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Designed for Agencies Serving Youth & Families

This directory includes only the most commonly used nonprofit, United Way, church and government resources available to the general public and is not intended to be complete. Private, for profit services are sometimes included if there is a lack of nonprofits for that service, or they offer some free or specialized program to the community. It is intended to be an organized informational guide for professionals working with youth. Inclusion does not denote endorsement or recommendation.

Directory information rapidly becomes outdated and a new directory is published annually. If you find errors or have information on new resources, please feel free to contact us so that we can stay as up-to-date as possible. For current information regarding state agencies, we recommend you contact the agency.

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Community Youth Services, a program of Harris County Protective Services for Children and Adults (HCPS), is a school-based crisis intervention, counseling, and case management service that provides practical assistance to families of children and youth who are experiencing problems. In partnership with the local schools/other governmental entities, the services of CYS are available to students in 14 Harris County school districts, as well as the Pasadena Police Department, and the Educational Services Division of the Harris County Juvenile Probation Department. All services of CYS are voluntary and provided at no cost to the family. In counseling youth and their families, CYS also searches among the many agencies throughout Harris County to locate and help clients obtain needed social services to resolve family problems. Truancy, runaway, pregnancy, drug, school, economic and family problems are appropriate referrals. When providing services, CYS will visit the family in their home or at the CYS offices on the school campus in the client’s community. CYS can also serve as a liaison with other youth serving agencies of the county such as Juvenile Probation, Children’s Protective Services and The Harris Center for Mental Health and IDD when youth and family have multi-agency involvement. To get help, simply telephone the Youth Service Specialist (YSS) for your school district or their supervisor during school hours.

The mission of CYS is to improve the lives of youth and their families through advocacy, education and personal empowerment.
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II. Adoption

1. **Adopt For The Love Of A Child (Adopt TLC)**
   
   526 Kingwood Dr, Suite 349, Kingwood 77339
   
   Infants, school age children, and older children; also special needs children and embryo adoption. Private, domestic, and international adoptions. Offers pre-and post-adoption counseling, preparation, support, and training. Adoptive parents must be over 21.

2. **Adoption Information and Counseling (also known as Adopt Texas)**
   
   6802 Mapleridge #101, Bellaire 77401  
   
   Adoption counseling. Placement of infants primarily. Licensed full-service adoption agency. Works with adolescents and adults who are pregnant, as well as some who already have children. Expenses vary depending on birth mother’s needs/expenses.

3. **Arms Wide Adoption Services (formerly Spaulding for Children)**
   
   6925 Portwest Dr, Suite 110, Houston 77024  
   
   Focuses on finding homes for special needs children. Offers comprehensive foster care, adoption, and post adoption counseling and respite services for children in CPS custody.

4. **Casa de Esperanza**
   
   Administration Office: PO Box 66581, Houston 77266-6581
   
   Free, voluntary foster care for children up to age 6 at time of admission, whose families are in a crisis which might lead to abuse. Foster homes for children. Also care for kids who are HIV+. Volunteers and aides staff 9 houses for 3-6 children around the clock, providing a home-like atmosphere. Testing & therapy for developmentally delayed, birth to 6 years. Adoption and post-adoption services.

5. **Central Adoption Registry (CAR)**
   
   PO Box 149347, Austin 78714-9347  
   
   http://www.dshs.state.tx.us
   
   Voluntary mutual consent registry system that helps adult adoptees who were born and/or adopted in Texas, their birth parents and biological siblings to locate one another. Medical and social information can be released to adult adoptees as available. Records from the adoption can also be provided. $30 fee is required for reunion registry. Registrants must be 18 and provide proof of identity and age.

6. **Cradle of Life**
   
   245 N. Fourth, Beaumont 77701
   
   Mostly infants. Adoptive husband or wife must be between 24-45 years of age. Counseling for birth parents, and assistance in placing with adoptive parents. Call for fees.

7. **Department of Family and Protective Services**
   
   2525 Murworth, Houston 77054  
   
   http://www.adoptchildren.org
   
   Some infants, but primarily older children and children with special needs whose parents have voluntarily relinquished custody or the court has terminated parental rights.

8. **DePelchin Children’s Center**
   
   4950 Memorial Dr., Houston 77007
   
   24 hr. maternity #: 713-582-7129
   
   Through its CPS adoption program, DePelchin places children, sibling groups in loving homes with couples and individuals. DePelchin also supports couples and individuals through its private infant adoption program. Adoptive parents must be 21 or older. If married, must be married at least 2 years. Some adoptions are based on sliding scale. Ongoing financial assistance and benefits are offered by the State for children adopted from CPS custody if applicable. Informational orientations are held weekly throughout the Greater Houston Area. Can be contacted directly at fosteroradopt@depelchin.org.

   **Post Adoption Counseling Services** - services for adoptive parents, birth parents and the adoptive child include individual and group therapy, workshops, consultation, mediation, case management, information and referral, and search and reunion support. Support group meets the 2nd Tuesday of the month 6:30p-8:30p with $5 donation each group session. Contract to provide free services to TDPRS adoptees and their adoptive families. Offices in Houston, Clear Lake, Montgomery and Fort Bend County. See DePelchin website for groups and times.

9. **Gladney Center for Adoption**
   
   6300 John Ryan Dr., Fort Worth, Texas 76132  
   
   Regional office: 713-665-1212
   
   Residential and nonresidential services. Adoption placement of infants. Also has program to place older children with special needs. An international program with its main facility in Fort Worth. Gladney Center works with both birth and adoptive parents. Maternity Home – residents attend high school or GED classes and college credit. Capacity – 30 girls.
II. Adoption-Continued

   11439 Spring Cypress, Building C, Tomball 77377  281-955-1001
   Placement of infants; assistance and counseling for birth mothers to reach best decision. Adoptive parents must be under 45, “born again Christians” (both belonging to the same church) and married 3 years. Group counseling for birth mothers 7 p.m. first Wednesday night of every month; open to any girl even if she has not decided upon adoption. Open adoption available.

11. Presbyterian Children’s Homes and Services  713-522-2800
   7880 San Felipe, Ste. 111 Houston 77063  www.pchas.org
   Adoptive placement of newborns/infants & special needs children. Maternity program to assist with decision making, etc. Private and contract foster program. Post adoptive search program.

12. Providence Place  www.provplace.org  844-546-8697
   6487 Whitby Road, San Antonio, Texas 78240  210-696-2410
   Domestic, older child (both private and through DFPS) and international adoptive services. Maternity center/maternity home and post adoptive services. Material assistance for families who are pregnant or parenting a child under 3 years of age.

13. Texas Adoption Resource Exchange – Foster Care & Adoption Inquiry Hotline  800-233-3405
   701 W. 51st St., Austin, Texas 78714-9030  www.adoptchildren.org
   Photo listing on website that matches children waiting for adoption with prospective certified adoptive families. Adoption inquiry line sponsored by the Department of Protective and Regulatory Services. Information on becoming a foster care or adoptive parent through TDPRS.

   8305 Cross Park Dr, Austin 78754  512-459-1000
   Domestic adoptions for infants through childhood. Applicants must be 21, married 2 years. Requirements more flexible for minority children. Open adoption options for birth and adoptive parents. Pre-adoption education and counseling. Fostering available for children. Domestic, foreign adoption requirements vary based on type of adoption. Foster adoption and residential treatment services also available.

III. Basic Needs

A. Clothing
2. Community Alliance United in Service (CAUS) - see page 9-10.

B. Emergency Assistance
1. Baytown Resource and Assistance Center  281-424-5752
   5309 Decker Dr., Baytown 77520
   Utility assistance to families/individuals residing in Baytown, Highlands, W. Chambers, McNair county by means of purchase orders to suppliers. Information and referral to other local services. For food assistance, must have applied for food stamps but not received them yet. M-F 8:00am–12:00pm, 1:00pm-5:00pm. Must come to office to receive assistance. Must bring ID. Appointments necessary.

2. Catholic Charities  www.catholiccharities.org  713-526-4611
   Main Office: 2900 Louisiana, Houston 77006
   Guadalupe Center, 326 South Jensen, Houston 77006 (food pantry)
   Moran Center, 2615 Fannin St, Houston 77002
   Texas City Office, 712 5th Ave North, Texas City 77590
   Galveston Office, 4700 Broadway, Suite F-103, Galveston 77551
   George Center, 1111 Collins Rd, Richmond 77469
   Office hours 8am-5pm, Mon-Fri. Counseling, case management, food pantry, employment information – all Harris County zip codes served. When funding is available, provides emergency assistance with rent/utilities. Transitional housing for women and children from Harris County, maximum of 2 children, 7 yrs. or younger, 6 month maximum stay. Must bring photo ID and proof of address for all services.
III. Basic Needs-continued


4. Church Coalitions (Also see CAUS below)
   a. First Baptist Church North Houston Food Pantry: 4422 Lauder Rd. Houston, 77039 281-442-4357
      1st and 3rd Monday 9:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. FOOD ONLY, NO FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE. Serves 77016, 77032, 77039, 77050, 77060, 77078, 77093 - the area within Little York south to Greens Rd. north, 59 east to Hardy Toll Road west. Bring picture ID, and proof of address.
   b. East Fort Bend Human Needs Ministry: 435 Stafford Run, Stafford 77477 281-261-1006
      www.humanneeds.org Financial assistance call 10am-1pm: 281-261-5470 on Tuesday to schedule appointment on Wednesday. Food pantry – Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 10am-1:30pm, Mon & Weds 6pm – 8pm. Fort Bend ISD or Stafford Municipal School District addresses. Bring picture ID, proof of address, and Social Security number for each household member. Thanksgiving and Christmas baskets. Free food on 4th Thursday (Jan-Oct). 10am-12pm, open to all. School supply sign-up. Resale shop: 425 Stafford Run 281-449-8833.
   c. Cypress Assistance Ministries: 11202 Huffmeister, Houston 77065 281-955-7684
      www.cypressassistance.org Monday-Thursday 10:00-2:00pm, by appointment. Angels Attic Resale shop 713-955-7683 Mon, Wed 9:30am-3pm, Fri 9:30am-1:00pm, Tues walk-in 9:30am-3:00pm, Thurs walk-in 9:30am-1:00pm. Financial assistance by appointment only. Clothing and job assistance. GED & ESL classes available. Serves 77429, 77433, 77095, 77065.
   d. Pearland Christian Helping Hands: 3402 Swenson Dr., Pearland 77581 281-485-9776
      www.christianhelpinghands.org Mon-Thur. 10am-2pm. Food pantry. Pearland, Friendswood, Manvel, Brookside areas only. Does not provide rent or financial assistance.

5. Community Alliance United in Service (CAUS)
   440 Benmar, Suite 1270, Houston 77060-3105
   Following is a list of Church Coalition locations. Most provide limited financial assistance, food, and help with rent, utilities, and clothing unless otherwise specified. Please call to verify services.
   a. Braes Interfaith Ministries: 4300 W. Bellfort (Willow Meadows Baptist Church) 77035 713-723-2671
      www.braesinterfaithministries.com Mon, Wed., Fri. 10-2pm. Limited utility assistance when available; vouchers when funds are available with client verification and documentation. Food pantry, clothing and school supply assistance. Clothing at resale shop nearby. Onsite interview process for all services. Serves 77025, 77035, 77045, 77051, 77053, 77054, 77071, 77095, 77096.
   b. Christian Community Service Center: 3434 Braeswood 77027 713-871-9741
      Mon-Fri. 10-2pm, Sat. 9-12:00pm. Food and clothing and hygiene. Possible financial assistance with interview. Limited assistance with medication. Back to school assistance (May registration). Rental assistance available, must have lived in home or apartment at least 4 months. No appointment needed for food or clothing. Serves Southwest Houston area. Call for detailed information regarding specific zip codes. Food pantry, 6856 Bellaire, Mon-Fri 10am-12pm, Sat 9-12pm.
   c. Emergency Aid Coalition (South Main): 5401 Fannin 77004 www.eachouston.org 713-528-3663
      Sack lunch program on Mon-Fri. 11:00 –1:00pm and Sun. 12:15-1:00pm. Clothing/Food pantry Mon-Fri. 9:30am-12:00pm. ALL HARRIS COUNTY ZIPS FOR FOOD AND CLOTHES: Required identification-social security card, current ID, birth certificate, proof of current address. No financial assistance for rent or utilities.
   d. Mission Center of Houston: 1815 Gano St. 77009 www.missioncenters.org 713-227-0304
      Food assistance by appointment 713-227-1146, activities for children, pre-teens, teens and seniors. Clothing assistance provided at Joy Center. No mental health services available. Serves 77009, 77008, 77022, 77026, and 77028.
   e. Humble Area Assistance Ministries: 1204 First St, Humble 77347 Resale shop 281-446-0993 M-Sat 10:00am-5:30pm. 1302 First St. Social Services 281-446-3663 Mon-Thurs. 10-2pm. Food, prescriptions, rent, utilities, clothing, and propane gas assistance. Job center. ESL classes available Resale store closed on Sunday. Serves 77336, 77338-39, 77345-47, 77357, 77365, 77372, 77396, 77532. Black Cat Junction Resale Shop, 22310 Loop 494, Kingwood, 281-359-5667, Mon-Sat 10am-5:30pm. www.haaministries.org
   f. Interfaith Caring Ministries: 151 Park Avenue, League City 77573 www.icmtx.org 281-332-3881
      Mon-Fri 8:30-4:30pm. By appointment only. Rent and utility assistance if client qualifies. Food pantry, senior outreach, health outreach. Serves Clear Creek & Friendswood ISD addresses only. School supplies and Christmas Assistance Programs.
   g. Joy Mission Center: 7629 Avenue F, 77012 www.missioncenters.org 713-921-0197
      Food and clothing assistance by appointment only, programs for children, pre-teens, teens, and seniors. After school program for children ages 4-16. Serves 77003, 77011, 77012, 77023, 77029, and 77087. Mon-Thurs 9am-5pm.
   h. Memorial Assistance Ministries: 1625 Blalock, 77080 www.mamministries.org 713-468-4516
      Mon-Fri 9:00am-4:00pm. Serves 77008, 77009, 77018, 77022, 77024, 77037, 77039, 77040, 77041, 77043, 77055, 77076, 77079, 77080, 77088, 77091, 77092. Must bring social security card, proof of residence, and TDL or ID. Clothing, financial aid, employment services, mental health services. Rent and utility assistance by appt. only, Tues & Thurs 10am-12pm. 713-574-7533.
III. Basic Needs (church coalitions)-- Continued

i. Near Northwest Assistance (MANNA): Food Pantry 2101 W. 34th. 713-682-7556
Food Pantry 2101 W. 34th-Mon, Tues, Thurs 9am-12pm. Thrift Shop 1804 W. 43rd is open Mon – Sat 10-6pm 713-686-6440. Assistance for rent and utilities 9:15am-11:15am. Bring proof of address, income and apartment lease. Assistance provided once in 6 months. Food can be obtained monthly. Clothing vouchers every 6 months for each family member. Financial classes 1st and 3rd Wednesdays at St. James Lutheran Church. Community food fair 2nd Saturday of each month. 8:30am-11:30am. Serves all zip codes.

j. North Channel Assistance Ministries: 13837 Bonham 77015. www.woodforestpc.org/mission/ncam 713-453-8028 Open for applications Tues 8:30am-12pm. Tues, Thurs 8:00am for food and referral services only. Applications for food stamps. Serves 77013, 77015, 77044, 77049, 77530, 77078 and 77029.

k. Northwest Assistance Ministries: 15555 Kuykendahl 281-885-4555 Call for appointment M-F 9am-12pm or 1pm-3pm. For Children’s Clinic, please call:281-885-4630. Children’s Clinic open Mon-Thurs 8am-4:30pm, Fri 8am-2pm. Must bring Social Security card, birth certificate. ID, immunization records, Medicaid/CHIP card, most recent pay stub. Emergency basic needs for zip codes: 77014, 77032, 77038, 77050, 77060, 77064, 77066, 77070, 77073, 77086, 77090, 77379, 77388, 77339. Rent/mortgage assistance, non-narcotic prescription assistance for those without Medicaid, gas cards, Metro bus passes, back-to-school and holiday assistance. Housing services 281-885-4531. http://www.namonline.org.

l. Society of Samaritans: 31355 Friendship Dr. #500, Magnolia 77355 www.societyofsamaritans.tx.org 281-252-9647 Food distribution: MWF 10-2pm. TTH 10-4pm. Food only provided for zip code 77363. Clothing, utilities, rent and prescription assistance (very limited). For utility assistance need cutoff notice. Rental assistance must be at least one month behind. Proof of residency required. Serves zip codes 77363, 77301-306, 77316, 77318, 77333, 77353-57, 77362, 77365, 77372, 77381, 77382, 77384, 77385-87, 77393. Will provide services to all of Montgomery County, but primarily focused on Magnolia ISD.

m. Spring-Woodlands Ministries: 810 E. Louetta Spring, 77373 Temporarily closed due to flooding. Plan to reopen fall 2018. Food Pantry open Mon & Thur. 1pm-3pm; Wed 9-11:30am. Back to school assistance, clothing assistance depending on donations. Seniors program of fellowship, 11am-2pm Tues. Thanksgiving feast on Thanksgiving day, 11am-2pm. Serves 77373, 77338, 77389, 77388, 77073, 77379, 77380, 77386, 77382, 77381. www.springwoodlandsministries.org.

n. Tomball Emergency Assistance Ministries (TEAM): 300 W. Main, Tomball 77375 281-351-6700 Food pantry Tue 10-3pm. Resale Shop Tues-Sat.10 – 6pm 281-255-6967. Serves 77375 or 77377 zip code, Tomball ISD, and members of the church coalition. www.teamtomball.com

o. West Houston Assistance Ministries: 10501 Meadowglen Lane 77042 713-977-9942 Mon-Fri 10am - 1pm. Food and clothing assistance; financial assistance by appointment only. Job search, Adult Basic Education & ESL, free. Food available for one time emergency assistance for any zip code. Serves 77042, 77057, 77063, 77077, 77082 www.whamministries.org.

6. Family Houston www.familyhouston.org 713-861-4849
Central Houston 4625 Lillian St., Houston 77007
Waller 531 FM 359 South, Brookshire 77423 (for case management only)
Assistance with applications for benefits. Provides case management and resource information for utility and food assistance.

7. Gulf Coast Community Services Association http://www.gccsa.org 713-393-4700
9320 Kirby Dr. Houston 77054
Assistance with food, rent, and electric bill. All Harris County.

8. Harris County Social Services http://www.csd.hctx.net 713-696-7900
9418 Jensen, Houston 77093 Monday- Friday 8am-5pm.
Emergency assistance with rent, utilities, emergency shelter, nursing homes, indigent burial, medical transportation, and veteran services. Satellite offices, but must have an appointment through main office.

2020 Solo St., Houston 77020
8am-5pm, call for specific zip codes. Senior program for ages 55 and over, summer day camp. Wellness center with aquatic program and weight room. Social services and case management-provides referrals for job assistance, rent/utility assistance.
III. Basic Needs-Continued

10. **Katy Christian Ministries Social Services**  
    Administration: 5504 1st St, Katy 77493  
    [www.ktcms.org](http://www.ktcms.org)  
    Social Services: 281-391-5261  
    Domestic Abuse Hotline: 281-391-4357  
    Non-Crisis: 281-391-9623

Partial financial assistance, food pantry, resale shop-5504 1st St, Katy 77493. Crisis center for counseling and emergency services not restricted by zip codes. Mon-Thurs 9:00am-5:00pm (closed 12-1pm). School supplies depending on needs, Santa Sleighb program. Partners with other agencies to provide financial literacy and employment classes. 10am-11am 2nd Weds of every month; parenting classes Thurs, 6pm-8pm (call ahead). Free support groups for domestic violence victims (locations vary, call ahead). Serves 77449, 77450, 77493, 77494, 77094, 77084, 77485, 77464, 77441, 77406, 77476.

