoday.org) or [www.solvehungertoday.org/get-help/where-to-get-food/](http://www.solvehungertoday.org/get-help/where-to-get-food/)

Food Assistance Provided through DHS: [www.dhs.state.il.us/page.aspx?item=30366](http://www.dhs.state.il.us/page.aspx?item=30366)

Department of Human Services (DHS) Assistance for Food Insecurity  
[www.dhs.state.il.us/page.aspx?item=29721](http://www.dhs.state.il.us/page.aspx?item=29721)

DHS's Food Pantries & Soup Kitchens Near You [www.dhs.state.il.us/page.aspx?item=31245](http://www.dhs.state.il.us/page.aspx?item=31245)

**SNAP (Food Stamps) Assistance:** Request to be contacted by a member of Northern Illinois Food Bank's SNAP (Food Stamps) Outreach Team. They can tell you if you are eligible, let you know what to expect, and help you apply. Free and confidential.

[www.solvehungertoday.org/get-help/snap-food-stamps/snap-food-stamps-contact-form](http://www.solvehungertoday.org/get-help/snap-food-stamps/snap-food-stamps-contact-form)

### **KANE COUNTY**

**Aurora Interfaith Food Pantry**  
1110 Jericho Road, Aurora, IL 60506  
[www.aurorafoodpantry.org](http://www.aurorafoodpantry.org)  
(630) 897-2127

**Batavia Interfaith Food Pantry**  
[www.bataviafoodpantry.org](http://www.bataviafoodpantry.org)  
(630) 879-3784

**Between Friends Food Pantry**  
52 Wheeler Rd., Sugar Grove, IL 60554  
[www.sugargrovefoodpantry.org](http://www.sugargrovefoodpantry.org)  
(630) 466-0345

**Bountiful Blessing**  
901 East Galena Blvd., Aurora  
(630) 820-0002

**Burlington Hampshire Area Food Pantry**  
[www.burlingtonhampshireareafoodpantry.org](http://www.burlingtonhampshireareafoodpantry.org)  
(224) 400-7130

**Center for Information Health**  
[www.centrodeinformacion.org](http://www.centrodeinformacion.org)  
(847) 695-9050

**Countryside Food Pantry**  
525 N Main St., Ste. 1  
Elburn, IL 60119-9146  
(630) 448-1069



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## **Crystal Lake Food Pantry**

[www.clfoodpantry.org](http://www.clfoodpantry.org)

(815) 351-3579

## **Elburn Community Center**

525 North Main Street (Route 47), Elburn, IL

(630) 365-6655

## **Fox Valley Hispanic**

### **Seventh-Day Adventist Pantry**

505 East New York St., Aurora, IL

(630) 898-0410

## **Holy Angels Food Pantry**

204 South Russell Ave., Aurora, IL

(630) 897-2478

## **Marie Wilkinson Food Pantry**

834 North Highland Ave., Aurora, IL

[www.mariewilkinsonfoodpantry.org](http://www.mariewilkinsonfoodpantry.org)

(630) 897-5431

## **Northern Illinois Food Bank**

[www.solvehungertoday.org](http://www.solvehungertoday.org)

(630) 443-6910

## **Pads Transitional Living Center**

659 S River St., Aurora, IL

(630) 897-2165

## **Sandwich Board**

218 E Benton St., Aurora, IL

(630) 897-7283

## **Salvation Army Aurora Corps Community Center**

437 Galena Blvd., Aurora, IL

(630) 897-7265

## **Two Rivers Head Start**

1661 Landmark Rd., Aurora, IL

(630) 264-1444

## **Upper Room Apostolic Faith Church**

724 S Lincoln Ave., Aurora, IL

(630) 392-6259

## **Village Baptist Church Food Pantry**

515 S Frontenac St., Aurora, IL

(630) 851-4120

## **KENDALL COUNTY**

## **Kendall County Food Pantry**

[www.kccfoodpantry.org/food](http://www.kccfoodpantry.org/food)

(630) 553-0473

## **Store at Harvest Chapel**

725 S County Line Rd., Sandwich, IL

(815) 786-8669

## **LASALLE COUNTY**

## **Community Food Basket**

[www.ottawafoodbasket.org](http://www.ottawafoodbasket.org)

(815) 431-0155

## **Five Loaves and Two Fish**

235 E Lundy Lane, Leland, IL

(877) 786-4822

## **Harvest Baptist Food Pantry**

5315 Douglas Rd., Oswego, IL

(630) 554-3858

## **New Life Community Church— Bread of Life**

1144 S Lincoln Ave., Montgomery, IL

(630) 897-6810

## **Illinois Valley Food Pantry**

[www.ivfoodpantry.com](http://www.ivfoodpantry.com)

