

# Housing for Homeless Families in the Prescott Area

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## **HELP PUSD SCHOOL STAFF MAY BE ABLE TO GIVE**

PUSD Homeless Program:

The Federal definition of homelessness for school districts is broad and includes students living in **temporary situations due to economic hardship or loss of housing**, including living in motels, shelters, campgrounds, substandard housing, or doubled up in someone else's home.

If a student is in any of these situations, their parent/guardian can fill out a PUSD homeless application. The front desk at school can give them an application or direct them to the Site Homeless Liaison.

The PUSD Homeless Program **does not offer housing**, but may be able to provide additional school-based services to help students be prepared for and thrive in school.

Resources are also listed on the PUSD website at: <http://www.pusdonline.com/pusd-homeless-program/>

## **EMERGENCY SHELTERS**

### **Prescott Area Shelter Services**

Phone: 928-778-5933

Website: [www.prescottshelter.org](http://www.prescottshelter.org)

Description: Operates a family shelter and women's shelter. Offers case management to clients.

Cost: Free

Eligibility: Family shelter for families, including dads and older male children. Women's shelter is for women and their children—male children must be younger than 12.

How to Apply: Call

### **Yavapai Territorial Gospel Mission**

Phone: 928-443-8779 or 928-848-8623

Website: <http://yavapaimission.org>

Description: Family shelter serves women and their children.

Cost: Free

Eligibility: Serves Yavapai County women and their children. Male children must be 12 or younger.

How to Apply: Call

### **Stepping Stones Emergency Shelter**

Phone: 24 Hour Abuse HelpLine: 928-445-HOPE; Office: 928-772-4184

Website: [www.steppingstonesaz.org](http://www.steppingstonesaz.org)

Description: Confidential shelter for women and their children, especially those experiencing domestic violence.

Cost: Free

Eligibility: Male children must be 12 or younger. Focus is on women and children fleeing domestic violence situations, but if space is available will serve other women and children experiencing homelessness.

How to Apply: Call

### **Agape House of Prescott**

Phone: 928-910-1089

Website: <http://agapehouseprescott.org/>

Description: Faith based organization for transitional housing of up to 6 months to a year. Must get referral from an organization such as the Family Resource Center, Catholic Charities or CCJ. Then goes through an interview process which can take up to 5 weeks. Everything is paid for including a family mentor and help to get the family back on their feet.

## **TEEN SHELTER**

### **CODAC - Yavapai House Youth Shelter**

Phone: 928-227-1830

Website: <http://www.yavapaikidsbook.org/agency-directory/big5-directory/item/yavapai-house-youth-shelter>

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Description: Shelter for homeless, at-risk for running away, runaways, kids in crisis.  
Cost: Free  
Eligibility: Teens ages 12-17 in need of shelter  
How to Apply: Call

## **CCJ Operation Deep Freeze (Winter Shelter)**

Phone: 928-445-8382  
Website: [www.yavapaicci.org](http://www.yavapaicci.org)  
Description: Winter shelter is only open when forecast predicts temperatures below 25 degrees or 2 inches of snow.  
Cost: Free  
Eligibility: Anyone in need of shelter  
How to Apply: Call. CCJ, Library, Police Station, and Quixote's Garage will advertise when shelter is open and how to reach.

## **MOTEL VOUCHERS**

### **First Baptist Church Reach Out Program**

Phone: 928-771-7592 (Call between 1-3pm on Mondays)  
Website: [www.firstbaptistprescott.com](http://www.firstbaptistprescott.com)  
Description: Provides limited motel vouchers  
Cost: Free  
Eligibility: People in need  
How to Apply: Call between 1-3pm on Mondays

## **Case Management for Homeless Families**

### **Catholic Charities Community Services**

Phone: 928-778-2531  
Website: [www.catholiccharitiesaz.org](http://www.catholiccharitiesaz.org)  
Description: Provides case management to homeless families  
Cost: Free  
Eligibility: Homeless families  
How to Apply: Call

### **NACOG Community Services – Prescott**

Phone: 928-308-2988  
Website: [www.nacog.org](http://www.nacog.org)  
Description: Case management service may be able to provide housing assistance.  
Cost: Free  
Eligibility: Individuals and families with low incomes  
How to Apply: Call

## **Low-Income Housing**

### **The Woodlands of Prescott**

Phone: 928-445-5090

### **Lakeside Apt. & RV Village**

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Phone: 928-541-1265

Website: [http://www.prescottrv.com/Home\\_Page.html](http://www.prescottrv.com/Home_Page.html)

Information: Low cost housing and RV spaces, a lot of amenities included

## **Willow Ridge Apartments**

Phone: 928-445-6646

Website: <http://www.willowridgerentals.com/floorplans.html>

Information: 1 and 2 bedroom apartments for under \$800. Flexible leases and pet friendly.

## **TO FIND MORE RESOURCES**

Use the tools listed below to find more resources. Look for agencies that serve people you affiliate with based on veteran status, age, disease, disability, religion, ethnicity, nationality, gender, sexual orientation, etc.

### **Arizona 2-1-1**

Call 2-1-1 (toll free) or visit [www.211arizona.org/index.html](http://www.211arizona.org/index.html)

### **Yavapai Kids Book**

[www.yavapaikidsbook.org](http://www.yavapaikidsbook.org) or the school front desk may have a copy of this book

### **Arizona Self Help**

Website:

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

Description:

Free and easy website that can help you find out if your family can get help from 40 different health and human services programs including government programs such as food stamps, welfare, AHCCCS (medical), child care assistance, and federal housing assistance. Provides one-stop access to program descriptions, contact information, applications, and lists of items to bring to eligibility interviews.

How to use:

Go to website and fill in the online form. No personal identifying information is required. The Prescott Library has public computers, if needed.