11. **Money Management International**  
    14141 Southwest Fwy, Suite 1000, Sugarland 77478  
    [www.moneymanagement.org](http://www.moneymanagement.org)  
    713-923-2227

Free counseling services over debt management and housing related issues. Bankruptcy services for a fee. Multiple sites nationwide. Many other specific topic workshops (XMAS, unemployment, first time home buyers, lower interest rates and monthly payments). See website for educational programs.

12. **Neighborhood Centers, Inc.**  
    4500 Bissonnet #200 Bellaire 77401  
    [http://www.neighborhood-centers.org](http://www.neighborhood-centers.org)  
    Central Services: 713-667-9400

A variety of programs to provide emergency assistance to families. Includes emergency food pantry at some locations and programs for childcare and youth. Services for senior citizens through Sheltering Arms. Provides childcare for parents taking ESL classes; parent/child activities. Pediatric clinic, ESL classes, programs for children, youth, families and seniors citizens. La Porte Neighborhood Center has youth program only. Contact individual center to confirm services. Free tax services at centers around region, open all year at Ripley House Community Center.

13. **St. John’s United Methodist Church**  
    2019 Crawford, Houston 77002  
    [www.stjohnsdowntown.org](http://www.stjohnsdowntown.org)  
    713-659-3237

Food & Clothing Distribution Program – food and clothes are given out each Weds. Food program for seniors only. Starts at 7am. Serves all zip codes. Bread of Life located at 1703 W. Gray St., Houston 77003. Food pantry and clothing assistance for the general population, Weds. 8am-12pm; serves all zip codes. Doctor available as well at this location Weds. 8am-12pm; first come first served.

14. **St. Vincent de Paul Society**  
    [www.svdphouston.org](http://www.svdphouston.org)  
    Admin. Office: 713-741-8234

Contact the nearest Catholic Church and ask for Society or Social Services Program, Monday – Friday 9am – 5pm. Financial, clothing, and furniture assistance. Vouchers for use in St. Vincent de Paul Society stores. Quality low cost items in stores for general public as well. Several food pantries in Houston area. Clients referred to appropriate pantry by zip code. Call main number to receive referral to partner locations.

Stores: 5236 Cedar, Bellaire, 77041: **713-669-9410** Mon-10am-7pm, Tues – Fri 10am-5pm., Sat 9am-4pm  
6654 Gulf Freeway, Houston, 77087: **713-862-2605** Tues-Fri 9:30 am-5 pm, Sat 8:30am-4pm.

15. **Salvation Army**  
    2208 Main St. 77002  
    [www.salvationarmyhouston.org](http://www.salvationarmyhouston.org)  
    Family Shelter (open 24 hours): 713-650-6530

Administration office hours: Mon-Fri: 8:30am-12:00pm and 1-4:30pm. Assistance with rent. **Call in advance to check guidelines.** Need proof of income, ID, bills, or eviction notice. Need 2 forms of ID for all services. Pasadena Center for Worship and Service **713-378-0020** 2732 Cherry Brook Lane, Pasadena 77502 - Pasadena office serves Baytown, La Porte, South Houston, Deer Park and Channelview areas.
III. Basic Needs-Continued

16. S.E.A.R.C.H. Resource Center  
   2015 Congress, Houston 77006  
   http://www.searchhomeless.org  
   713-739-7752  
   Full facility day center, Mon – Fri only. Assistance applying for gold card, food stamps and mental health services, information and referral to community resources. Mobile outreach provides lunch, water, blankets, resources, referrals, and access to community connections to get homeless individuals back on their feet. Also provides therapeutic child development (at Foshee Family House of Tiny Treasures) for homeless participants while they search for jobs/go to school. Gold card services. Referrals for ID, clothing, support agencies.

17. South Main Emergency Aid Coalition  
   5401 Fannin, Houston 77004  
   http://www.eachouston.org  
   713-528-3663  
   A coalition of 14 congregations to assist the needy. Need ID. Services available: Food Pantry, Sack Lunch M-F 11am-1pm, Sun 12:15-2pm. Clothing Center Monday-Friday 9:30am –12pm. First Presbyterian Church 5100 Travis 77004. Families can receive clothing assistance every 90 days. Operation ID Provides help in obtaining birth certificates, driver licenses, photo identification. Referral required. Tues and Thurs 9:30-11:30am. $5 copay/ID, $11 copay/DL.

18. Spring-Woodlands Ministries  
   810 E. Louetta, Spring 77373  
   www.springwoodlandsministries.org  
   Temporarily closed due to flooding. Plan to reopen fall 2018. Food pantry. Seniors afternoon out, Tues 11:00am-2:00pm. Serves the following zip codes: 77338, 77373, 77379, 77380, 77381, 77382, 77386, 77388, 77389, 77073. Free Thanksgiving day feast, 11am-2pm.

19. Stand Up for Kids – Houston  
   http://www.standupforkids.org/houston  
   800-365-4KID  
   Street Outreach for teens. Provides food, clothing and necessities. Outreach volunteers give teens information about various services in the community.

20. Texas Information and Referral  
   www.unitedwayhouston.org  
   713-957-4357  
   Emergency Food/Shelter Program (United Way)  
   211  
   Federal assistance for emergency rent or mortgage. Legal eviction notice, foreclosure statement, or letter from landlord required. Food assistance for emergencies (lost food stamps/waiting for food stamps, etc). Individual locations have differing criteria for the number of times assistance is offered.

21. Texas Life Line  
   www.texaslifeline.org  
   866-454-8387  
   Offers assistance in getting reduced rates for telephone connection and monthly charges for telephone service. Discount offered by the State of Texas. Resident is qualified if the current total household income is at or below 135% of the federal poverty level. Residents are also qualified if they are currently receiving: Medicaid, Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program support, SNAP, Federal Public Housing Assistance, SSI, CHIP, Free/Reduced Lunch Program, TANF. Telephone discount up to $12.75 off basic telephone line service or minutes added to prepaid phone. This service does not cover the cost of additional services such as caller ID or voice messaging.

22. United Way Helpline (Information and Referral)  
   211

C. Food and Food Stamps

1. Chinese Community Center  
   9800 Town Park Dr., Houston 77036  
   www.ccchouston.org  
   713-271-6100  
   SNAP (food stamp) and Comprehensive Energy Assistance Program (CEAP) application assistance. Chinese and Vietnamese interpreter available on site. Job training classes. Immigration on site once a month for seminar. Partners with Houston Food Bank for senior food box program.

2. Church Coalitions  
   See page 9.

3. Community Family Center  
   7524 Ave. E, Houston 77012  
   http://www.communityfamilycenters.org  
   713-923-2316  
   ESL classes 713-923-0612, GED testing, Food Pantry Mon-Thurs 9:00am-5:00pm, Friday 9am-2pm. Registry for food pantry card Monday and Thursday 8:00am-4:00pm. Requires proof of address, proof of income, children’s birth certificate, valid ID, and $5.00 for processing fee. Card is valid for 6 months. Food pantry services zip codes 77011, 77012, 77023 Mon-Thurs; all zip codes served Fri. Child care 713-923-0606. Camp Fresh summer program for ages 4 to 18, Mon-Fri 8:00am-5:30pm; 10 week program. Call for pricing and other requirements. Camp held at JP McGovern Sports and Recreational Center 713-595-1300. More information about summer programs at Youth Services Division 713-921-0616. Counseling available through DePelchin (713-864-2582). Victims of Violence Counseling Service through Innovative Alternative (713-222-2525).
III. Basic Needs-Continued

4. Gulf Coast Community Services Association  713-393-4700
9320 Kirby Dr. Houston 77054  http://www.gccsa.org
Food pantry. Call for referral to satellite office. Bring proof of identity. Also provides rent and utility assistance, applications online. Monday-Friday, 9am-11:40am, 1:00pm-4:00pm.

8030 Boone Road, Houston 77072
Emergency food pantry. Mon-Thurs 9-12pm (last client at 11:45am) & Sat 10-12pm. Proof of address (lease agreement preferred) and family size needed for assistance. Assistance provided 3 times per year with 30 days in between visits. Saturday sack lunches for children. ESL classes and citizenship classes. Immunizations through Care Van-call for dates and locations. Referral services offered. Check website for dates/times of Food Fair. Bring Texas ID and container for Food Fair.

204 Clifton, Houston 77011
Mon-Th: 9:30-3:30; Fri: 9:30-2pm. Provides free infant formula on temporary emergency basis for babies, 0-12 months. Prescription required for specialty formula. Bring birth certificate (or verification of birth facts form from hospital), mother’s photo ID. Assistance provided up to 6 times during 1st year of life. Parent or caregiver must bring photo ID. Other locations: (call main number before going to satellite locations)
170 Heights Blvd, 77007
6400 Highst, 77074
6719 W. Montgomery Rd., 77091

7. Loaves and Fishes  713-224-1373
2009 Congress, Houston 77002
Provides a hot meal Tues – Sun, 11:00am – until food runs out. Breakfast served Sat. and Sun. 8:00am. Closed Monday. Women’s Shelter: 3:30pm-4:30pm check-in time, 3 day stay.


2732 Cherry Brook, Pasadena 77052
Pasadena office gives out food, Mon-Fri, 1pm-2pm. ID and proof of address required. Birth certificate for all children under 18 years old. Bag lunches served at Pasadena office for the homeless on Mon-Fri 1pm-2pm, no ID required. Assistance with rent and utilities provided depending on funding. Meals on Wheels for homebound clients 60+ years old. In-house senior program, Mon-Fri 8am-12pm, providing 2 meals for seniors 60+ years old, call first for assessment for eligibility.

10. United Way Helpline  www.unitedwayhouston.org  211
Provides comprehensive information and referral about a variety of community service needs. Services could include child care, health care services, basic needs (rent, utilities, food, etc.), immigration services, legal referrals, and transportation. Services are zip code based. Additional services may be available to veteran/military members and their families. Please identify affiliation with the military in order to have the specialist search for these services.

11. WIC State Program  www.texaswic.org  800-942-3678
Call for qualifying information and locations throughout Texas. I&R line Monday – Friday.
Free coupons for approved nutritious foods and nutrition information to pregnant and breast feeding women for infants and children up to 5. Harris County residents who meet income guidelines and determined to be a nutritional risk by dietician at local clinic.

D. Long-term Financial Assistance

8410 Lantern Point Dr., Houston 77054
Harris County residents only. Information on housing and community resources collected from all over Harris County.

14141 Southwest Fwy, Suite 1000, Sugarland 77478
First time home buyers course. Debt counseling. Bankruptcy counseling. Foreclosure/housing counseling. All services are free. Does not lend money.
III. Basic Needs – Continued

3. Texas Health & Human Services Commission (HHSC)  www.hhsc.state.tx.us  877-541-7905/ or 211
   To apply:  www.yourtexasbenefits.com
   For deaf/hard of hearing, dial #877 using the Relay program of choice
   TANF (Temporary Assistance for Needy Families) and food stamps/SNAP, long term services for persons with disabilities, Medicaid, CHIP, and CHIP Perinatal. Apply online, request that an application be mailed to the home, or request information on nearest local office to apply in person. Phone interviews available to anyone throughout the region.
   - Baytown 1300 South Hwy 146, 77520  281-427-9480
   - Conroe, 608 North Loop 336 East, 77301  936-539-1161
   - Galveston, 123 Rosenberg, 77550  409-763-0277
   - Houston, 10060 Fuqua, 77089  713-946-6861
   - Houston, 13838 Buffalo Speedway, 77045  713-433-3145
   - Houston, 220 Meadowfern 77067  281-874-0048
   - Houston, 10202 I-10 East, 77029  713-673-6347
   - Houston, 1421 Little York, 77093  281-372-2540
   - Houston, 9450 Harwin, 77036  713-433-3145
   - Houston, 6124 Scott, 77021  713-947-8130
   - Houston, 2110 Telephone Road, 77023  713-921-5108
   - Houston, 2133 Highway 6 South, Suite 100, 77077  281-597-5200
   - Houston, 8511 N. Rosslyn Rd, 77088  713-895-6800
   - Houston, 3880 North Freeway, 77093  713-699-1098
   - Houston, 1425 E. 40th St, 77022  713-692-3236
   - Pasadena, 810 Preston Ave, 77503  713-947-8130
   - Tomball, 29250 Tomball Parkway, 77375  281-351-0637

   6161 Savoy Drive #420, Houston  77036  www.childsupport.oag.state.tx.us  800-252-8014
   For assistance in collection of child support, contact Regional Field Offices, based on zip code. Help in locating absent parent using public records such as social security, driver license, unemployment, etc. Modify and enforce existing orders. Voluntary and court ordered paternity established. Paternity tests available. All services are free.

E. Parent Locating Services

1. Texas Office of the Attorney General  713-243-7100
   Child Support Division 6161 Savoy #420, Houston 77036; Call 1-800-252-8014 for other locations.

F. Shelters

1. Ambassadors for Christ Youth Ministries  www.afcyouth.org  281-536-5475
   5120 Woodway Dr., Suite 9015, Houston 77056
   Transitional living, mentoring, homeless counseling, positive youth development, street outreach. Basic Center Services: showers, soap, clothing, towels, etc. Substance abuse and mental health counseling. Mediation with youth and families. Information and referral. Serves youth 10-18 years old. Transitional living program serves youth 18-22 years old.

2. Bay Area Homeless Services  www.bahs-shelter.org  Shelter Intake: 281-837-1654
   3406 Wisconsin, Baytown 77520
   28 to 90 day shelter for homeless singles or families. Family Center for husband, wife, and children. Also accepts common law marriages; must meet requirements; up to 60 day stay. Lodging, meals, referrals. Call regarding available space. Capacity 32. Mon-Fri, 8a-12p. Shelter intake/screening by phone available 24/7. Not an emergency shelter. Work program: must be physically/legally able to work 40 hour weeks, sober 30 days prior to admission, compliant with medications, no registered sex offenders permitted.

3. Catholic Charities See basic needs; emergency assistance, page 12.  713-227-4900
III. Basic Needs – Continued

4. Coalition for the Homeless  
http://www.homelesshouston.org  
2000 Crawford St, Suite 700, Houston 77002 
Advocacy and education. Manage homeless court. Serve those who serve the homeless population through research, project management, training, education, and advocacy.

5. Foshee Family House of Tiny Treasures  
2323 Francis St, Houston 77004  
http://www.searchhomeless.org 
Free therapeutic child care for children of the homeless, ages 21 months to 5 years old, while parents attend job training, school or working programs. Limited transportation (10 mile radius) to shelter/transitional living homes. Meals provided, 7am-5:30pm. Speech and hearing assessments, vision, art, music, cooking, dance & play therapy for children.

6. Hospitality Apartments  
7300 Bertner Ave, Houston 77030  
http://www.hospitalityapartments.org 
Provides housing for up to three months for any patient and their families if receiving treatment through the Medical Center. 46 apartments. Must be from out of town (at least 50 miles away). Children may only visit 3 days per month if not the identified patient. Minimum stay of 2 weeks. No pets. Does not serve anyone within 50 miles of Houston. Each patient must have a caretaker. Call to check availability. Wait list 2-3 months long.

7. Housing Authority of Houston Information Line  
2640 Fountainview, Suite 230, Houston 77057  
www.housingforhouston.com 
Low cost apartment and housing for families and the elderly & handicapped inside the Houston city limits. Several locations. Rent computed at 40% of adjusted gross income. Applications accepted online only. Waiting list (3-7 years). Currently not accepting applications regarding Housing Choice voucher program.

8. Interfaith Hospitality Network (NAM)  
15555 Kuykendahl, Houston 77090  
http://www.namonline.org 
Intake: 281-885-4575 
Social services provided through Northwest Assistance Ministries (NAM). Housing for homeless, call for qualifications. Serves zip codes: 77014, 77032, 77038, 77050, 77060, 77064, 77066-70, 77073, 77086, 77090, 77379, 77388-389.

9. Magnificat House  
3209 Austin St, Houston 77004  
www.mhihouston.org 
Shelters for the mentally ill, homeless & former offenders ages 18 and older. Up to 3 night stay. 3 beds available for emergency shelter. Wheelchair access not available. 6 men’s and 2 women’s shelters. Application process-resident pays $400-$500/month. Scholarship available for 90 day stay if payment can’t be made. No sex offenders, arson charges, any kind of monitors. Myriam’s Hostel for homeless girls 713-224-1373.

10. Northwest Assistance Ministries (NAM)  
See above - Interfaith Hospitality network

11. St. John’s United Methodist Church/Bread of Life  
http://breadoflifeinc.org 
1703 Gray St., Houston 77002 
Adults only. Saturday breakfast only 8am. Food fair Wednesday 7:00am-11:00am at downtown location. Thursdays 11:00am-1:00pm at 8787 N. Houston Roslyn Rd. No cost medical services are provided by volunteer physicians to homeless men and women on a weekly basis; call for day service is offered. Free HIV testing every 4th Sunday after each worship service. Worship services on Sunday at 8am and 12pm.

12. Salvation Army Family Center  
1603 McGowen, Houston 77004  
www.salvationarmyhouston.org 
Family service center and shelter for married couples with children, single mothers or fathers and their children. Social Services Dept. Rent/utility assistance, food pantry. 713-658-9205 
Conroe’s Red Shield Lodge 304 Ave. E., Conroe 77301  
936-760-2440 
Harbor Light – 2407 N. Main, 77009  
Men only. Cannot provide transportation. 713-224-2875 
First 7 days free. Can stay up to 30 days. ID required. $10 a night after 7th day. Sex offenders not accepted. 
Sally’s House 1717 Congress, Houston 77002  
713-223-8889 
Transitional living center for 60 single homeless women who are recovering from drugs and/or alcohol. Variety of services to encourage independence. Free to unemployed, 30% monthly gross salary after job placement. 30 days sobriety required. Overnight shelter for first 20 women. Can stay up to 30 days.
III. Basic Needs – Continued
(Salvation Army-Continued)
Young Adult Resource Center 1621 McGowen, 77004 713-658-9205
Connects young adults ages 18-25 years old who are homeless or at risk for homelessness to housing and other mainstream supports. Respite day center with access to computers, games, movies and snacks. Job coaching, recovery coaching, educational support, tutoring and re-engagement offered.

Administrative Offices 4848 Loop Central Dr., Ste. 500, 77081 713-748-0700
Women and Family Emergency Shelter 2575 Reed, Houston 77051 713-222-2220
Men's Development Center 1811 Ruiz, Houston 77002 713-748-0700
Provides a continuum of care including crisis services through intensive programs offering stability, personal development and hope. Up to 130 families and 160 single women daily. Children bussed to school through HISD. Social services and medical clinic on site. Residents assist in upkeep.

3701 Kirby Dr., Suite 860, Houston 77098
Works to create and maintain safe and affordable housing for low income.

15. The Women’s Home http://www.thewomenshome.org 713-521-3150
607 Westheimer, Houston 77006
56 bed long-term residential rehabilitation program for single women. Provides housing, job training, psychiatric services, psychotherapy, and spiritual development. Requires 60 day sobriety prior to admission. No attempts to self-harm within 90 days prior to admission. Cottage thrift shop.

Transitional residence for women ages 25-50, able to be trained in job skills. No children. Relapse Prevention class offered. Requires 90 day sobriety prior to admission. Must be 120 days post-hospitalization if recently hospitalized (including psychiatric hospitalization). If using medication, must be on medication for minimum of 60 days. Cannot be on disability. Serves homeless women, domestic violence victims, and those struggling with substance abuse. Bus passes available for transportation. Telephone screenings Mon-Fri, 10am-3pm for eligibility.