(815) 224-3658

## **DEKALB COUNTY**

## **Cornerstone Church**

17347 Pratt Rd, Sandwich, IL

(815) 786-6300

## **Hinckley Area Food Pantry**

[www.stpaulshinckley.org](http://www.stpaulshinckley.org)

(815) 286-7275



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**Kirkland Food Pantry**

510 W. South Street  
Kirkland, IL 60146  
(815) 522-3886

**New Hope Missionary Baptist Food Pantry**

1201 Twombly Road  
DeKalb, IL 60115  
(815) 756-7906

**Our Sharing Food Pantry**

235 S Green St., Somonauk, IL  
(815) 498-2742

**Salvation Army DeKalb Area Food Pantry**

[centralusa.salvationarmy.org/dekalb](http://centralusa.salvationarmy.org/dekalb)  
(815) 756-4308

**St. Vincent de Paul Pantry  
of St. Mary Catholic Church**

302 Willow St., Maple Park  
(815) 301-2634

**Sycamore United Methodist Church**

[www.sycamoreumc.org](http://www.sycamoreumc.org)  
(815) 895-9113

**The Vineyard Church Food Pantry**

[www.vineyarddekalb.org](http://www.vineyarddekalb.org)  
(815) 758-1588

## **WILL COUNTY**

**Center of Hope**

[www.centerofhopek3.org](http://www.centerofhopek3.org)  
(815) 937-4277

**Tri-City Foods**

1711 N State Route 50  
Bourbonnais, IL 60914-4496  
(815) 304-5417

**Manteno Interfaith Food Pantry**

205 N. Locust St.  
Manteno, IL 60950  
(815) 468-6818

**Orland Pantry**

9005 W. 151st St.  
Orland Park, IL 60465  
(708) 590-6185

## **DUPAGE COUNTY**

**People's Resource Center**

[www.peoplesrc.org](http://www.peoplesrc.org)  
201 S. Naperville Road, Wheaton, IL 60187  
104 Chestnut Ave., Westmont, IL 60559  
(630) 682-5402

**Loaves & Fishes Community Services**

[www.loaves-fishes.org](http://www.loaves-fishes.org)  
1871 High Grove Lane  
Naperville, IL 60540  
Phone: (630) 355-3663



# UNHOUSED RESOURCES

## **Hesed House**

[www.hesedhouse.org](http://www.hesedhouse.org)

659 S River St., Aurora, IL  
(630) 897-2156

## **Hope Haven**

1145 Rushmoore Dr., DeKalb, IL 60115  
Call Angie, Emergency Housing Coordinator,  
at (815) 758-5765

## **Illinois Department of Human Services (DHS) Emergency & Transitional Housing Program**

[www.dhs.state.il.us/page.aspx?item=30362](http://www.dhs.state.il.us/page.aspx?item=30362)

## **Lazarus House**

[lazarushouse.net](http://lazarushouse.net)

Emergency Shelter: (630) 587-2144  
*Our emergency housing offers a safe haven for  
persons in need. We are open 365 days/year,  
and shelter staff are available 24/7.*

## **Mutual Ground**

[mutualground.org](http://mutualground.org)

To request shelter, call (630) 897-0080  
418 Oak Ave., Aurora, IL 60506  
*Residential Services at Mutual Ground provide emergen-  
cy assistance to individuals and families who are seeking  
safety from domestic or sexual violence.*



# FINANCIAL RESOURCES

## **Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)**

Helps low-income households pay for utilities such as heat, gas, and electric.

You may call (877) 411-9276

[www.illinoislegalaid.org/legal-information/low-income-home-energy-assistance-program-liheap](http://www.illinoislegalaid.org/legal-information/low-income-home-energy-assistance-program-liheap)

For Mortgage Assistance, visit Fannie Mae Assistance for Homeowners

<https://yourhome.fanniemae.com/get-relief#help-for-homeowners>

Commonwealth Edison Payment Assistance:

[www.comed.com/MyAccount/CustomerSupport/Pages/SupportingOurCommunities.aspx](http://www.comed.com/MyAccount/CustomerSupport/Pages/SupportingOurCommunities.aspx)



# HOUSING/RENTAL RESOURCES

## House Action in Illinois

Possible options for those who qualify for RENT assistance.