17. Wesley Community Center http://www.wesleyhousehouston.org 713-223-8131
1410 Lee St. Houston 77009
Mon-Fri, 8am-6pm. Assists with rent, utilities (call to determine if funding is available) and food. Assisting Harvey victims. Senior day center, 8am-1pm. Job search assistance. Credit repair coaching. Early childhood services, after school and summer youth program, seniors programs. Call Mon-Fri, 9am-3pm to schedule appointment. Food fair on 2nd and 3rd Saturday, 10am-12pm. Call for more information.

18. YWCA Houston www.ywcahouston.org 713-868-9922
6309 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd, Houston 77021
Adult programs for women ages 18-24 who may be homeless. Food pantry serves all zip codes based on income. Senior program-Meals on Wheels. Youth empowerment groups for teen girls.

IV. Camps

A. Day Camps

1. Baker-Ripley (formerly Neighborhood Centers, Inc) www.bakerripley.org
Baker-Ripley House 4410 Navigation, Houston 77011 713-315-6400
Harbach-Ripley Community Center 6225 Northdale, Houston 77087 713-641-7100
Cleveland-Ripley Community Center 720 Fairmont Parkway, Pasadena 77504 713-944-9186
After school youth development and athletic programs during the school year from 3pm-6pm. Some evening/weekend enrichment programs. Passport to Summer Fun camp program runs for 11 weeks in June, July & August from 7am-6pm; ages 4-18 years. Also provide Seniors Program with some transportation available.

2. Fifth Ward Enrichment http://www.twepinc.org 713-229-8353
4014 Market St., Suite W145, Houston 77020 (located in the 5th Ward Multi-Service Center) 12-18 year olds. 7-8 week summer program, 8am-4pm, open to the public, some transportation provided. Applications available early April. Year round after-school program, Mon-Thurs, 4pm-6pm, serves schools in 77020, 77026, 77028 (Wheatley High School, Kashmere High School, McReynolds Middle School, Fleming Middle School, Key Middle School). All programs are free of charge.
IV. Camps-Continued

3. Houston Parks and Recreation Department
   2999 South Wayside, Houston 77023
   http://www.houstontx.gov/parks
   Maintains 56 city recreation centers. Youth enrichment summer program. After school programs during the fall and spring.

4. Jewish Community Center
   http://www.ercjchouston.org
   5601 South Braeswood, Houston 77096
   Three locations with organized youth programs and day camps. Winter and holiday vacation camps. Must be a member of the center to participate.

5. Julia C. Hester House
   http://juliachesterhouse.org
   2020 Solo, Houston 77020
   Summer day camp ages 5-12, 9am-1pm. After school ages 5-12. Located inside the Loop. All programs are free. Serves zip codes 77016, 77020, 77026, 77028.

6. Pasadena Parks and Recreation
   http://www.ci.pasadena.tx.us
   1104 Parkside Dr., Pasadena 77502
   Several programs at various sites. Summer camp, rec centers at 2 locations.

7. Salvation Army Boys and Girls Club
   www.sabgchouston.org
   2600 Aldine-Westfield Road, Houston 77093
   Five recreational sites and maintains a summer camp.
   4615 Irvington Blvd, 77009        713-692-2283
   6529 Beverly Hills Ln, 77057    281-904-4878
   9717 W. Montgomery Rd, 77088   832-201-8076
   12507 Windfern Rd, 77064       832-200-4612
   2732 Cherrybrook Ln, Pasadena 77502  713-378-0020

8. Wesley Community Center
   http://www.wesleyhousehouston.org
   1410 Lee St., Houston 77009
   Usually for school-age children. Summer: 3rd -9th grade, no fee, 9am-6pm. Fall, Spring after-school activities. Harris County only.

9. YMCA of Greater Houston Area
   http://www.ymcahouston.org
   713-659-5566
   39 locations with extensive summer youth day program. Consult website or phone book for closest facility. After school programs in the fall and spring.

B. Day Camps for Special Populations

1. Camp Rainbow – American Diabetes Association
   713-977-7706 x6089
   Circle Lake Retreat, Pinehurst TX. http://www.diabetes.org/houston
   Children with Type I diabetes and their siblings. Ages 4-17. Camperships available. Call for information.

2. Lighthouse Summer Day Camp/ Lighthouse of Houston
   www.houstonlighthouse.org
   713-527-9561
   3602 W. Dallas, Houston 77019
   Programs available for the blind and visually impaired. Volunteer opportunities available to assist the blind.

3. Multipurpose Recreation Center (formerly Houston Parks and Recreation)
   832-395-7000
   2999 South Wayside, Houston 77023 http://www.houstontx.gov/parks
   Summer enrichment program for all children based on individual abilities. Contact local community centers for additional information.

4. Pasadena Parks and Recreation
   www.ci.pasadena.tx.us
   281-487-1755
   5200 Burke Rd, Pasadena 77504 Visually, physically, and mentally disabled. Open recreation. Day programs. Provides services to Pasadena and surrounding areas.
IV. Camps-Continued

C. Residential Camps

1. **Boy Scouts of America**
   2225 N. Loop West, Houston 77292
   Offers one-week camping sessions at both El Rancho Cima and Camp Strake.

2. **San Jacinto Girl Scouts**
   3110 SW Freeway, Houston 77098
   Nine camp sites with sessions ranging from five days to two weeks and day camps. Twilight camps also available.

3. **Sea Camp**
   Texas A&M at Galveston
   Located at "Camp for All" in Burton, Texas. No Fee.

4. **YMCA Camps: Camp Cullen**
   7-17 years old. 7 day overnight camp at Lake Livingston. Scholarships available.

D. Residential Camps for Special Populations

1. **The Arc of Greater Houston**
   3737 Dacona, Suite E, Houston 77092; mailing address: PO Box 924168, Houston 77092
   Serves children and adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Two fall camps available, including overnight. One full week summer camp. Camp Champions ages 10-30 years old. Respite program, social activities, monthly dances, advocacy.

2. **Camp C.A.M.P.**
   PO Box 27086, San Antonio, Texas 78227
   Provides camp experience for children and adults who cannot attend other camps due to the severity of their disability. Physical location and contact for camp: Center Point, TX. Sliding scale for families with no agency support. Residential Camp – Sunday through Friday.

3. **Camp Janus**
   For burn survivors ages 5-18. Held at "Camp for All" in Burton, Texas. No Fee. Email: campjanus@campjanus.org

4. **Camp Spike 'n' Wave**
   For epileptic children currently on anti-epileptic meds, ages 8-14. Located in Burton. One-week camp.

5. **Camp Sweeney Southwestern Diabetic Foundation**

6. **Charis Hills Camp**
   Christian camp for children with learning differences such as ADHD, autism spectrum disorder. 1:3 counselor to camper ratio. Focus is on coping skills—scholarships available—ages 7-18. Fall and Spring camps also available.

7. **Kamp Kaleidoscope**
   Epilepsy Foundation of Southeast Texas
   2401 Fountainview, #900, Houston 77057
   Ages 15-19. Free for teens with epilepsy or on anti-seizure medication (must qualify). Located in Anna, Texas
   Programs designed to help teens transition to adulthood.

8. **Muscular Dystrophy Association**
   11767 Katy Fwy, Suite 750, Katy 77079
   No fee. Must be a registered member of Muscular Dystrophy Association.

9. **National Kidney Foundation**
   Located at "Camp for All" in Burton, Texas, August 9–14.
D. Residential Camps for Special Populations-Continued

10. **Texas Asthma Camp**  www.texasasthmacamp.com  903-565-4475
    Summer session held at Lake Tyler for children ages 7-14. Camperships available.
    Application fee $25, June-overnight, one week only--$250. Check website for camp dates and camp forms.

11. **Texas Elks Camp**  www.texaselkscamp.org  830-875-2425
    Gonzales, Texas. Children with physical, mental, and learning disabilities, ages 7-15. Does not accept children who
    need one-on-one supervision. New applications go online on January 1. First come, first served basis. Will consider
    Autism Spectrum Disorder on case by case basis. No fee.

12. **Texas Hemophilia Summer Camp - Camp Aiihipomeh** (near Meridian, Texas)  713-500-8345
    Boys with hemophilia (bleeding disorder), ages 7-17.

13. **Texas Lions Camp**  http://www.lionscamp.com  830-896-8500
    Kerrville, Texas. Contact your local Lions Club. Lion’s service club operates a free camp in Kerrville for children
    with physical disabilities and children with cancer, ages 7-15. There is also a camp for Type I diabetic children ages 8-
    15. I.Q. 70 and above. Visual and hearing impaired or physically disabled. Down Syndrome Camp ages 12-16.
    Transportation to camp may be available through local club. No Fee.

V. Child Abuse and Neglect

A. Intervention Services

1. **ARENA Counseling and Emotional Trauma Center**  713-271-8430
    5800 Ranchester, Suite #142, Houston 77036
    Bilingual counseling for victims and perpetrators of physical and sexual abuse. Parenting Program. Children’s
    Trauma groups. Women’s Survivor Groups. Treatment program for perpetrators. Treatment for children with sexual
    behavior problems. Clients are CPS, JPD or private pay. Sliding scale also available. 10am-6pm.

    P.O.Box 324, Baytown 77522
    Empowerment for abuse children to improve self-confidence, increase feeling of safety, better communication,
    Decrease negative behaviors, diminish regressive behaviors. Empowerment to testify. Provide a sense of
    belonging, acceptance and independence. Available 7 days a week.

3. **The Bridge**  www.tbotw.org  713-472-0753
    3811 Allen Genoa Rd, Pasadena 77504
    Emergency shelter for one month for 100 women and children who are battered or homeless. Also provides low
    cost 2 year transitional living arrangement. Counseling provided. Community education speakers available. Also
    has PIVOT program for male batterers. Rape crisis counseling and accompaniment. Sexual abuse groups. Legal
    assistance. Survivors of family violence support group. All services are free.

4. **Robbie Burnett**  281-580-7845
    14343 Torrey Chase Blvd., Suite I, Houston 77014
    Trauma specialists dealing with problems such as depression, suicide, abuse, family conflicts, domestic violence,
    compensation. Trauma therapy for sexual assault victims and their families. Accepts private pay and insurance.

5. **Child Advocates Inc. (CASA)**  http://www.childadvocates.org  713-529-1396
    3701 Kirby Dr, #400, Houston 77098
    Trained volunteers act as advocates, fact finders, and monitors for abused and neglected children involved officially
    with DFPS.

6. **Children’s Assessment Center**  www.cachouston.org  713-986-3300
    2500 Bolsover, Houston 77005
    Multi-agency approach for prevention, investigation, and treatment for child victims of sexual abuse. One stop
    center reduces trauma to child, coordinates services and court preparation in a child friendly environment. Police,
    CPS, District Attorneys, agencies, and volunteers provide a team approach to assist victims and families. Specially
    trained doctors examine child victims of abuse. If a police report has been filed, law enforcement will pay for exam.
V. Child Abuse and Neglect - Continued

7. Children’s Court Services Houston Area Women’s Center 713-528-6798 x 2255
1010 Waugh, Houston 77019  www.hawc.org
Victim assistance program for children/youth who are crime victims or witnesses to crimes, and their non-offending parents. Services include crisis intervention, referrals, explanation of laws and legal procedures, updates on criminal case status, assistance with Crime Victims’ Compensation applications, court orientation, accompaniment to meetings at the DA’s office and to court. Bilingual staff. No fee.

8. Children’s Protective Services: Department of Family and Protective Services
To report allegations of abuse and neglect:  
Austin:  800-252-5400
2525 Murworth, Houston 77054  www.txabusehotline.org  Administrative Office:  713-394-4000
Agency mandated to investigate allegations of abuse and neglect and provide services for children who have been physically and sexually abused, or neglected.

9. DAYA  http://www.dayahouston.org
P.O. Box 770773, Houston 77215
Helpline: 713-981-7645
Office: 713-842-7222
Free services to South Asian survivors of domestic violence, sexual & emotional abuse. Counseling, advocacy, legal clinic, ESL & computer classes, translation & interpretation, outreach/education, transitional home and limited financial assistance for rent, utilities, child care, legal fees, transportation and education/job training.

10. Fort Bend County Women’s Center  24 hr Hotline: 281-342-4357
PO Box 183, Richmond, Texas 77406-0183  http://www.fortbendwomenscenter.org
Administration: 281-344-5750  M-F, 9am-5pm,
Services to survivors of domestic violence, sexual assault, and/or incest. Services include emergency shelter, crisis hotline, volunteer accompaniment program, outreach, and counseling and referral programs. Services not limited to residents of Fort Bend County.

11. Harris County District Attorney’s Office – Child Abuse Division  713-274-0150
1201 Franklin, Suite 600, Houston 77002-1923
Prosecutes cases of physical abuse, sexual abuse, and/or neglect of children:
(1) where the victim was age 3-5 at report of last offense or (2) sexual abuse cases filed by law enforcement at the Children’s Assessment Center where the victim is 13 years of age or younger. All other child abuse cases are handled by prosecutors assigned to the Trial Bureau.

12. Houston Area Women’s Center  http://www.hawc.org  713-528-6798
1010 Waugh, Houston 77019  Domestic Violence/Family Violence Hotline: 713-528-2121
Support groups for non-offending parents and caregivers of children who have been sexually abused. Support groups and individual counseling for girls who have been sexually abused, ages 5-18. Individual counseling for male survivors, ages 5-18. Children’s Court Services provides education, advocacy, support and accompaniment for child victims or witnesses to domestic violence and their non-offending family members who are involved in the criminal justice system. No fee for services.

8300 Mykawa, Houston 77048 (non-city residents, call your local police department or sheriff’s department) Physical and sexual abuse cases, by a family member or another person, may be reported to the police for prosecution of the offender.

6750 West Loop South, Suite 120, Bellaire 77401
Non-profit child advocacy for children abused by their caretakers. Information and referral services. Legal advocacy, public policy monitoring, mental health services, education and emotional support. No fee.

8668 Spicerwood Springs Rd, Austin 78759
Non-profit clearing house of information on missing and exploited children. Provides technical assistance to citizens and law enforcement as well as training for professionals. Distributes nationwide photos and descriptions of missing children.
V. Child Abuse and Neglect - Continued

B. Prevention Services

1. Casa de Esperanza  
   Administration Office: PO Box 66581, Houston 77266-6581  
   Free, voluntary care for children up to age 6 at time of admission, whose families are in crisis that might lead to abuse. Temporary housing for child and counseling for parent is offered. Also care for kids who are HIV+. Volunteers and aides staff 9 houses for 3-6 children each, providing a home-like atmosphere. Testing and therapy for developmentally delayed, birth to 6 years.  

2. Collaborative For Children  
   1111 N. Loop West, #600, Houston 77008  
   Student program teaching primary prevention, child development, and positive discipline techniques. Offered to all Harris County. Parent Involvement and Education components in Preschool, ages 0-5. Also Family Center Child Care Collaborative offers parent education to selected daycare centers. Parents as Teachers-in home services to parents of children from birth to 3 years old; available to Harris County residents only.  
   [www.collabforchildren.org] 713-600-1100

3. Child Pornography Enforcement Program  
   Immigration and Customs Enforcement  
   Tip Line: 866-347-2423  
   4141 N. Sam Houston Parkway E, #300, Houston 77032  
   Consumers of child pornography are often child molesters. Department of Homeland Security (HSI) investigates suspicious activities related to child pornography including internet pornography. Cash rewards paid for evidence/information leading to arrest. Works closely with the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children. Literature on missing children and victims of sexual abuse available.

4. DePelchin Children’s Center  
   4950 Memorial, Houston 77007  
   Foster care, adoption and post-adoption services. Counseling services in office and school settings to children and families experiencing challenges related to school performance, family conflict, grief and other mental health issues. Many services free of charge and offered in both English and Spanish, including Services-to-At-Risk-Youth (STAR) program and Parenting Help program. STAR offers free individual and family counseling and parenting support in addition to skills-based training groups for caregivers and youth ages 18 years and younger. Parenting Help is a free home-based parenting program for parents with children 0-5 years old in Harris County and Galveston County, giving parents the tools and support to influence good behavior in their kids and prevent future problems from happening.  
   DePelchin STAR: 713-664-3459 (Harris County) 281-261-1341 (Fort Bend/Waller Counties)  
   Parenting Help: 713-802-7777 (Harris County) 409-684-9210 (Galveston County)  

5. ESCAPE Family Resource Center  
   2410 Hamilton St, Houston 77004  
   Family Education programs to strengthen families provided by trained professionals. Core programs include Building Confident Families which focuses on conflict resolution, safe and effective communication, problem solving, discipline and other issues. Families and Divorce focuses on emotional effects of divorce on children and parents. Education for parents and children 3-18 years old. Classes offered 7 days a week. Programs in Spanish and English.  

6. POPS (People Opposed to Paddling Students)  
   1306 W. Brooklake, Houston 77077  
   Group focusing on replacing corporal punishment in the schools and educating parents on disciplinary measures not based on physical abuse. Free “No Spanking” posters. Educational presentations on alternatives to corporal punishment.  
   [www.bakerripley.org] 281-584-9707

VI. Community Centers and Volunteer Programs

1. Baker-Ripley  
   [www.bakerripley.org] 713-315-6400
   Ripley House 4410 Navigation, Houston 77011  
   Cleveland-Ripley 720 Fairmont Parkway, Pasadena 77504  
   Harbach-Ripley 6225 Northdale, Houston 77087  
   Baker Ripley Neighborhood Center 6500 Rookin St. 77074  
   Leonel Castillo Community Center 2101 South St. 77009  
   Community centers offer a variety of services, recreation, and education to all ages.
VI. Community Centers and Volunteer Programs-Continued

2. **Big Brothers Big Sisters Lone Star** [http://www.bbbstx.org](http://www.bbbstx.org) 713-271-5683
   500 Dallas St, Suite 2900, Houston 77002
   Mentoring one on one for children ages 6 – 14. Both community and school-based programs.

3. **Boys and Girls Club** [www.bgcgh.org](http://www.bgcgh.org) 713-868-3426
   Administrative Office: 815 Crosby St, Houston 77019
   Tutoring, arts & crafts, and game room. Membership fee of $5 during school year, $20 per child during summer. Provides transportation from some schools. Call for other locations.

4. **Child Builders** [www.childbuilders.org](http://www.childbuilders.org) 713-481-6555
   2425 Fountain View Dr., Ste. 210 Houston 77057
   Student program teaching primary prevention, child development, and positive discipline techniques. Offered to all Harris County. Parent Involvement and Education components in Preschool, K-3, 4-6, and 7-12 curricula. Family Center Child Care Collaborative offers parent education to selected day cares. Healthy Parenting program focuses on child abuse prevention for parents. Also provides Relationship Smarts Plus 3.0 that aids in healthy dating relationships.

5. **Chinese Community Center** [http://www.ccchouston.org](http://www.ccchouston.org) 713-271-6100
   9800 Town Park Drive, Houston 77036
   After-school tutorial, individual, and group counseling, Child Development Program, early learning center, field trips/recreation, and summer and spring camp, ages 4-18. Focus is to deter gang activity/delinquency. Monthly parenting workshop. Focus on cultural awareness and adjusting to new environment. Adult ESL, job training, and senior programs.

6. **Community Family Center** [www.communityfamilycenters.org](http://www.communityfamilycenters.org) 713-923-2316
   7524 Ave. E., Houston 77012
   Services for Spanish speaking community. Clinica de Consultar Familiar provides resource information. HIV & parenting education. Teen pregnancy program. ESL & GED, substance abuse, food pantry, and summer program for ages 4-17.

7. **Hester House** [www.juliachesterhouse.org](http://www.juliachesterhouse.org) 713-274-1394
   2020 Solo, Houston 77020
   Programs and services to residents of 77016, 77020, 77026. Early childhood, youth empowerment program, family and social services, computer classes, senior services, ESL classes, after school program from 5pm to 12am.

8. **Jewish Community Center** [http://www.erjcchouston.org](http://www.erjcchouston.org) 713-729-3200
   5601 S. Braeswood, Houston 77096
   Provides education, recreation, and fellowship opportunities for the Jewish community, but open to all.

   2335 N. Texas Avenue, Houston 77581
   Multi-service complex of the United Way of Brazoria County. Health programs, recreation, food and baby pantry, public meetings, information and referral and “Chemical Abuse Resolution Lies in Education” (Charlie) program. Utility and rental assistance. GED scholarships.

10. **Salvation Army Boys and Girls Club** [www.salvationarmyhouston.org](http://www.salvationarmyhouston.org) 713-695-3388
    2600 Aldine-Westfield, Houston 77093
    2732 Cherry Brook Lane, Pasadena 77502
    7920 Cook Rd, Houston 77072 – Serves Asian community.
    12507 Windfern, Houston 77064 (Northwest Corp)
    4516 Irvington Blvd., Houston 77009 (Temple Corp)
    After-school program for ages 6-17 years old. Counseling, athletic activities, food pantry. Variety of services based on location. Summer program also available at each location.

11. **Shape Community Center** [http://www.shape.org](http://www.shape.org) 713-521-0629
    Administrative Office 3903 Almeda Rd., Houston 77004
    Youth Family Center 3815 Live Oak, Houston, TX 77004
    Free computer classes, after-school program and youth development. Programs to support families. Elder program with meal Tuesday and Thursday.
VI. Community Centers and Volunteer Programs-Continued

12. Spring Branch Family Development Center http://www.sbfdc.org  713-996-8781
8575 Pitner, Houston 77080  Education, recreation, health and social services for area residents.

13. Twin Oaks Housing Mutual Community Center  713-472-0706
3222 Pasadena Blvd, Pasadena 77503  Provides referral and education. Health screening once a month for vision, cholesterol, and glucose. ESL, computer classes, yoga classes, and literacy program for adults in Spanish (INEA). Free seminars for the community. Summer lunch program for children up to 18.

3303 Main St., Houston 77002  Volunteer recruiting and placement. Counties served: Walker, Montgomery, Liberty, Chambers, Harris, Galveston, Brazoria, Fort Bend, Matagorda, Waller, Austin, Colorado and Wharton.

15. Wesley Community Center Inc. www.wesleyhousehouston.org  713-223-8131
Wesley House - Main Office  1410 Lee St., Houston 77009  Services for all ages. Rent utility assistance, day care center, family and senior co-op. Food pantry, financial opportunity center, homeless prevention and senior program for ages 60 and older. Adult training, health benefits, Head Start. Contact the center for more information.

VII. Counseling

17115 Red Oak Dr., Suite 116, Houston 77090  Outpatient mental health services for ages 3 and older. Provide individual, pre-marital, and family counseling. Home and school-based services available. Parenting, anger management, and domestic violence education. ADHD evaluations. Court ordered classes offered. Insurance, sliding scale, and Medicaid accepted. Approved DFPS contractor.

2. Association for the Advancement of Mexican Americans (AAMA)  713-926-9491
204 Clifton, Houston 77011  http://www.aama.org  713-929-2300

3. Ambassadors for Christ www.afcyouth.org  281-536-5475
5120 Woodway Dr., #9015, Houston 77056  A faith-based model, non-profit organization that provides quality one on one and group mentoring to at risk youth through music and the performing arts. May be of any religion or race. No fee. Abstinence/safe sex course. Individual counseling. Substance abuse counseling.

4281 Daconma, Houston 77092  Community based program offering free parent education classes, adult literacy, fatherhood support group, couples program for low-income families. Bilingual services. North and Northwest area of Houston.

5. B. Ortiz Counseling Services Center  713-851-8145

2646 S. Loop W., Ste. 505F, Houston 77054  Individual, group, family and marital counseling for children, adolescents and adults. Specializes in building strong families and post-partum services. Anxiety, depression, LGBTQ, women’s issues, and life coaching. Medicaid and sliding scale accepted.
VII. Counseling – Continued

3880 Greenhouse Rd, Suite 306, Houston 77084
Family, marriage, and individual counseling with children, adolescents, and adults. College and career planning, preparation for high school and college students and adults wanting to explore life/career changes. Support groups and workshops. Works with military families. Accepts Medicaid (traditional, Texas Children's, and United).

8. Beal Counseling Associates  Bealcounseling@gmail.com  713-337-2457
2656 S. Loop, Suite 200, Houston 77054

9525 Katy Freeway, Suite 312, Houston 77024
Diagnosis, counseling, psychotherapy and medication management for children, adolescents, adults, couples, and families. Comprehensive psychological services available. Now offering Transcranial Magnetic Stimulation. Accepts Medicaid, Medicare, sliding scale, and private insurance. 8:30-5:30, Mon-Fri. 9-2, Sat. Closed for lunch daily 12pm-2pm.

10. Bran New Genesis Counseling Services  832-422-7BNG
6201 Bonhomme Rd, Suite 460-S, Houston 77036
Outpatient mental health and substance abuse counseling and psychotherapy for children, adolescents, adults, families and groups. Specializes in psychosocial assessments, emotional and behavioral counseling and EAP counseling for depression, anxiety, relationships, and anger management. Also offers parenting classes/education. Weekend hours. Home based or office visits. Accepts Medicaid, CHIP, STAR Health, private insurance, self-pay, and sliding scale.

11. Bering Support Network (Bering Memorial United Methodist Church)  713-526-1018
1440 Harold, Houston 77006  www.beringumc.org
Spiritual support group has covered dish dinner Wednesday (6:30pm) and meeting follows. Lunch Bunch: Tues (11am) for persons HIV+ and on disability. Eight week grief recovery support group, immigrant group, men’s cancer support group, caregiver support group, foster care support group.

12. Burnett, Robbie PhD, LPC  281-580-7845
14343 Torrey Chase, Suite I, Houston 77014
Certified trauma specialists dealing with problems such as depression, suicide, abuse, family conflicts, school problems and self-esteem. Individual, family and group therapy available. Sexual assault, crime victims specialization.

13. C.Y.S.  See Harris County Community Youth Services on page 4  832-927-6300
6300 Chimney Rock, Houston 77081  Ginger Harper, Youth Services Division Administrator  Fax: 713-295-2541
Community Youth Services, a program of HCPS, is a school based crisis intervention, counseling, and case management service that provides practical assistance to families of youth who are experiencing problems. CYS partners with 14 Harris County school districts, Juvenile Justice A.E.P., and the Pasadena Police Department (Juvenile Division). All services of CYS are voluntary. No fee.

14. Carol Sepulveda Counseling and Play Therapy Services  281-433-8210
700 Rockmead Dr, Suite 213, Kingwood 77339  www.carolsepulveda.com

2900 Louisiana (Main office), Houston 77006  Monday-Friday 8am-5pm
Counseling at various locations for children, teens, families, couples and singles using brief family therapy of 8-12 sessions, group treatment and parent education. All faiths accepted. Sliding scale, bilingual services. Immigration legal assistance, housing assistance, disaster assistance. Call main office for an appointment.
### VII. Counseling – Continued

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<td>2524 Nottingham, Houston 77005 (Central Office)</td>
<td>Family and individual assessment and counseling. Adolescent and school related problems. Offices throughout Harris County. Spanish speaking services available.</td>
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<td>333 S. Cherry, Tomball 77375</td>
<td>Counseling and educational treatment center offering counseling from a Christian perspective for children, adolescents, families and adults. Specializes in play therapy, divorce recovery, depression, anxiety, self-esteem issues. Substance abuse programs. Individual counseling available.</td>
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<td>Addresses needs of youth victims or witnesses of crimes. Crisis intervention, referrals to appropriate agencies, explanation of laws and legal procedures, court orientation, court accompaniment, court case information, and liaison with other agencies. Assist with crime victims’ comp. paperwork. Bilingual services available. No fee.</td>
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<td>After-school tutorial, individual and group counseling, child development program, field trips/recreation, summer camp, ages 6-18. Focus is to deter gang activity/delinquency. Monthly parenting workshop. Focus on cultural awareness and adjusting to new environment. Adult ESL, job training, and senior program. Seniors 55+ program-$150 annually, M-F activities.</td>
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<td>6925 Portwest Dr. Suite 110, Houston 77024</td>
<td>Counseling, classes, workshops available for families, individuals, or couples who need help coping, adjusting, and resolving conflicts. Adjustable fee scale starting at $75. Insurance accepted.</td>
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<td>5151 E. Sam Houston Pkwy S., Pasadena 77505</td>
<td>Counseling for school, behavior, and family issues, PTSD, trauma-informed care, anger management, EMDR, anxiety, depression, grief. Accepts Medicaid.</td>
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<td>Individual, couples, family therapy. Substance abuse services. Evening and weekend appointments. Medicaid and most private insurance accepted. Services in English, Vietnamese, and Spanish.</td>
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VII. Counseling – Continued

25. Counseling Center of Houston  
   www.counselingcenterhouston.com  
   281-336-0201
   11999 Katy Freeway, Suite 230, Houston 77079
   Trauma informed mental health counseling services to individuals 12+, couples, and families for issues including, but not limited to, child abuse and neglect, PTSD, self-harming, school problems, and social skills. Attachment informed child centered play therapy and Theraplay. Domestic violence Battering Intervention Prevention Program (BIPP); court approved anger management classes, substance abuse evaluations, and supportive (SOP) and intensive (IOP) outpatient treatment program. Child and teen anger management groups available. Accepts private insurance, Medicaid, and sliding scale. Spanish speaking therapists available.

26. Counseling Resource Center  
   www.counselingrc.com  
   281-255-9922
   500 Mason, Tomball 77375
   Therapy and counseling for all ages. Individual, marriage, anxiety, depression, ADHD, women’s and men’s issues, eating disorders, cutting, autism, Aspergers, abuse. Private pay.

27. Covington Counseling and Associates  
   covingtoncounseling@hotmail.com  
   281-883-8301
   505 N. Sam Houston Pkwy. E., Suite 148, Houston 77060
   Covers wide range of counseling specialties, including Bariatric Psychological Assessments, life coaching, and women’s issues. Private pay, insurance, Medicaid and CHIP accepted.

28. Cypress Counseling Center, PLLC  
   Mindymckay12@gmail.com  
   832-421-8814
   Mindy McKay, MA, LPC
   16522 House Haul Rd, Suite E7, Cypress 77433
   Outpatient counseling for children, teens, adults, couples and families. Treatment areas include: anxiety/depression, bi-polar disorder, relationship difficulties, self -esteem/body image issues, life transitions, behavior problems, school difficulties/learning disabilities/ADHD, cutting/self-injurious behaviors, teens struggling with alcohol/drug issues. Some insurance accepted. Sliding scale also available.

   713-686-9194
   13201 NW Fwy, Houston 77040  
   http://www.deblinhealthconcepts.com
   Adult and adolescent counseling in office or home for mental health issues. Sliding scale, Medicaid, and most private insurance accepted.

30. DePelchin Children’s Center  
   www.depelchin.org  
   Central Intake: 713-730-2335
   4950 Memorial, Houston 77007
   DePelchin offers counseling for children and families through its grant-funded prevention programs, including at-risk youth, school-based and parenting programs. DePelchin also supports mental health needs in its foster care and adoption homes. Outpatient therapy provides evaluation of children needing intensive intervention to prevent hospitalization. Suicide, recent trauma or loss, severe conflict, acute school phobia. Post-adoptive counseling. In-home parenting training.

31. Evergreen Psychological Services  
   281-631-9977
   14351 B Torrey Chase Blvd, Houston 77014
   Counseling and psychological services for children, adolescents, adults, and blended families. Marital counseling, grief counseling. Insurance and sliding scale. Does not work with women under 18 or children under 6.

32. Family Enrichment Clinic  
   http://www.familyenrichmentclinic.com  
   713-780-2833
   7211 Regency Square, Suite 230, Houston 77036

33. Family Houston  
   http://www.familyhouston.org  
   713-861-4849
   For information or appointment services at any location call
   Central  4625 Lillian, 77007  
   Fort Bend  12300 Parc Crest
   Mont. County  1600 Lake Front Cir, Spring 77380
   Counseling for children and adults, individuals and families. Accepts private insurance and sliding scale fee.
VII. Counseling – Continued

34. Family Time Crisis & Counseling Center http://www.familytimeccc.org 281-446-2615
1203 South Houston Ave, Humble 77338
1110 West Clayton, Dayton 77535 936-257-9744

35. Fifth Ward Enrichment Program http://www.fwepinc.org 713-229-8353
4014 Market St., Suite W-145, Houston 77020

36. Fort Bend Counseling and Psychotherapy fortbendcounseling@gmail.com 713-231-8858
4501 Cartwright, Suite 103, Missouri City 77453
Provides counseling to children, youth and adults. Areas of focus include depression, anxiety, stress, ADD/ADHD, developmental issues, adoption, anger, and many other issues. Spanish speaking therapists available. Saturday and evening appointments available. Traditional Medicaid and some private insurance providers available.

37. Gomez Counseling & Consulting Services, P.A. 713-660-0776
5959 West Loop South, Suite 430, Bellaire 77401 www.gomezcounselingconsulting.com
Individual, couples, and family therapy. Substance abuse counseling. All ages with specialty in trauma, anxiety, phobias and eating disorders. Groups, adult anger management, adolescent career coaching. Bilingual staff. Some insurance accepted.

38. Hand in Hand Counseling and Consultation 832-275-2798
7026 Belgold, Houston 77066 ccsas@me.com
Counseling for children, families, and adults. Specialization in play therapy, grief, trauma and loss, anger resolution. Medicaid, some insurance, sliding scale. Free seminars available to the community. Educational programs for children using puppetry. EMDR (trauma) trained.

39. Harris County Community Youth Services See pages 4 - 6 832-927-6300

40. The Harris Center for Mental Health and IDD See Mental Health

41. The Harris School http://www.theharrisschool.com 713-526-2046
6210 Rookin, Houston 77074
Helps children ages 3-13 years who need extra support in their social and emotional growth. Tuition based private school. Financial assistance on 1st come basis.

42. Hartson Associates 713-408-6655
627 W. 19th St, #203, Houston 77008

43. Hope Alive Christian Counseling www.hopealive.us 281-656-2548
16151 Cairnway, Suite 206, Houston 77084
Individual, pre-marital, marriage, and family counseling. Youth counseling. Christian counseling service. Private pay.

44. H.O.P.E. Psychotherapy of Houston, PLLC Debbie Edmonds 281-373-5200
17510 Huffmeister Road, #103, #105 Cypress 77429 www.hopesychotherapyofhouston.com
Children, adolescents, adults, family, marriage, self-injury, depression, obsessive-compulsive disorder, anxiety, eating disorders, addictions, brain injury rehab, life coaching, psychiatric. Traditional Medicaid, insurance, sliding scale and self-pay. Licensed Professional Counselor interns and students are often available at a reduced rate.
VII. Counseling – Continued

45. **Houlue Counseling & Consulting Services**  
   6201 Bonhomme, Ste. 130, South Tower, Houston 77036  
   281-433-7790  
   Domestic violence, BIPP (Battering Intervention Program), mental health and substance abuse counseling. Drug and alcohol screening. Services provided in Harris and Fort Bend counties for all ages. Specializing in school issues, children with disabilities, parenting skills, anger management, depression, adoption, grief, mood, anxiety and trauma related disorders. Medicaid and private pay accepted. Call for consultation regarding other insurance acceptance.

46. **Houston Center for Christian Counseling**  
   402 Julie Rivers Dr., Sugarland 77478  
   609 B Park Grove Ln, Katy, 77450  
   281-277-8811  
   281-398-0022  
   http://www.christiancounselinghouston.com  
   Outpatient individual, family, marital and group counseling for adults, adolescents & children. Registered play therapists to work specifically with children ages 4 and older. Insurance.

47. **The Houston/Galveston Institute (HGI Counseling Center)**  
   Main Office: 2990 Richmond Ave, Suite 530, Houston 77098  
   713-526-8390  
   www.talkhgi.org  
   Broad spectrum of child, adolescent and family problems. Individual, group, couples, and family therapy using family therapy model. Spanish speaking clinicians. Evening appointments available. Sliding scale fee. Walk-in appointments available, Mon-Fri, 3pm-7pm, Sat. 9am-5pm.

48. **Houston Psychotherapists, Inc.**  
   21216 Northwest Fwy, #450, Cypress 77429  
   Sammie Jones, MA, LPC  
   832-237-2673  
   http://www.houstonpsychotherapists.com  

49. **Inner Wisdom Counseling Centers**  
   10777 Stella Link Rd, Houston 77025  
   713-592-9292  
   http://www.innerwisdom.com  
   Outpatient counseling for adults 18 years old and older, individual, families and groups. No young children. Day treatment. Medicare, Medicaid, private pay and insurance.

50. **Innovative Alternatives**  
   1335 Regents Park Dr, Suite 240, Houston 77058  
   713-222-2525  
   http://www.innovativealternatives.org  
   Outpatient therapy for ages 4 & older. Individual, marital, family, and group therapies as well as family mediation services are available. Private, non-profit agency. Anger management and divorce groups available. Play therapy, conflict resolution, peer mediation & bully-proofing program for schools. Parenting classes. Career-building (resume’s, etc.) in collaboration with United Way. Victims assistance program, free counseling to all crime victims.

51. **Interface-Samaritan Counseling Center**  
   4803 San Felipe, Houston 77056  
   6823 Cypresswood Dr., Spring 77379  
   281-376-8006  
   281-398-0022  
   www.houstonsamaritan.org  
   6035 S. Fry Rd, Katy 77494  
   Non-profit Christian service organization providing counseling. Emphasis on family and adolescent issues, particularly family, couples, eating, trauma, abuse, anger management. Staffed by licensed psychotherapist. Mon-Fri, 9am-7pm. Sliding scale – eligible for insurance.

52. **Insightful Life Counseling Center**  
   11123 McCracken Circle, Suite C, Cypress 77429  
   1120 Cypress Station, Houston 77090  
   713-653-6572  
   www.insightfullifecounselingcenter.com  
   281-893-7200  
   Social skills groups, support groups, parenting classes, talk therapy, couples and family counseling. Play therapy for as young as 3 years old. Insurance and sliding scale. Free sessions with interns.

53. **IntraCare Hospital**  
   1120 Cypress Station, Houston 77090  
   281-893-7200  
   www.intracare.org  

54. **Jewish Family Service**  
   4131 S. Braeswood, Houston 77025  
   713-667-9336  
   http://www.jfshouston.org  
VII. Counseling – Continued

55. Kay Counseling Service  www.kaycounseling.net  281-447-1922
11811 N. Fwy, Suite 215, Houston 77060
2626 S. Loop West, Suite 650-Y, Houston 77054
Individual, couples and family counseling. Behavioral issues, grief and loss (children and adults), adolescents (transition to adulthood), academic underachievement, anxiety, ADHD, depression, anger management, personal growth, parenting support, stress management, career counseling, self-esteem issues, study skills, mediation, conflict resolution, groups for anger management and grief. Private insurance, Medicaid, CHIP, and Tricare.

6315 Gulfton St, Houston 77081
Counseling services for ages 2-adult. Focus on sexual abuse, attachment disorder, conduct & behavior problems. Individual and family counseling, psychological assessments, and play therapy. Home-based (except The Woodlands and Spring) or office. Medicaid, private insurance and sliding scale.