<https://housingactionil.org/what-we-do/public-education-organizing/>

## Illinois Department of Human Services (DHS) Assistance for Housing

[www.dhs.state.il.us/page.aspx?item=29723](http://www.dhs.state.il.us/page.aspx?item=29723)

## Kendall County Housing Authority

[www.kendallhousing.org](http://www.kendallhousing.org)

(630) 553-8093

811 W. John St., Yorkville, IL 60560

Section 8 (Low income rental assistance voucher program)

## Meridian Group, Inc.

[www.meridiangroupinc.net](http://www.meridiangroupinc.net)

(608) 836-1152

2249 Pinehurst Dr., Middleton, WI 53562-0800

Section 8 and Section 42 Affordable housing options.

## Lazarus House

[lazarushouse.net](http://lazarushouse.net)

Outreach/Rental Assistance: (630) 587-5872

We have access to limited grant funding that allows us to provide assistance with rent, mortgage and utilities. To receive help, funds must be available and individuals must qualify according to grant requirements.

## The Neighbor Project

[neighborproject.us](http://neighborproject.us)

(630) 906-9400

32 S. Broadway Aurora, IL 60505

Foreclosure Prevention Services

## Aurora Housing Authority

[auroraha.com](http://auroraha.com)

(630) 701-9977

1449 Jericho Circle, Aurora, IL 60506

## The Illinois Rental Payment Program

ILRPP is an emergency rental assistance program designed to support households in Illinois that are unable to pay rent. The application site is now open for applications.

To apply, please visit the application site at

[ilrpp.ihda.org](http://ilrpp.ihda.org)



# CHILDCARE RESOURCES

## IDHS: Office Locator ([state.il.us](http://state.il.us))

Search for a DHS Office or Service Provider by selecting your county, and, for Cook County, your ZIP Code.

[www.dhs.state.il.us/page.aspx?module=12&officetype=11&county](http://www.dhs.state.il.us/page.aspx?module=12&officetype=11&county)

## Illinois: Understanding and Finding Child Care | [Childcare.gov](http://Childcare.gov)

Learn about the ins and outs of child care and early learnings programs in your area. What are your State's background check requirements? Does your State offer any quality improvement programs? Do you need help finding quality child care and early learning programs in your area?

[www.childcare.gov/index.php/state-resources?state=18](http://www.childcare.gov/index.php/state-resources?state=18)

## Illinois: Financial Assistance For Families | [Childcare.gov](http://Childcare.gov)

Are you looking for help paying for child care? Buying groceries or diapers? Find out about assistance programs offered in your area.

[www.childcare.gov/index.php/state-resources?state=18&type=202](http://www.childcare.gov/index.php/state-resources?state=18&type=202)



# TECHNOLOGY RESOURCES

**Comcast** offers student-exclusive online offers to eligible university students who live in their service area and need Internet service. To confirm eligibility and sign up, visit [xfinity.com/student](http://xfinity.com/student)

## **Low Cost Internet and Devices for Waubonsee Students**

Human-I-T offers affordable, refurbished devices and helps you connect to reliable, low-cost internet options.  
[store.human-i-t.org/waubonsee-community-college](http://store.human-i-t.org/waubonsee-community-college)

## **Equipment Loans and Software for Waubonsee Students**

*Waubonsee provides technology loans to students in need. Available devices include laptops and wireless hotspots. This service is available to all actively enrolled students.*

Request an equipment loan at [servicedesk.waubonsee.edu](http://servicedesk.waubonsee.edu), by contacting the Technical Assistance Center at (630) 466-4357 or in person at any library location. Appointments will no longer be required for device pick-up, and eligible students will be notified when devices are available.

Additionally, **students have free access to Microsoft Office software**, including Word, PowerPoint, Excel, and more. Students can sign up for their free student Office365 account on the Office365 Education website:  
[microsoft.com/en-us/education/products/office](http://microsoft.com/en-us/education/products/office)



# OTHER RESOURCES

Illinois Department of Public Health  
[dph.illinois.gov](http://dph.illinois.gov)

Illinois State Board of Education Resources:  
[www.isbe.net/keeplearning](http://www.isbe.net/keeplearning)

Kendall County Health Department  
[www.kendallhealth.org](http://www.kendallhealth.org)

Kane County Health Department  
[www.kanehealth.com](http://www.kanehealth.com)

Mutual Ground  
Emergency Services and Crisis Hotline only: [www.mutualground.org](http://www.mutualground.org)  
Domestic Violence Hotline: (630) 897-0080 (24 hrs)  
Sexual Assault Hotline: (630) 897-8383 (24 hrs)

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline (1.800.273.TALK )

National Parent Helpline (1.855.4A.PARENT)

United Way  
[www.foxvalleyunitedway.org](http://www.foxvalleyunitedway.org)