57. Krist - Samaritan Center for Counseling & Education  281-480-7554
16441 Bay Center Blvd, Bldg C, Suite 100, Houston 77058  http://www.samaritanhouston.org
Christian counseling center. Staffed by counselors with LPCs in pastoral counseling. Psychological testing. Sliding scale fee, insurance. Satellite offices in the inner city, Katy, The Woodlands, Memorial/West Houston, and Pearland. Mon-Fri, 9:00am-5:30pm.

9525 Katy Freeway #200, Houston 77024
Full service practice for children, adolescents, and families. Adjusted fees available.

59. Legacy Community Health/Behavioral Health Services  www.legacycommunityhealth.org  713-351-7360
6730 Independence Blvd, Suite 300, Baytown 77521  832-548-5000
Child, adolescent, adult, family, and group counseling. Psychiatrist on staff. Medicaid and private insurance accepted. Multiple locations: 5th Ward, Montrose, East End, Bissonnet, Southwest.

10601 Grant Rd, Suite 118, Houston 77070
Children (ages 6 and up), adolescents, adults, couples, and families. Specializes in anxiety, depression, family conflicts, blended family issues, school difficulties, anger management, grief issues, and life transitions. Insurance and sliding scale. Evening and Saturday appointments available.

61. Mardis, A. Consultants & Counseling  713-443-6047
5330 Griggs #C-106 Houston 77021
Marriage and family therapy, individual counseling, group counseling, behavior modification, mediation, arbitration, parenting guidance therapy, and technology assisted services.

11507 Huffmeister Rd, Cypress 77065
19222 Hwy 249, Houston 77070

63. MedCare Pediatric Rehab Center  www.medcarepediatrics.com  713-773-5100
12371 S. Kirkwood, Stafford 77477
4818 E. Sam Houston Parkway N., Houston 77015
21004 I-45 N., Spring 77373
21210 Kingsland Blvd, Katy 77450
5095 Preston Ave, Pasadena 77505
Speech, occupational and physical therapy, and nursing services to ages up to 21 years old. Accepts many forms of insurance, private pay, sliding scale, and Medicaid.
VII. Counseling – Continued

64. Momentum Behavioral Health Concepts
   7676 Hillmont St., #320, Houston 77040
   www.mbhconcepts.com  281-888-3977
   832-865-4837
   Wide range of counseling services. Court-ordered anger management and truancy workshops, also drug offender education classes. Community living support for mental health and behavioral issues. Mon-Sat. Day and evening classes. Sliding scale.

65. Montgomery County Youth Services
   105 W. Lewis. Conroe 77301
   www.youthmc.org  936-756-8682
   1600 Lake Front Circle, Suite 130, The Woodlands:  281-292-6471
   Huntsville:  936-293-1003
   Magnolia:  281-259-0440
   New Caney:  281-354-2654
   Bridgeway Shelter:  4501 Frazier, Conroe 936-890-1132

66. The Montrose Center
   www.montrosecenter.org  713-529-0037
   401 Branard, Houston 77006
   LGBT Helpline:  713-529-3211
   Individual, couples, and group counseling to serve the needs of the gay, lesbian, trans-gender, transsexual, and bisexual community. In-home counseling offered for homebound persons with AIDS. Adolescent services include individual, group, and family counseling for ages 13-18, 17 and above for chemical and drug recovery. HATCH for LGBT youth 13-20. Parental consent needed for those under 17. Specialize in sexual identity problems. Trauma counseling for survivors of hate crimes, sexual assault, battering etc. Case management for HIV or AIDS. Rapid housing services for LGBT youth ages 18-24. Public education. Sliding scale. Some grant funds. Accepts Medicaid, and most insurance. Mon-Fri, 8am-7pm.

67. Valenti Bilingual Therapy Services
   www.valentiatherapy.com  281-371-0360
   722 Pin Oak Road, Katy 77494
   Individual, family, couples counseling and behavior management. Work with at-risk youth dealing with issues of trauma. Services also provided in Spanish. Medicaid, some insurance, sliding scale.

68. Nettie Jones
   4501 Wright #705, Missouri City 77459
   Individual/family, school based/specialized school based group, in-home. Expertise with younger children.

69. New Attitudes Center
   4001 North Shepherd, Suite 207, Houston 77018
   713-937-1992
   Substance abuse, anger management, relationships, life skills, marriage counseling, relapse prevention, parenting skills, peer support, individual counseling, coping skills. Faith-based. Sliding scale for low-income. Court-ordered domestic violence classes and anti-theft.

70. Nick Finnegan Counseling Center (NFCC)
   www.FinneganCounseling.org  713-402-5046
   2714 Joanel St, Houston 77027
   Outpatient counseling for children ages 3-18 and families as well as pre-marital, couples and individual therapy. Includes help for emotional stress, family conflict, life changes, parenting, behavioral problems, school challenges, grief/loss, depression, anxiety, trauma, self-awareness and growth. Some private insurance accepted, self-pay, and sliding scale also available.

71. Northshore Counseling Center Inc.
   http://www.nshore.cc  713-637-6000
   331 Freeport St., Houston 77015

72. PACE Youth Programs, Inc.
   www.PaceYouth.org  713-550-3296
   201 E. 9th St., Houston 77007
   P.O. Box 924424, Houston 77292
   Intervention services provides life skills training to adjudicated youth, giving them an opportunity to complete their term of probation in the community, while providing the necessary training. PACE offers a 12-week life skills program, where youth and their parents meet separately with professional instructors and counselors, participating in various services, including tutoring, group and individual counseling, character traits development, employment readiness training. The curriculum includes interactive training and discussions about anger management, self-esteem, character development, decision making/problem solving, effective communication, goal setting, substance abuse prevention, and relationship skills.
VII. Counseling – Continued
(PACE Youth Programs, Inc.-Continued)

Prevention Services—PACE Youth Academy (PACE Y-A) is a prevention program under PACE Youth Programs, Inc. that provides skills that help youth succeed both academically and socially. This program benefits youth with incarcerated parent, a parent absent from the home, single parent families, grandparents and other caregivers who are responsible for the care of youth between 10-17 years of age. PACE Y-A provides families with counseling, life skills trainings and workshops, caregiver workshops, youth training, academic assistance, employment readiness, and extra-curricular activities. All services are free of charge.

73. The Parris Foundation  www.parrisfoundation.org  713-315-6446
4410 Navigation Blvd, Houston 77011
Mental health counseling services for victims of any type of crime. Individual, group, marriage, and family therapy to clients of all ages. Crime victim advocacy and assistance with CVC applications. Graduate level counselors available at a reduced rate. Medicaid and sliding scale fee and self-pay available. Spanish speaking counselor available.

74. Post Oak Center  713-963-9272
4544 Post Oak Place #370, Houston 77027Kyle Suttles, M. Ed, LPC
Private outpatient bilingual counseling services for adolescents, couples, and families. Group counseling for girls. College transition workshops. Sliding scale fee and some free services are offered.

75. RISE (Restoring Individuals with Spiritual Enrichment)  713-352-9797
12808 W. Airport Blvd, Suite 3250, Sugarland 77478  www.risetherapy.org
Provides Harris County court-approved anger management classes, evening and weekends. Sliding scale fees available.

76. Shield-Bearer Counseling Centers  www.shieldbearer.org  281-894-7222
12340 Jones Rd. Suite 290  Houston 77070
17703 W. Little York Rd, Houston 77084
455 School St, Suite 30, Tomball 77375
1340 Cypress Station, Houston 77090
Counseling for families, children, adolescents, couples and individuals by LPC’s, LCDC’s, LMFT’s, and LCSW’s. Teen dad program, Strong Fathers Strong Families School Program, Dating Violence Prevention Program, Relationships 101 Program. Premarital and marriage counseling, anger management. Parenting classes, court and CPS approved. Depression, bullying, addiction, divorce recovery. Training for schools and churches. Free and reduced fee couples and family counseling.

77. Smart Counseling and Consulting  713-662-3555
5821 Southwest Freeway, Suite 406, Houston 77057
Counseling for children, adolescents, families and adults. Special emphasis on coping and parenting skills. Medicaid, some private insurance and sliding scale.

Teaches anger management techniques. Objective is to gain focus and emotional intelligence in a fun environment, using written and filmed material at times from real focus groups. Group or one on one. Sliding scale, some need-based scholarships available. CCAMI (Certified Core Anger Management Instructor).

79. Therapeutic Behavior Health Associates  www.TherapistKay.com  713-780-0142
11200 Westheimer Rd, Suite 202, Houston 77042
Individual, group and family counseling for abuse, adjustment problems, adolescent behaviors, depression, grief/loss, anger and marital problems. Play therapy. Insurance only.

80. Therapy by Angelina  713-206-8429
4747 Bellaire Blvd, #545, Bellaire 77401   http://www.therapybyangelina.com/
Provides 12-step counseling, ADHD, anger management, crisis and grief counseling. Individuals, couples, family, group therapy. Children and adolescents. Art therapy. Bilingual Spanish/English. Private pay only. Some reduced cost groups and workshops offered.

81. Thomas, Michael J., LCSW—Greater Houston Psychotherapy  713-623-2984
4615 Southwest Freeway Suite 430, Houston 77074
Parenting skills, divorce, family conflicts, depression, sexual abuse, chemical abuse, school problems, runaway, and conflict resolution. Trauma therapy. Accepts Medicaid, insurance, and sliding scale.
VII. Counseling – Continued

82. TRIAD Intake Diversion 832-927-6400
6300 Chimney Rock, Houston 77081
Child Protective Services and Juvenile Probation staff work side by side 24 hours a day, 7 days a week at the Youth Services Center to provide crisis intervention, screening and assessment, short-term counseling, information/referral and follow up services for youth identified due to Class C misdemeanors, status offenses, runaway or being otherwise at-risk. Youth and families who reside in Harris County access the program through law enforcement or on a walk-in basis. All services are provided on a voluntary basis.

83. TSB Consulting (Tamika S. Burns, LPC) www.humblecounseling.com 281-973-8708
19506 Hwy 59 N, #340, Humble 77338
Individual, family, marriage, adult, geriatric, children. Court-ordered or voluntary. In office or in home services available. Sliding scale, Medicaid accepted.

84. University of Houston – Clear Lake Psychological Services Clinic 281-283-3330
2700 Bay Area Blvd., Houston 77058
Inexpensive counseling to help clients deal with marital concerns, grief, raising and educating children, school based assessments, and job related problems using the family therapy model. Individual and couples counseling. Sliding scale.

85. University of Houston Psychology Research and Services Center 713-743-8600
Main Campus of UH 3695 Cullen Blvd, Room 126, Houston 77204 prsc@uh.edu
U. of H. training facility offering treatment for a variety of behavioral, psychological, and adjustment problems. Individual, family and group treatment available. Intellectual, developmental and personality assessments for both children and adults. Services are provided by advanced doctoral students under the supervision of Clinical Psychology faculty. Also maintains an Anxiety Disorders Clinic. Sliding scale fees.

86. University of Texas Mental Science Institute 713-486-2700
UT Psychiatry Outpatient Clinic www.med.uth.edu/psychiatry
1941 East Road, Suite 2100, Houston 77054
Comprehensive psychiatric evaluations, psychological assessments, pre-school assessments. Interventions are offered in the Continuity of Care Teaching Clinics, Pervasive Developmental Disorder Program, Center for Human Development Research Clinic, Neurobehavioral research on addiction. Mental Health counseling. Autism spectrum services. Ages 4-17 years. Adults primarily seen in the family clinic. Insurance or private pay accepted.

87. Van Le Counseling 713-298-6640
2537 S. Gessner Rd., Suite 208, Houston 77063
Counseling for ages 10 and older. Individual, couples, family, and group services. Includes premarital, marital, family, conflict, LGBTQ, and individual concerns regarding mental health, personal growth, and occupational concerns. Fees starting at $85 with sliding scale. Bilingual in Vietnamese.

88. Wholistic Counseling Services, Inc. www.wholisticcounselingservice.com 713-747-6416
4450 S. Wayside Dr, Suite 100 B, Houston 77087 713-645-1400
BIPP Domestic Violence Tues and Thurs 6-8pm, Sat. 9am-11am. Anger Mgmt. Weds 6-8pm, Parenting Enhancement, Tues 6pm-8pm. Substance abuse education (as needed). A non-profit, spiritual based organization providing group education services to youth and adults. $20/hr. Call 24/7 for appointments.

89. Youth and Family Counseling Services www.yfcs.org Main: 979-849-7751
Angleton 801 N. Buchta Rd. 77515 979-849-7751 Pearland 2335 N. Texas Ave. 77581
Wharton 1506 N. Alabama St., #H, 77488
Individual, group, and family counseling. Specializes in at-risk youth and child abuse prevention, parenting classes, marital counseling, community education and professional training for Brazoria and Matagorda counties. “4 Kids Sake” divorce classes offered in Brazoria county location only. Mon-Thurs, 8am-7pm.

VIII. Dental

1504 Taub Loop, Houston 77030
Must have Harris County Hospital District gold card or must be dental emergency needing surgery referred from hospital emergency room. Free or sliding scale based on eligibility. Spanish and Vietnamese spoken. Hours: 7am-5pm. Must be referred by dentist. Ages 16 years old and older.
VIII. Dental-Continued

2. **Bering Omega Dental Clinic**  [http://www.beringomega.org](http://www.beringomega.org)  713-341-3790
   1427 Hawthorne, Houston 77006
   Eligibility established at Bering Clinic for HIV+, indigent patients (children not eligible). Operates jointly with Houston Area Community Services, which has a medical care component. Spanish spoken and other languages through interpreters. Serves Harris County and out of county residents who meet eligibility guidelines, 8am–5pm, M-F. Accepts Medicaid. Intakes done Monday and Friday, 9am to 1pm. First come, first served basis.

3. **El Centro de Corazon – Eastwood Health Clinic**
   Appointments:  713-660-1880
   412 Telephone Road, Houston  77023
   Dunn Clinic  7635 Canal St. 77012 (Pedi Dental and Medical)
   [www.elcentredecorazon.org](http://www.elcentredecorazon.org)
   Dental services available Mon-Thurs 7:00am-4:30pm. Sliding scale fee depending on income. Also accepts Medicaid and CHIP.

4. **Harris County Health Department**  [www.hcphes.org](http://www.hcphes.org)  713-212-6800
   Contract program with private dentists referred through school and clinic nurses. Harris County residents outside City of Houston, 6 mo-20 years old. Fee based on income. Medicaid, CHIP accepted. Clinics at the following sites:
   - Southeast Dental Center  3737 Red Bluff, Pasadena  77503 (6 mo-20 years old)  713-740-5013
   - Humble Health Clinic  1730 Humble Place Dr, Humble 77338 (adults)  713-602-3355

5. **Harris Health Systems**  [www.harrishealth.org](http://www.harrishealth.org)  713-757-0572
   5230 Griggs Rd, Houston  77021
   To schedule appt.:  713-526-4243
   Providing preventative and restorative dental care needs. Multiple locations. Mon-Fri, 8am-5pm.
   **Eligibility Centers:**
   - Southeast  Acres Homes 818 Ringold St
   - Northeast  11737 E. Mount Houston
   - Pasadena  3550 A Swingle Rd
   - Willis More Center  8901 B Boone Rd
   - 925 Shaw Rd
   **Main Office:**  5230 Griggs Rd, Houston 77021
   Dental care for indigent children ages 16 and older with eligibility card or ages 16 and older with Medicaid. Spanish, Vietnamese, and Chinese spoken. Must be Harris County resident. Must first pick up application packet. Applications accepted in person at eligibility center, or by mail (PO Box 300488, Houston 77230).

6. **San Jose Clinic**  [http://www.sanjoseclinic.org](http://www.sanjoseclinic.org)  713-228-9411
   2615 Fannin St., Houston 77002
   **Information:**  713-228-2651
   **Hours:**  8am-5pm
   **To make an Eligibility Appointment:**  713-228-2651
   Dental care for the uninsured. To obtain services at our Downtown Dental clinic you must first obtain a Clinic Card. Walk-ins emergency only. Dental care by appointment only. At eligibility appointment, present required documentation for adult: identification, proof of income or unemployment, dependent identification, and proof of address. Contact the clinic for a list of documents that are acceptable. Each family member that needs a card must provide this documentation at his or her eligibility interview. Fees for services are directly related to eligibility criteria based on a sliding scale and determined during the eligibility interview. Eligibility form available on website can be printed and filled out prior to going to clinic.

7. **Wild Smiles Dental Centers**  [www.wildsmilesdentalcenterhouston.com](http://www.wildsmilesdentalcenterhouston.com)  713-668-5437
   5720-D Bellaire Blvd, Bellaire 77081
   **Contact:**  Martha Rodríguez (office manager)
   Dental care for children ages 6 months-21 yrs. and adults. Free dental screenings, exchange toothbrush service, free oral hygiene education. Also offers braces. Accepts Medicaid, CHIP, CHSCN, Aetna, Cigna, and works with parents of uninsured children to provide low fees. Free exams and X-rays. Mon, Weds, Thurs 8:00am-5:00pm; Tues 10:00am-7:00pm; Fri 8:00am-3:00pm; Sat 8:00am-2:00pm.

8. **University of Texas School of Dentistry**  [www.dentistry.uth.edu](http://www.dentistry.uth.edu)
   Information Line:  713-486-4000
   7500 Cambridge St, Houston 77054
   Qualification for services depends on dental student's need for experience. After the initial visit, appointments are set for continuing work. Fees are discussed after acceptance. Children - Adults.

IX. Developmental Disabilities, Special Needs

A. General Resources

1. **Blue Bird Circle Clinic for Pediatric Neurology**  832-822-5046
   6701 Fannin, Houston  77030
   9th Floor of Clinical Care Center  [www.thebluebirdcircle.com](http://www.thebluebirdcircle.com)
   Medical, psychological, and educational diagnosis and care for developmentally delayed, learning disabled, mentally challenged and other health impaired children, ages 0-17. Social service consultations, Mon-Fri, 8am-4:30pm.
**IX. Developmental Disabilities, Special Needs-Continued**

2. **The Center**  
   www.thecenterhouston.org  
   713-525-8400  
   3550 W. Dallas, Houston  77019  
   Testing, counseling, recreation and dental services for adults with Intellectual Disabilities. Referrals through schools and State Department of Human Resources – MHMR: daycare for children and adults, residential services, both rural and urban community settings.

3. **ECI Project TYKE – Katy ISD**  
   www.katyisd.org/eci  
   281-237-6647  
   1736 Katyland Drive, Katy 77493  
   Families with young children, ages 0-3, with developmental delays. Needs-based services provided in the home or natural environment. Service cost based on family ability to pay; Medicaid, private insurance and CHIP accepted. Services only available to Katy ISD.

4. **The Harris Center for Mental Health and IDD**  
   www.theharriscenter.org  
   713-970-7070 or 713-970-7000  
   Clinic locations:  
   - Northeast-7200 N. Loop East, Houston 77028  
   - Northwest-3737 Dacoma, Houston 77092  
   - Southwest-9401 Southwest Fwy, Houston 77074  
   - Southeast-5901 Long Dr, Houston 77087  
   a. **Early Childhood Intervention**  
      6125 Hillcroft  713-970-4800  
      Services for developmentally delayed children 0 to 3 years old  
   b. **Intellectual Disabilities/Autism**  
      Intake and eligibility determination functions for mental retardation services through The Harris Center for Mental Health and IDD. Services are provided for individuals with intellectual disabilities and pervasive developmental disorders that are over three years of age and are residents of Harris County. Must meet financial and diagnostic eligibility requirements. Evaluations are completed within each clinic. Child evaluations must be completed at the southwest clinic. Adult evaluations can be completed at any clinic location. Intakes begin at 7:30am.

5. **Meyer Center for Developmental Pediatrics**  
   www.texaschildren.org  
   832-822-3400  
   Mailing address: Texas Children’s Hosp., 6621 Fannin, Houston 77030  
   **Clinical Care Center:**  
   8080 N. Stadium Dr., Suite 100, Houston 77054  
   Teams of professionals develop diagnosis and treatment plans for children and adolescents suspected of developmental or learning problems, behavioral, emotional, and neurological conditions. Does not accept Medicaid Amerigroup.

6. **Tzu Chi Foundation**  
   www.tzuchi.org  
   Main: 713-270-9988  
   6200 Corporate Drive, Houston 77036  
   MHMRA liaison: 713-970-8385  
   Provides case management for families with special needs children. Serves southwest Harris County area. Services offered in English, Chinese, and Mandarin.

**B. Information and Referral**

1. **The ARC of Greater Houston**  
   www.aogh.org  
   713-957-1600  
   3737 Dacoma #E, Houston 77092  
   Mailing address: PO Box 924168 Houston 77292  
   Private, nonprofit organization to help those with intellectual and developmental disabilities lead ordinary lives and be included in their communities. Services include information and referral, parent support group (bilingual), mentors for adults, social and leisure programs, weekend respite, summer day camp and advocacy. Assistance with special education.

2. **Family to Family Network**  
   www.familytofamilynetwork.org  
   713-466-6304  
   13150 FM 529, Suite 106, Houston 77041  
   Provides information and referral, education, training, and support for families of children with disabilities. Mon-Fri, 8:30am-5:00pm. Summer hours 10am-4pm.

3. **Parent Education Project-Families Can**  
   www.coe.uh.edu/pep  
   713-743-5491  
   4365 Cougar Village Dr, Student Services Center, Room 301, Houston 77204  
IX. Developmental Disabilities, Special Needs-Continued

4. Team Project  www.partnerstx.org/team  281-969-5944
2825 Wilcrest Dr., Suite 205, Houston 77042  Statewide: 877-832-8945
Non-profit agency to assist parents of children with disabilities. Provides workshops, information and referral, assistance in ARD preparation. Services are available in Spanish and English. All services are free. Mon-Fri, 8:30am-5pm.

C. Medical Supplies

1. The Care Group  www.caregrp.com  713-383-2100
9349 Kirby Dr, Houston 77054
Respiratory and medical equipment services for Houston and surrounding areas.

2. Angel Medical Supply  www.angelmedicalsupply.com  713-856-9930
5829 W Sam Houston Pkwy N, Suite 1209, Houston 77041
Pediatric medical supplies; focus is on respiratory care but also provides standard medical equipment and nutritional supplies. Accepts Medicaid, BCBS (PPO), some private insurance, no United Health Care, CHIP. Mon-Fri, 9am-6pm.

3. Epic Medical Solutions  www.epicmedicalsolutions.com  713-956-5288
10305 Round Up Ln, Suite 100, Houston 77064
Provides enteral feeding, incontinence, nutritional formulas, diabetic supplies, ostomy, wound care, tracheostomy and other medical supplies. Medicaid, Medicare, private insurance.

D. Respite Care

1. The Arc of Greater Houston  www.aogh.org  713-957-1600
3737 Dacoma St, #E, Houston 77092
Provides a number of out of home respite programs such as monthly dances, summer programs, summer camps, and Saturday out of home respite care.

2. Care Connection  www.careconnection.org  877-393-1090
4802 Lockwood Dr., Houston 77026  855-937-2372
Services include vouchers that can be used to pay for someone to come into the home to give caregivers a break. Vouchers can be used to pay for services outside of the home, such as adult day services and services that allow caregivers to leave their loved ones with certified individuals who can care for the care recipient while the caregiver is away. Aging and disability resource center. Transportation only to appointments. Services provided only to residents of Harris County.

3. Easter Seals Disability Services  www.eastersealshouston.org  713-838-9050
4888 Loop Central Dr., Suite 200, Houston 77081
Respite care is offered to parents or guardians who care for a child with a disability. Parents choose providers who care for the child in the home freeing the parent to leave the home for errands, leisure time, appointments and other activities. Parents Night Out is a Friday night out-of-home respite program currently held in locations around the Houston area.

4. The Harris Center for Mental Health and IDD  713-970-7070
9401 Southwest Fwy, Houston 77074  www.mhmraharris.org/IDD/iddservices.htm
Provides short-term temporary or intermittent direct care of a child or adult. Care may be either in-home or out-of-home.

E. State Resources/Assistance Programs

1. Case Management for Children and Pregnant Women  800-252-8023 x2168
www.dshs.state.tx.us/caseman/
Case Management for Children and Pregnant Women is a Medicaid benefit. Through the program, case managers help families get medical services, school services, medical equipment and supplies, and other services that are medically necessary. Also serves high risk pregnancies. Mon-Fri, 8am-5pm.
IX. Developmental Disabilities, Special Needs-Continued

2. Children with Special Health Care Needs (CSHCN) Program
   www.dshs.state.tx.us/cshcn
   The CSHCN Services Program helps children ages 0-21 with special health-care needs and people of any age with Cystic fibrosis secure health care and support services. The program helps clients with medical, dental, and mental health care, prescription drug costs, special therapies, case management, family support services, and insurance premiums. Accepts Medicaid, CHIP, and private insurance.

3. Community Living Assistance and Support Services (CLASS)
   www.hhsc.gov
   The Community Living Assistance and Support Services (CLASS) program provides home and community-based services to individuals with an intellectual disability or related conditions. A related condition is a disability, other than an intellectual disability, that originated before age 22 that affects the ability to function in daily life. Services provided include adaptive aids, medical supplies, auditory enhancement training, behavioral support, dental and dental sedation, habilitation, minor home modifications, occupational, speech and physical therapy, respite, and case management services.

4. Home and Community-Based Services (HCS)
   www.dads.state.tx.us/services/faqs-fact/hcs.html
   The Home and Community-Based Services (HCS) program provides individualized services and supports to people with intellectual disabilities who are living with their families, in their own homes or in other community settings, such as small group homes where no more than four people live. Services provided include adaptive aids, day habilitation, dental treatment, minor home modifications, respite, specialized therapies, and supported employment.

5. Medically Dependent Children Program (MDCP)
   www.hhsc.gov
   The Medically Dependent Children Program (MDCP) provides services to support families caring for children who are medically dependent. Services provided include adaptive aids, personal care support, minor home modifications, financial management services, respite care, and transition assistance services.

6. Personal Care Services (PSC) Program
   www.dshs.state.tx.us
   Personal Care Services (PCS) is a Medicaid benefit that helps clients with everyday tasks. These tasks are called activities of daily living (ADLs) such as bathing, eating, toileting, dressing, and walking, and instrumental activities of daily living (IADLs) such as laundry, light housework, and meal preparation. To be eligible one must be under 20 years of age with a disability, physical, or mental illness. Accepts Medicaid (STAR or traditional only).

F. Therapy Services

1. Circle of Care
   www.circlecare4kids.com
   3040 Post Oak Blvd, Houston 77056
   Offers speech, occupational, and physical therapies as well as pediatric nursing care and rehabilitation in the home. Accepts Medicaid, CHIP, and most Medicaid-based insurances.

2. Cole Pediatric Therapy
   www.colehealth.com
   704 Longmire, Suite 101, Conroe 77304  936-441-1525
   11700 Louetta Rd, Suite A, Houston 77070  281-655-8114
   6701 Pinemont Dr, Suite 200, Houston 77092  832-209-7830
   19411 McKay, Suite 300, Humble 77338  281-446-2680
   16835 Deer Dr, Suite 120, Spring 77379  281-379-4373
   17200 Hwy 249, Suite 170, Houston 77064  281-664-6900
   Provides occupational, physical, and speech therapy for children in the home or clinic. Medicaid, CHIP, and private insurance accepted.
IX. Developmental Disabilities, Special Needs - Continued

3. **Easter Seals of Houston**
   
   **Referral Line:** 713-838-9050 x381
   
   [www.eastersealshouston.org](http://www.eastersealshouston.org)
   
   4888 Loop Central Dr., Suite 200, Houston 77081
   
   Speech, occupational, and physical therapy provided at two locations for children ages 3-18. Medicaid, CHIP, Blue Cross Blue Shield insurance and private pay accepted.

4. **The Harris Center for Mental Health and IDD**
   
   **Referral Line:** 713-970-7930
   
   [www.mhmraharris.org/IDD/iddservices.htm](http://www.mhmraharris.org/IDD/iddservices.htm)
   
   9401 Southwest Fwy, Houston 77074
   
   Program offers ABA-SkIP, which is designed for children ages 3-15 with autism or developmental disabilities and delays in language, motor skills, academic skills, play skills, as well as inappropriate classroom behaviors.

5. **MedCare Pediatric Group**
   
   [www.medcarepediatrics.com](http://www.medcarepediatrics.com)
   
   713-773-5100
   
   12371 S. Kirkwood Rd, Stafford 77477
   

6. **Reach Pediatric Therapy**
   
   [www.reachtherapycenter.com](http://www.reachtherapycenter.com)
   
   713-383-9700
   
   9220 Kirby Dr, Suite 1100, Houston 77054
   
   4100 N. Sam Houston Pkwy, Houston 77086
   
   9330 Broadway St, Suite 312, Pearland 77584
   
   Provides occupational, physical, speech therapy for children in the home, day care, or clinic. Medicaid, CHIP, and private insurance accepted. Certain counties must verify zip code.

7. **The T.E.A.M. Approach**
   
   [www.teampediatrictherapy.com](http://www.teampediatrictherapy.com)
   
   713-896-1815
   
   13150 FM 529, Suite 114, Houston 77041
   
   Pediatric therapy and youth fitness center provides a variety of treatment options. Physical, occupational, and speech therapy including neuro-developmental treatment and sensory integration. Accepts some Medicaid plans and private insurance. No CHIP.

8. **Therapy 2000**
   
   [www.t2000.com](http://www.t2000.com)
   
   877-688-2520
   
   9990 Richmond Ave, Suite 201-205, Houston 77042
   
   713-783-8181
   
   Provides in home pediatric occupational therapy, physical therapy and speech language pathology from infancy to adolescence (0-21 years of age) in Texas. Accepts several Medicaid plans and private insurance.

9. **Wee Care Therapy Services**
   
   [www.weecaretherapyservices.com](http://www.weecaretherapyservices.com)
   
   713-417-2783
   
   Provides pediatric physical therapy services to children with disabilities in their home or daycare, ages birth to 21. Accepts Medicaid, private insurance, and self-pay. Services provided in Houston, The Woodlands, Kingwood, and Pasadena area. Services not provided to Southwest Houston.

X. Domestic Violence and Victim Services

1. **Trait to Victims of Domestic Abuse**
   
   **Referral Line:** 713-224-9911
   
   1001 Texas Ave. Suite 600, Houston 77002
   
   
   Staff and trained volunteers advise victims of domestic violence on their legal rights and alternatives. Attorney on staff can provide legal representation to those who meet low-income guidelines in family law. NO FEE except court cost which may be waived under certain circumstances. Emphasis on divorce and protective orders. BIPP(Battering Intervention and Protection Program) offered in English and Spanish. Trauma counseling for children, youth, and adults. Serves all of Harris County. Representation in Eng./Span.

2. **Amos House of Faith After Burns Club**  
   
   [www.theamoshouse.org](http://www.theamoshouse.org)
   
   832-816-5728
   
   5100 Westheimer Rd., Ste. 200, Houston 77056
   
   Shriner Hospital for Children 6977 Main, Houston 77030
   
   Provides post-burn support for children affected by burns tragedy. Support groups for grades K-8. Support for any child with a burn injury, any child with a family member who has a burn injury, and any child who has lost a loved one due to a burn injury.
X. Domestic Violence and Victim Services – Continued

   Resale shop at 890929 Egret Bay Blvd, Houston 77289  281-957-9910  24 hr. Hotline: 281-286-2525
   Crisis Intervention Center: 210 South Walnut St, Webster 77598
   Provides shelter and services to homeless and abused women and their children. Victim assistance for those
   experiencing family violence and sexual assault. Coed family violence groups. Support groups. No fee.

4. BIPP (Battering Intervention and Protection Program)  www.avda-tx.org  713-224-9911
   1001 Texas Ave. Suite 600, Houston 77002
   A program to Aid to Victims of Domestic Violence, this project helps men and women develop practical techniques to
   stop the cycle of violence. Treatment for abusive men & women. Services provided in English and Spanish. Sliding
   scale fee. Mon-Fri, 8:00am-5:00pm.

5. The Bridge  www.thebridgeovertroubledwaters.org  Hotline: 713-473-2801
   3811 Allen-Genoa Rd, Pasadena 77504
   Admin: 713-472-0753
   Residential emergency shelter for 100 women and children who are battered, sexually assaulted, or homeless.
   Permanent housing program (Destiny Village). Both programs have daycare centers. Counseling provided.
   Community education speakers available. Rape crisis counseling and accompaniment. Sexual abuse groups.
   Legal assistance. Survivors of family violence support group. Parent education.

6. Casa Juan Diego  www.cjd.org  713-869-7376
   4818 Rose, Houston 77007
   Shelter and help for undocumented Hispanic battered women and children. Food distribution every other Tues.
   6:30-8:30am. Provides assistance to pregnant undocumented women. Shelter for immigrants and refugees. Health
   clinic available. Call for further information.

7. Children’s Court Services-Houston Women’s Center  713-528-6798  Rape Crisis: 713-528-7273
   1010 Waugh, Houston 77019  http://www.hawc.org  Domestic Violence Hotline: 713-528-2121
   Victim assistance program for children who are crime victims or witnesses to crimes, and their non-offending
   parents/guardians. Services include: legal explanations, updates on status of court case, referrals, court orientation
   for children, accompaniment to DA’s office and court. Bilingual staff. No fee.

8. DAYA  www.dayahouston.org  Helpline: 713-981-7645
   Offices: 713-842-7222
   Educational seminars, counseling, peer support, advocacy and referrals for South-Asian families. Legal advocacy
   and financial support. Housing assistance, crisis intervention, and job resources. Services available in Hindi, Urdu,
   Punjab, Gujarati, Tamil, Bengali, Telugu, and Farsi.

9. The Door (Shelter)  www.familytimeccc.org  Helpline: 281-446-2615
   Family Time Crisis and Counseling Center, 1203 S. Houston Ave, Humble 77338
   1110 West Clayton, Dayton 77353  936-257-9744
   Shelter for battered women and their children. Counseling for sexual assault, incest, and rape. Parenting classes
   for persons going through a divorce. Fees for services based on a sliding scale. Bilingual counseling program for
   No fee for services to crime victims.

10. Face to Face: The National Domestic Violence Project  Information Line: 800-842-4546
    www.aatprs.org
    The American Academy of Facial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery and the National Coalition Against Domestic
    Violence provides a project for free plastic surgery to survivors of domestic abuse. Consultation and treatment.
    Specializing in face, head and neck only. Call information line or check online for application.

    15555 Kuykendahl, Houston 77090  Admin: 281-885-4555  888-750-4673
    Northwest Assistance Ministries (NAM) provides child therapy (ages 3-10), emergency transportation, medical
    referrals and legal services, legal and peer advocacy. Helpline, information and referral. Domestic violence classes
    Th. 6-7:30pm (English). Requires registration. Transportation and limited financial assistance. Provides non-
    residential outreach services to victims of domestic abuse and their children. Group counseling for families and
    children. Youth education services for surrounding school districts. Play and art therapy available to children. SPCA
    will keep pets free of charge while at-risk families seek safe refuge. Intake M-Thurs, 8:30am-3:30pm; Fri, 8:30am-
    2:30pm. Some weekends/evenings. No fee.
X. Domestic Violence and Victim Services – Continued

P. O. Box 183, Richmond, Texas 77406  Counseling Center & Admin: 281-344-5750
90-day transitional shelter for women and children. Teenage sons of victims can be sheltered with their mother. Counseling for battered women, sexual assault survivors, and victims of incest. Group counseling for children of residents. Computer classes, daycare, self-esteem groups. GED classes, ESL classes, parenting classes.

Dental repairs to victims of domestic and sexual violence. Call to receive an application, or applications can be downloaded from the website. Online applications must be mailed in. Notification of acceptance will be mailed to applicant within 30 days.

14. Gulf Coast Legal Foundation  see Lone Star in Legal Aid.

15. Harris County District Attorney's Office-Family Criminal Law Division  713-755-5888
1310 Prairie, Houston 77002
Screens files, obtains protective orders, and prosecutes cases of family violence. Interview hours are Mon-Fri 7am-4:30pm. Limited evening appointments available. Intake for bigamy, interference with child custody, harboring a runaway, and criminal nonsupport. First come, first serve basis. No charge for services.

16. Harris County Precinct 4 Constable’s Office: Domestic Violence and Victim Services  832-927-6205
330 Meadowfern (2nd floor) Houston 77067  www.constablepct4.com  Dispatch: 281-376-3472
Crisis intervention and advocacy to victims of crime, including sexual assault, child abuse, and family violence. Information on dating violence and child abuse recognition. Speakers bureau and brochures available. Assistance in accessing Crime Victims Compensation Funds through the Texas Attorney General. Mon-Fri, 8am-5pm.

17. Harris County Sheriff’s Department  www.harriscountyso.org  Dispatch: 713-221-6000
601 Lockwood Houston 77011  Domestic & Sexual Assault Open Cases: 713-967-5743
Criminal investigations into domestic violence and sexual abuse of adults.
Crimes Against Children Unit (2525 Dunstan, Houston 77005): 713-830-3250 (ages 16 and younger)

18. Harris County Victims Assistance Unit  713-967-5800
601 Lockwood, Houston 77011
Provides information on criminal justice support, crime victims’ rights and referral to social service providers. Assist in crime victims’ compensation.

19. Houston Area Women’s Center  Helpline/Shelter Screening: 713-528-2121
1010 Waugh, 77019  Mon-Fri 8am-9pm, Sat. 8:30am-5:30pm  Main Number (non-client): 713-528-6798
Community Education 713-528-6798x2263  Sexual Assault/Rape Crisis: 713-528-7273
Shelter and counseling services for domestic & sexual violence survivors and their children. 120 beds. Can provide clothing. Counseling for nonresidents also. “Safe Harbor Project” will use hotels and motels as safe places when residence is full. Full case management services to all clients. Assist survivors of sexual assault and rape (adults & adolescents). Support for parents of teens in violent relationships. Also see child abuse; rape. Free walk-in counseling intakes every Tuesday 1pm-5pm.  http://www.hawc.org/

20. Houston Police Department Family Violence Unit  713-308-0080
1200 Travis Suite 1101, Houston 77002  To make police report: 713-884-3131
Arrests abusers and assists victims in obtaining services and filing charges. Informs women of legal rights and provides list of agencies. Interviewing hours: Mon-Fri 8am-4pm. Walk-ins accepted to make reports, but parking is limited. Reports can be made at 713-884-3131, and then follow up with nearest location.
Westside: 3203 S. Dairy Ashford, 77082  832-394-5611
North: 9455 W. Montgomery, 77088  832-394-3600
South: 8300 Mykawa, 77048  832-394-1793

21. Houston Volunteer Lawyers  see Legal – Houston Bar Association
X. Domestic Violence and Victim Services – Continued

22. Katy Christian Ministries Crisis Center
   Domestic Hotline:  281-391-4357
   Administration:  5504 1st St, Katy 77493
   Sexual Assault Crisis Intervention:  281-693-7273
   Main Number:  281-391-5261
   Crisis line, crisis intervention, safety/escape planning, referrals to emergency shelter, accompaniment and advocacy.
   Information and referral for individual and group counseling, assistance in obtaining basic needs and protective orders. Bilingual. Support groups. Mon-Thurs, 9am-5pm.  http://www.ktcm.org/

23. Legacy Community Health Services (Formerly Montrose Clinic)  713-830-3000
   1415 California St, Houston 77006  http://www.legacycommunityhealth.org/
   Provides counseling services and other assistance for victims of hate crimes. Services offered in English and Spanish.

   Federally funded, staffed by the Texas Council on Family Violence. Immediate phone counseling and referral.
   Spanish speakers. For other languages AT&T language interpreters are used.
   (Video phone for deaf and hard of hearing 855-812-1001, live chat everyday 7am-2am CST)
   TTY (24 hr) 800-787-3224

   24 hours / Teen services. Online chat and text message services available 24/7.
   TTY# 866-331-8453
   Text "love is" to 22522.

26. Providence Place  www.provplace.org  210-696-2410
   6487 Whitby, San Antonio 78240
   Provides 18 month transitional housing program for adult women survivors (with and without children) of human trafficking, sexual assault or domestic violence.

27. Resource and Crisis Center of Galveston County  Hotline:  888-919-7233
   PO Box 1545, Galveston 77553  www.rccgc.org
   Admin:  409-765-7233
   1802 Broadway St, Galveston 77550
   Help for victims of domestic violence or sexual assault. Services include shelter, counseling, and legal advocacy.
   Connected with the League City and Texas City Thrift Shop at 124 Gulf Freeway, as well as others. Support groups, legal assistance with protective orders and divorce. Provides services to men, women, and child victims. Help with food, transportation, and referrals to community resources. Serves Galveston County only. Mon-Fri, 8am-5pm.

   6671 Southwest Fwy., Houston 77074
   Education programs for professionals and Community Engagement programs for community members on the topic of human trafficking. Youth Education programs to prevent future victimization. Outreach programs to identify human trafficking victims in the community. Supportive Services for vulnerable populations to learn trauma-coping techniques or referral to social services for human trafficking.

   Admissions Coordinator:  713-328-1954
   607 Westheimer, Houston 77006
   26-bed long term residential rehabilitation program for single women, ages 22-60. Provides housing, job training, psychiatric services, psychotherapy, and spiritual development. Requires 90-day sobriety prior to admission. No attempts to self-harm within 90 days prior to admission. No emergency shelter.

   PO Box 311017, Houston 77231
   Six houses, 8 women per house, primarily 25-50 years old, who are in need due to abuse, divorce, domestic abuse, job loss, or recovering from substance abuse. Women over 50 years of age will be considered if working full time. 90 days sobriety, 60 days if on medication. Education planning offered. Individual and group counseling offered through contracts. Case management, sobriety support, employment, anger management, relapse prevention, education. Transitional housing.
X. Domestic Violence and Victim Services – Continued

31. Women’s Center of Brazoria County Hotline: 281-585-0902 (M-F Shelter)  24 hr hotline: 800-243-5788
Main office:  715 N. Valderas, Angleton 77515  979-849-9553 (M-F, 8:30am-4:30pm)
Freeport (Tues, Thurs)  979-233-7174
West Columbia (Wed, 8:30am-noon)  979-345-5014  Alvin (Mon, Wed, Fri)  281-585-0904
Assistance in procuring physical safety, counseling, support, and information on legal rights for abuse victims. Crisis intervention for rape, suicide, and domestic violence. For the shelter call the hotline number.  *Bilingual offices.  www.womenscenterbc.com

XI. Grief and Bereavement

1. Bo’s Place  http://www.bosplace.org/  713-942-8339
10050 Buffalo Speedway, Houston 77054
Bereavement center with support groups for children, adults, and families who have lost a parent or sibling. Information and referral and professional training services available. Support groups also offered in Katy. Call main number for location.  No fee.  Mon-Thurs 8:30am-5:30pm, Friday 8:30am-4:30pm.

Medical Center:  1905 Holcombe, 77030  Main:  713-467-7423

3. Texas Children’s Hospital-Trauma and Grief Center (TAG)  832-822-3829
6701 Fannin St., Suite 1630, Houston 77030  www.texaschildrens.org/departments/trauma-and-grief-center
Provides evidenced-based risk screening, assessment and interventions for youth ages 7 to 17 who have experienced traumas and/or losses, including those impacted by Hurricane Harvey. Primary treatments include: Trauma and Grief Component Therapy and Multidimensional Grief Therapy, and Trauma-Focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy.

XII. Harris County Protective Services for Children and Adults (HCPS)

Administrative Headquarters:  2525 Murworth  Joel Levine, Executive Director  713-394-4000
HCPS provides support services to DFPS for physically abused and neglected children coming into care. Additionally, direct services are provided to vulnerable youth that need support not served by DFPS. The following programs are administered under HCPS:

http://www.hcps.org

Clients may be referred for the following programs by anyone or may be self-referred:

1. Community Youth Services  832-927-6300
6300 Chimney Rock, Houston 77081  Ginger Harper, Youth Services Division Administrator
Community Youth Services, a program of HCPS is a school-based that provides practical assistance to families of youth who are experiencing problems. Services include crisis intervention, supportive counseling and case coordination. In partnership with local schools, the services of CYS are available to students in 14 school districts across Harris County, as well as the Pasadena Police Department, and the Educational Services Division of the Harris County Juvenile Probation Department. All services of CYS are voluntary and provided at no cost to families.  See Page 4 for additional information.
2. TRIAD Prevention Program 832-927-6400
6300 Chimney Rock, Houston 77081
A consortium of three county agencies (Protective Services for Children and Adults, Juvenile Probation Department and The Harris Center for Mental Health and IDD) working together to coordinate their resources to serve vulnerable youth that need support. TRIAD provides countywide prevention and early intervention services to divert youth and families from involvement with the CPS, mental health or juvenile justice systems.

Intake Diversion Program: Staffed by Harris County Protective Services for Children and Adults and Juvenile Probation officers 24 hours a day/7 days a week. Provides crisis intervention, screening/assessment, information/referral and follow up services for youth identified due to Class C misdemeanors, status offenses, runaway or otherwise being at risk. For walk-in services call 832-927-6400 or arrive at the Youth Services Center. The program also answers the Baby Abandonment Hotline (1-877-904-SAVE).

Justice of the Peace Court Liaison Program: Court liaisons work within Harris County JP Courts to provide assessment, crisis intervention, and make recommendations to the courts.

Justice of the Peace (JP) Court Wraparound Program: The Justice of the Peace (JP) Court Wraparound Program is designed to assist youth/families who are deemed in need of intensive follow-up services. It is an intensive family-centered, youth-guided and strength-based approach that is designed to provide comprehensive care to youth experiencing difficulty in school and/or involved with the JP court. Court Case Managers utilize the Wraparound process to facilitate family team meetings. Referrals are made through the JP Court Liaisons.

Parent/Teen Survival Program: Parent/Teen Survival Program is available to vulnerable youth that need support (aged 10-17 yrs.) living in Harris County and their families. The course is a series of three two-hour sessions that occur weekly in the evenings or on Saturdays. During the sessions parents and youth meet both separately and together to learn new skills in understanding violence and conflict, negotiating and setting boundaries, understanding and managing anger, thinking through a problem, consequences, problem solving, and communication. The program is open to Juvenile Probation, J.P. Municipal Court, and the CYS staff, school districts, and the community. Contact 832-927-6448 for enrollment information.

TRIAD Truancy Class: TRIAD Truancy Class (TTC) is a truancy prevention and early intervention program that is offered at no cost to families in Harris County. TTC addresses issues that may contribute to excessive absences in school. Youth ages 10-17 are eligible. Classes are held at various locations throughout Harris County. To complete the program, youth and their parent(s) must attend a 4-hour class that is held on a Saturday. Contact 832-927-6448 for enrollment information.

Community Youth Development: This grant funded program is available to youth who live or attend school in zip codes 77081 (Gulfton) and 77506 (Pasadena). Free services include after-school, mentoring, self-esteem, tutoring, recreation, leadership, and life skills programs. Funded by TDFPS-PBE Division. For services in Pasadena, call 832-382-1628 and Gulfton call 832-526-3596.

TRIAD Mental Health: Harris Center therapists provide free office-based or in-home family therapy to youth identified with serious mental health issues. The program utilizes a family-centered approach based on the needs of the family and provides a broad range of individual and family services.

Parenting With Love and Limits (PLL): PLL is a parenting education program that integrates the best principles of a structural family therapy approach into a comprehensive 6-week program. The program is designed to provide parents with specific tools and techniques to reestablish their ability to determine rules and restore nurturance to the parent-child relationship. The Parenting with Love and Limits program teaches parenting skills in a group setting. It also provides individual “coaching” to show each family how to use the skills in day-to-day interactions. This is a collaborative program involving JPD, The Harris Center, and TRIAD Intake staff.

Youth and Family Resource Services: A centralized, coordinated project that provides screening, coordinated assessments, multi-disciplinary staff case staffings, coordination, and referral services through a single point of entry to youth and families. The project mission is to link families with needed services in a way that is family-driven. The program includes the Harris County CRGG (Community Resource Coordination Group). Harris County CRGG is made up of representatives from child serving agencies in Harris County that come together to discuss difficult cases of youth whose complex needs cannot be met by one agency. CRGG attempts to develop a plan for coordinated use of community services to meet the child/family needs. To make a referral, contact Takoya Jackson at 832-927-6308.
XII. Harris County Protective Services for Children and Adults (HCPS) – Continued

3. Youth Services Division (YSD) Safety Net Project
   Robert Brewer, Safety Net Project Manager
   Services Line: 832-927-6311
   Cherease Glasper, Safety Net Project Youth & Family Coordinator
   Youth Advisory Council Line: 832-927-6315
   The YSD Safety Net Project is designed to prevent initial runaway episodes by adolescents, and to successfully intervene in the lives of adolescents who run away, in an effort to prevent youth homelessness. The Project’s goal is to successfully address and reduce family and school conflicts that a youth may be experiencing and to teach more effective strategies than running away. This goal is achieved through: 24-hour crisis counseling through the Harris County Youth Services Center (832-927-6300); effective coordination of services with partnering agency staff; assistance with emergency shelter placements or other safe housing alternatives (subject to approval); the provision of contract services for free individual, family, and/or group Brief Solution Focused therapy; and the limited provision of financial assistance to obtain basic needs items. Youth 10-17 years old who are: currently homeless; currently on runaway status and/or living in a voluntary placement away from one’s legal guardian(s); or who are at risk for running away or are contemplating running away in the future, are eligible to receive Project services. Any youth/young adult who contacts the Project, but who is deemed ineligible for Project services, will be provided with more appropriate referrals/services. The Safety Net Project is grounded in the Positive Youth Development Philosophy that promotes youth leadership and services through its youth board or council, which engages in various community projects and outreach activities geared toward youth ages 12 to 21. This philosophy suggests that the best way to prevent young people’s involvement in risky behavior is to help them to reach their full potential. This not only includes providing counseling and supportive services, but also youth development activities to build confidence and competence in young people in order for them to thrive and become productive citizens. To obtain more information about services, call the Safety Net Project Manager or the Safety Net Project Youth & Family Coordinator.

CLIENT ELIGIBILITY FOR THE FOLLOWING HCPS PROGRAMS IS LIMITED TO TDFPS OR HCPS AGENCY
CLIENTS AND MUST BE ACCESSED THROUGH CASEWORKER:

4. BEAR... Be a Resource for CPS Kids
   Tammy Hetmaniak: 832-530-0831
   BEAR offers help and hope for abused and neglected children and the caseworkers who protect them. BEAR is a 501c3 public/private partnership that provides goods and services to children under the care of CPS in Harris County.

5. Children’s Crisis Care Center (4 Cs)
   2525 Murworth, Houston 77054
   The Children’s Crisis Care Center (4Cs) is a program of Harris County Protective Service for Children and Adults. The 4Cs is a collaborative community partnership assessing the need and planning for the safe future of children in our community. The services of 4Cs include: providing early comprehensive child and family evaluations, Conducting permanency planning conferences and Family Group Decision Making for all families in Region 6, Collaborating with the Family Intervention Drug Court staff to assist in providing best practice services to all drug Court participants. The Program has also piloted a parent-child relationship specialist position to provide short-term, intensive services to children and families to promote early reunification or prevention of entry into the foster care system. It is the goal of 4Cs to help children and families in CPS legal custody to move quickly toward the goal of a safe and promising future.

6. (Nancy and Rich) Kinder Emergency Shelter
   6300 Chimney Rock Road, Houston 77081
   The Kinder Emergency Shelter provides youth 12-17 years old who are in crisis with a safe, short-term, home-like environment until they can be returned home or to a more permanent placement. The shelter is also a basic needs facility that shelters runaway and homeless youth. Shelter does not accept unaccompanied youth. Youth placed in the Shelter must have a sponsoring caseworker from DFPS, CYS, TRIAD, JPD, AFCI or YMCA.

7. Medical/Dental Clinic
   Located at 6300 Chimney Rock and available to all child clients of CPS in Harris County.
   The HCPS Medical/Dental Clinic provides medical and dental services to any child in foster care and relative/kinship placements. Services include helping DFPS caseworkers identify suspected child abuse and neglect, providing medical and dental services to children in foster care and the Kinder Emergency Shelter, and drug screening for parents and caregivers of children in DFPS custody. The Clinic provides an integrated healthcare medical home for children in foster care and relative/kinship placements that include care coordination and psychiatric consultation.
XII. Harris County Protective Services for Children and Adults (HCPS) – Continued

8. Houston Alumni & Youth (HAY) Center  Mary Green, Director of Transition Services  832-927-7000
1216 West Clay St, Houston 77019  www.HAYCenter.org
The HAY Center provides transitional services for current and former foster care youth, with a special emphasis on assisting youth with their education and employment. Working in collaboration with the PAL Program, the HAY Center is designed to be a one-stop shop for current and former foster care youth between 15 and 16 years of age. At the HAY Center, skilled staff work to empower young people to become productive and successful adults. Services include housing, employment opportunities, parenting classes, various educational services, and a host of other programs to assist with the transition to adulthood.

Preparation for Adult Living (PAL)
The Preparation for Adult Living (PAL) Program is designed to help older youth in foster care transition into a productive adulthood and become more constructive members of our community. PAL services include Independent Living Readiness Assessment, financial assistance, and training in such areas as money management, job skills, educational planning, and interpersonal skills. Through funds provided by the Federal Chafee Foster Care Act, support services are also available for eligible youth through room and board assistance and case management services. Freshman Success Fund for Foster Youth is a one-time grant of $1,000 available for first time college freshmen formerly in DFPS foster care. C. Ed Davis-PAL Scholarship is a scholarship for basic, non-tuition needs for former foster youth who are majoring in government, political science, history or other pre-law field.

9. Adult Services Division  713-363-2300
2525 Murworth Dr, Houston 77054  Claudia Gonzalez, Adult Services Division Administrator
Guardianship (HCGP)
The Harris County Guardianship Program is appointed as legal guardian for indigent adults who Harris County Probate Courts have determined are incapacitated due to age, mental and physical disabilities. Specially trained case managers help clients maintain the highest degree of dignity, respect and independence while protecting them from abuse, neglect and exploitation. Case managers organize and oversee: medical care, daily needs (purchase of clothing, shoes, hygiene care, etc.), housing, property, finances and funerals. Guardianship services are often a long-term commitment and continue until the client improves to the point that they are fully capable of maintaining their own affairs, the court finds a successor guardian (such as family or friends), or the clients passes away.

Senior Justice Assessment Center (SJAC)
The Senior Justice Assessment Center serves the complex and unique needs of senior victims of abuse, neglect, and/or exploitation. SJAC collaborates with experts in geriatric medicine, social services, protective services, law enforcement, and criminal prosecution, to provide services to seniors. As the senior population grows and the frequency of elder abuse rises in Harris County, SJAC aims to ensure the dignity of seniors by increasing awareness, education, and prosecution of elder abuse. Services include assessments, multidisciplinary team meetings, case coordination, treatment referrals, education and research. The multidisciplinary team includes: Harris County Protective Services (HCPS), Adult Protective Services (DFPS), Better Business Bureau Education Foundation, Harris County Attorney’s Office, Harris County Area Agency on Aging, Harris County District Attorney’s Office, Harris County Sheriff’s Office, Harris Health System, Houston Police Department and UTHealth. Clients are referred by any of the partner agencies listed, and must be 65 years old or older, a resident of Harris County, and a victim of a crime.

Representative Payee Program
The Representative Payee Program is a voluntary program that assists low-income adults, residents of Harris County, who are in need of financial management so that they can live independently. The case manager is responsible for managing the client’s own finances. Services include paying rent and other bills and verifying that the basic needs of the client are met. Clients voluntarily agree to participate in this program.

XIII. Health Related Services

1. AAMA Minorities Action Program (MAP)  www.aama.org  713-926-9491
204 Clifton, Houston 77011
Confidential HIV testing, prevention education, outreach services, and referrals to in-home nursing. AIDS education/prevention. HIV testing, no fee, Hep C testing-no fee. Adult and adolescent outpatient services for drug and alcohol. Residential treatment for boys, ages 13-17. Case Management for HIV Early Intervention Program. TB testing $25.
XIII. Health Related Services-Continued

2. **The Alliance**  
   6440 Hillcroft, Suite 411, Houston 77081 [http://www.allianceontheweb.org](http://www.allianceontheweb.org)  
   Health care access for refugees; interpreter program; immigration. Health care counseling. Offering Hurricane Harvey assistance through 2018. See Vocational Training.

3. **Amos House of Faith After-Burns Club**  
   P.O. Box 330250, Houston 77223  
   [www.theamoshouse.org](http://www.theamoshouse.org)  
   Shriners Hospital for Children at 6977 Main, Houston 77030  
   Monthly meetings for children affected by burns, temporary lodging for caretakers of burn patients, and daily respite, support & loving care for those affected by burn tragedies.

4. **Avance Early Head Start**  
   4281 Dacoma, Houston 77092  
   [http://www.avagehouston.org](http://www.avagehouston.org)  
   Health and development for ages 0-3. Parenting education, home visits, and social services.

5. **Avenue 360 Health and Wellness**  
   2150 W. 18th St., Suite 300, Houston 77008  
   [www.avenue360.org](http://www.avenue360.org)  
   Montrose-1427 Hawthorne St, Houston 77006  
   713-341-3790  
   Memorial City-902 Frostwood, Suite 142, Houston 77024  
   713-827-8266  
   Spring Cypress-17010 Sugar Pine Dr, Houston 77090  
   281-537-8627  
   Bering Omega House  
   713-341-3790  
   Medical services, family medicine, internal medicine, pediatrics, obstetrics and gynecology, psychiatry, infectious diseases, pharmacy, medication assistance, behavioral health services, case coordination, evidence based health promotions and outreach, housing-related services, eligibility screenings. Outreach and case management to HIV/AIDS patients. Accepts Medicaid, Medicare, private insurance and sliding scale.

6. **Baylor Teen Clinics**  
   [www.bcm.edu/teenhealthclinic](http://www.bcm.edu/teenhealthclinic)  
   Ben Taub  
   1  
   504 Taub Loop, 77030  
   713-873-3601  
   Cavalcade  
   3815 Cavalcade, 77026  
   713-673-1655  
   Cullen  
   5737 Cullen, Ste. 200, 77021  
   713-440-7313  
   LBJ  
   5656 Kelley, 77026  
   713-566-5612  
   Lawn  
   8111 Lawn, 77088  
   281-847-9970  
   Wisdom H.S.  
   6529 Beverly Hill Ln., 77057  
   713-556-5705  
   Chavez H.S.  
   8501 Howard, 77017  
   713-556-7953  
   serves only Chavez students  
   Tejano Center  
   2950 Broadway, 77017  
   713-640-3730  
   serves only Tejano for Comm. Concerns  
   Worthing H.S.  
   9215 Scott St, 77051  
   713-556-5348  
   serves only Worthing H.S. students  
   Sterling H.S.  
   11625 Martindale, 77048  
   713-556-4172  
   serves only Sterling H.S. students  
   Austin H.S.  
   1700 Dumble St., 77023  
   713-556-6545

7. **Blue Bird Circle Clinic for Pediatric Neurology**  
   6701 Fannin, Houston 77030 (9th Floor of Clinical Care Center)  
   Medical, educational, psychological, and educational diagnosis and care for children with developmental delays, learning disabilities, mental retardation, epilepsy, and other health impairments, ages 0-18. Social service consultations. Mon-Fri, 8:00am-4:30pm. [http://www.texaschildrens.org/neurology](http://www.texaschildrens.org/neurology)

8. **Body Positive Wellness Center-Legacy Community Health Services**  
   1415 California, Houston 77006  
   [www.legacycommunityhealth.org](http://www.legacycommunityhealth.org)  
   Rehabilitation, exercise, and physical therapy program that includes massage therapy, exercise therapy. Nutritional counseling, wellness and reconditioning, dental, pediatrics, behavioral health, vaccines and immunizations, and OB/GYN services. Optometry and ophthalmology at Frost Eye Clinic.

9. **Caring for Children Foundation of Texas Inc.**  
   [http://www.carevan.org](http://www.carevan.org)  
   Free immunizations for uninsured/underinsured, ages birth-18 yrs. All state recommended vaccines available. Outreach service of BC/BS Care Van Program. Service area covers greater Houston and some surrounding counties. Accepts Medicaid.
XIII. Health Related Services-Continued

10. The Center for Children and Women: Texas Children’s Health Plan 832-828-1005
    http://thecenter.texaschildrenshealthplan.org 24-Hour Nurse Help Line: 800-686-3831
    Southwest: 9700 Bissonnet, Houston 77036
    Greenspoint: 700 N. Sam Houston Pkwy West, Houston 77067
    The Center for Children and Women is for clients with Medicaid or CHIP health insurance under Texas
    Children’s Health Plan. The clinic offers a wide variety of health services. For children: medical, dental, vision,
    pharmacy, labs, and behavioral health. For women: women’s health services, prenatal care, medical, dental,
    pharmacy, vision, and behavioral health.

    3636 W. Dallas, Houston 77019
    Audiology services, speech pathology, early childhood development and education for children with hearing
    impairments. Full hearing aid dispensary. United Way agency. Ages infant–18 years. Medicaid, sliding scale,
    and private insurance accepted.

    15555 Kuykendahl, Houston 77090
    Medical care for needy children, ages 0-18. Medicaid, CHIP, sliding scale. Immunizations, minor emergency,
    illness, speech and hearing evaluation and therapy referrals. No walk-ins. By appointment only. Mon-
    Thurs 8am-5pm, Fri 8am-4pm.

13. CHIP (TexCare) http://www.chipmedicaid.org 211 extension 2
    whose income is too high for Medicaid, but can’t afford private insurance.

14. CHOSEN Clinic - UT Department of Pediatrics Appointments: 832-325-7111
    PO Box 20708, Houston 77225
    UT Physicians Professional Building 6410 Fannin #500, 77030
    Comprehensive care for children with chronic illnesses and disabilities. Provides a medical home, medical care,
    family support services, coordination with community based services. Multidisciplinary team. Bilingual. Medicaid,

    A coordinated system of services, available in every county, for children birth to 3 years old with disabilities or
    delays. Call for information in your area.

16. El Centro de Corazon/ Eastwood Health Clinic 713-660-1880
    7635 Canal St, Houston 77012 www.elcentrodecorazon.org/locations
    Pediatric Services, dental, nutrition, counseling M-F, 8am-8pm, Sat 8:30a-1:30p, Sun 8:30a-1:30p
    Eastwood: 412 Telephone Rd, Houston 77023,M-F, 8am-5pm; Dental M-Thurs, 7am-4:30pm
    Family practice, pediatrics, dental services, and behavioral health. By appointment only.
    Magnolia: 7037 Capitol, Suite N100, Houston 77011
    Prenatal care, pediatrics, nutrition consultation and behavioral health. Monday- Friday 8am-5pm.
    Appointment only. All locations accept Medicaid, Medicare, CHIP, sliding scale, and some private insurance.

17. Epilepsy Foundation of Texas 713-789-6295
    2401 Fountainview #900, Houston 77057 http://eftx.org
    Free public education and advocacy for those with epilepsy and their families. Camp for children with epilepsy.
    School programs. Monthly support groups and medical clinic. Medicare and Medicaid accepted.

18. Eye Care for Kids Foundation http://www.eyecareforkids.org 713-728-5437
    Free or low cost eye exam and glasses for low-income families without insurance, CHIP or Medicaid. The
    children must be screened by school nurse or qualified professional. Vision screening for schools with or without
    nurses. Child must have visual acuity of 20/40 or higher in either eye. Family income must not exceed 150% of
    the Federal Poverty Guideline. Applications must be faxed to Foundation for approval. Serves Greater Houston
    Area.
XIII. Health Related Services-Continued

   (Harris County Public Health and Environmental Service) Appointment line: 713-212-6800
   Main Office: 2223 W. Loop South, Houston 77027
   Preventive health care services include dental services for children, EP/STD, family planning, immunizations for children, HIV testing and counseling, and various screenings. Small fees can be waived if patient is indigent. All services by appointment only.
   Clinic Locations:
   - **Baytown Health Center** 1000 Lee Dr., Baytown 77520 281-427-5195
     Hours: M-F, 8am-5pm
   - **Humble Health Center** 1730 Humble Place Dr. 77338 281-446-4222
     Hours: M-F, 8am-5pm
   - **SE Health Center** 3737 Red Bluff, Pasadena 77503 713-740-5000
     Hours: M-F, 8am-5pm

20. Harris County Hospital District [www.harrisch.org](http://www.harrisch.org) 713-873-2000
   Tax supported hospital and health services for qualified indigent and those able to pay. Doctors are from Baylor College of Medicine and UT Medical School. Apply for gold card before becoming sick to insure faster immediate care. Harris county residents.
   **Doctor Appointment Services:** 713-526-4243
   **Eligibility Registration (Mail application to P. O. Box 300488, Houston, 77230)** 713-566-6509
   3550-A Swingle Rd, 77047 212-5656-6509
   11737B Eastex Fwy, 77039 3550 E care. Harris county residents
   **Community Health Centers:**
   - Acres Homes 818 Ringold, 77088 281-448-6391 Aldine 4755 Aldine Mail Rt, 77039 281-985-7600
   - Baytown, 1602 Garth, 77520 281-837-2700 Casa De Amigos,1615 N. Main, 77009 713-222-2272
   - Squatty Lyons,1712 1st Ste. M20,77338 281-446-4139 Gulfgate 7550 Office City Dr, 77012 713-495-3700
   - M.L. King 3550 Swingle Rd,77004 713-547-1000 Northwest 1100 W. 34th, 77018 713-861-3939
   - Valbona, 6630 DeMoss, 77074 713-272-2600 Settegast 9105 N. Waseside,77028 713-633-2020
   - Strawberry 927 E. Shaw, 77506 713-982-5900 El Franco Lee 8901 Boone Rd, 77099 281-454-0500
   - Longbranch, 9801 Long Point, 77055 713-982-8621 Danny Jackson 5503 N. Fry Rd, 77449 713-982-7071

Pediatric & Adolescent Health Centers
- Bear Creek- 5870 Highway 6, #108, 77084 713-873-6860
- Cypress-12340 Jones Rd, #100, 77070 713-873-5240
- Pasadena-3925 Fairmont Pkwy, Pasadena, 77504 713-873-6300
- C.E. Odom-5516 Lockwood, 77026 713-497-0000

School-Based Clinics: (Sheldon El:17203½ Hall Sheppard 713-497-0990); (A.C. Taylor Health Clinic/Cloverleaf Elem: 13940 Bonham St, 77015 713-497-0950); (Goose Creek Health Clinic/San Jacinto Elem: 2706 Kentucky St, 77520 713-497-0970); (Robert Carrasco Health Clinic/ Marshall M.S.: 1115½ Noble, 77009 713-497-0980); (Southside Health Clinic/Galena Park: 1721 16th St., 77547 713-497-0940)

Hospitals: Ben Taub 1504 Taub Loop, 713-873-2000 L.B. Johnson 5656 Kelley 713-566-5100
- Quentin Mease Hospital 3601 N. MacGregor 713-873-3700
XIII. Health Related Services-Continued

21. Houston City Health Centers/Houston Department of Health and Human Services

   www.houstontx.gov/healthcenters
   Administration: 8000 N. Stadium Dr., Houston 77054
   Appointments: 832-393-5428
   WIC appointments: 832-393-5427

   All appointments must be scheduled through appointment line. Provides maternity care, family planning,
   Immunizations, well child examinations, Tuberculosis diagnosis, dental care, and care for sexually transmitted
   diseases. Not all services are provided at all centers.
   La Nueva Casa 1809 N. Main, 77009 832-395-0570  Sharpstown 6201 Bonhomme, 77036  832-395-9800
   Northside 8504 Sculler, 77093  832-395-9100
   Magnolia 7037 Capitol, 77011  832-395-3380
   Sunnyside 4605 Wilkinson, 77051  832-395-0206

22. Houston Eye Associates Foundation

   www.houstoneye.com/foundation
   7155 Old Katy Rd, #N100, Houston 77024
   Appointments: 713-668-6828

   Nonprofit service of dedicated physicians who donate their time to improve or restore the vision of clients in need of
   financial assistance. Procedures range from routine exams to sight-saving surgery. Funds available to pay hospital
   related expenses. Supported by donations. Must be indigent and have been refused other funding.

23. Joycare Pediatric Day Health Center

   6440 Sands Point Dr., Houston 77074
   www.joycarekids.com
   713-929-CARE (2273)

   Prescribed Pediatric Extended Care Center (PPECC) for special needs children that provides nursing, speech
   therapy, physical therapy, and occupational therapy for children 6 weeks to 20 years of age. Transportation options
   available. Children with special needs or disabilities that can’t attend preschool/daycare/school can attend. Medicaid
   and private pay accepted. Mon-Fri, 7:30am-5:30pm year round. Rooms available for public school provided
   homebound teachers.

24. Legacy Community Health Services

   www.legacycommunityhealth.org
   1415 California, Houston 77006
   TDD: 832-548-5100
   3811 Lyons Ave., 77020 (Primary health, pediatrics, OB/GYN) 832-548-5400

   Healthcare services for HIV+ and non-HIV+ patients. Rehabilitation, exercise, and physical therapy program that
   includes exercise therapy, massage therapy, nutritional services and acupuncture. Primary healthcare, Frost Eye
   Clinic, dental services, social services, Direct Emergency Assistance Program, Next Step Early Intervention Program
   for newly diagnosed patients, psychiatry, x-ray, immunizations, and lab services. Testing hours: Mon-Fri, 8am-
   4pm. All other services by appointment. Sliding scale, insurance, Medicaid, and Medicare.

25. Medical Transportation Management

   www.mtm-inc.net
   855-687-4786

   Medicaid transportation for Houston/Beaumont area.
   Interpreter services for multiple languages available at 888-561-8747

26. Meyer Center for Developmental Pediatrics

   8080 N. Stadium Dr, Houston 77054
   www.texaschildrens.org
   832-822-3400

   Teams of professionals develop diagnosis and treatment plans for children and adolescents suspected of
   developmental or learning problems, behavioral, emotional, and neurological conditions. Accepts Mon-Fri, 8am-
   5pm.

27. Planned Parenthood – Gulf Coast

   http://www.ppgulfcoast.org
   Business office: 713-522-6363
   To be automatically connected to the nearest clinic, call 800-230-PLAN
   *Prevention Park Health Center 4600 Gulf Fwy, 1st floor, 77023
   Family Planning Clinic 713-522-3976
   Surgical Services 713-535-2400
   North: 9919 North Fwy, 77037  713-514-1106
   Spring: 4747 Louetta Rd 77388  713-514-1102
   SW: 5800 Bellaire Blvd, Bldg. 1B, 77081  713-541-5372
   Northwest: 13169 NW Fwy, #115, 77040  713-514-1107
   Stafford: 12614 Southwest Fwy, Suite A, 77477  713-514-1100

   Physical exams, information and birth control services, pregnancy testing, and counseling. STD screening and
   treatment, well woman exam. Vasectomy, abortions. Varied hours accommodate those who work. Teens served at
   all sites. Call for appointment. Medicaid clients must bring a picture ID. HIV counseling and testing. Women’s
   advance care (colposcopy).
XIII. Health Related Services-Continued

   2202 Waugh Dr., Houston 77006
   Call for assistance in getting eyeglasses. Mon-Fri, 8:30a-4:30pm.

29. Project MEND http://www.projectmend.org 210-223-6363
   5727 I-10 West, San Antonio 78201
   San Antonio based organization – service area includes Houston, based on funding. Providing access for low-income persons with disabilities to medical equipment, supplies, and other services, which enable them to live as independently as possible. Medical equipment distribution based on funding. Delivery in San Antonio area only, must pick up equipment in San Antonio. Serves Houston only if funding is available.

30. San Jose Clinic For all appointments call: 713-228-9411
   2615 Fannin, Houston 77002 http://www.sanjoseclinic.org
   Medical care for the uninsured. Service areas are adult general medicine, pediatrics, and dental. Specialty services/treatments are available upon referral by Clinic’s Family Practice doctor. Counseling offered for youth and adults.
   To obtain services at our Downtown clinic, you must first obtain a clinic card. Eligibility on walk-in basis, M-F, 8am-4pm. At eligibility appointment, specific documentation needed: adult identification, proof of income or unemployment, dependent identification, and proof of address. Please contact the clinic for a list of documents that will be acceptable. Each family member that needs a card must provide this documentation at his or her eligibility interview. Fees for services are directly related to eligibility criteria based on a sliding scale and determined during the eligibility interview.

31. Spring Branch Community Health Center www.sbchc.net 713-462-6565
   Hillendahl Clinic 1615 Hillendahl, Suite 100, Houston 77055
   Pitner Clinic 8575 Pitner Rd, Houston 77080
   West Houston Clinic 19333 Clay Rd, Katy 77449
   Whole Life Clinic 1839 Jacquelyn Rd, Houston 77055
   Katy Clinic 5502 1st St., Katy 77493
   Cypress Clinic 7777 Westgreen Blvd, Cypress 77433
   Primary health care, family medicine, pediatric care, OB/GYN and women’s health, dental care, mental health services, diabetes management, lab services, ultrasound and vaccinations. Additional programs are free to patients who qualify, such as skin cancer screening, mammograms, eye exams, prenatal and Lamaze classes, colon cancer screening, nutrition classes, and smoking cessation program. Medicaid, CHIP, Medicare, private insurance and sliding scale fee.

32. Texas Children’s Hospital: Allergy and Immunology 832-824-1319
    www.texaschildrenshospital.org
    6701 Fannin, Level 9, Houston 77030
    18200 Katy Fwy, 4th floor, Houston 77094 832-227-2280
    HIV screening for children, adolescents-retrovirology department, Fannin location 832-822-1038

33. Texas Children’s Hospital Social Services Department 832-824-1570
    1102 Bates, Suite FC 1930, Houston 77030
    Social workers available to assist families of pediatric patients through the crisis of emergency or chronic illnesses. Social workers act as a link between the health care team, community agencies, and support groups. Medicaid and private insurance accepted.

34. Texas Children’s Pediatric Associates–Community Centers Program www.texaschildrenspediatrics.org
    Palm Center 5400 Griggs Rd, Suite 100, Houston 77021 713-741-4078
    Ripley 4410 Navigation, Suite 278, Houston 77011 713-547-8282
    Gulfton 5900 Chimney Rock, Suite Y, Houston 77081 713-661-2951
    Corinthian Pointe 5505 W. Orem Dr, Suite 100, Houston 77085 713-283-1039
    Project Medical Home provides low-cost, comprehensive primary health care for children from birth to 18 years of age. Provide health services that address social, health, educational and spiritual needs of children. Family focused. Fees are based on income and family size. Medicaid, CHIP & insurance are also accepted. Please call for more information.
XIII. Health Related Services-Continued

35. University of Houston College of Optometry  http://www.uei.uh.edu  713-743-2020
4901 Calhoun, Houston 77004  Mon-Fri 8am-6pm
Reduced fee vision testing and glasses.  
Community-Based Eye Clinics of the University Eye Institute:
Comprehensive eye exams, diagnosis & treatment of eye diseases. Sliding scale, Medicaid, Medicare & insurance accepted in most cases.
- Good Neighbor Eye Clinic  190 Heights Blvd, Houston 77007  713-527-8480
- Casa de Amigos Eye Clinic  1809 N. Main, Houston 77002  832-395-0574
- San Jose Eye Clinic  301 Hamilton, Houston 77002  713-228-9411
- U of H Mobile Eye Clinic  713-449-3017

36. University of Texas Physician-Women’s Center  832-325-7131
6410 Fannin, Suite 350, Houston 77030  www.utphysicians.com
Care for HIV infected obstetric and gynecological patients, including management of HIV related complications. Amerigroup Medicaid. M-F, 8am-5pm.

37. UT Physicians Comprehensive Sickle Cell Center  713-486-5660
1200 Binz, Suite 850, Houston 77004
Treats sickle cell disease and sickle cell trait, hematology, family medicine, adult cardiology, psychiatry, counseling, pediatric pulmonary, neurology. Accepts Medicaid, Medicare, CHIP. Financial assistance plan for those who meet eligibility criteria.

38. UT Physicians Pediatric Teen Clinic  www.utphysicians.com  713-486-2990
5420 Dashwood Dr, Suite 103, Houston 77081  24-Hour Nurse Help Line: 713-486-8876
6410 Fannin St, 5th floor, Houston 77030
Provides a medical home for young adults ages 11-21 years. Services include: general check-ups, immunizations, sports physical exams, chronic disease management, pregnancy testing, birth control, sexually transmitted diseases (STD) and HIV/AIDS education and screening, and case management services to teens and their families. Works closely with nutritionists, counselors and psychiatrists in the same clinic. Medicaid and private insurance accepted.

39. Visual Compassion-In Focus Vision Stations  www.infocusonline.org  281-547-7477
Community based locations for eye care. Provides free and low-cost vision screenings. New vision eyeglasses sales from $10 and bifocals from $25.
Vision stations: Mission Greenspoint (Thurs 10am-3pm)-11947 North Fwy, Houston 77060
Salvation Army (Fri 10am-4pm) 2208 Washington, Houston 77007
Clinics: 18555 Kuykendahl, Spring 77370
4806 Yale St, Houston 77018  281-954-0933

40. Vital Statistics (Bureau of)  www.houstontx.gov/health/birthcert  (311) or 713-837-0311
8000 N. Stadium Dr., 1st Floor, Houston 77054
Only City of Houston and State of Texas birth certificates ($23), death certificates ($21) and state fact sheet ($23). 8am-4pm Mon-Thurs; 8am-2pm Friday. Acknowledgement of Paternity processed. No personal checks accepted. Cashier’s check, money order, debit/credit card, or cash accepted.

XIV. Hotlines

1. AIDS Foundation of Houston  www.aidshelp.org  713-623-6796
6260 Westpark Dr., Suite 100, Houston 77057
Open from 9am-6pm, Mon-Fri. Check website or call for more information.

2. American Sexual Health Association  STD & AIDS 24 hr.: 800-227-8922
Bilingual: 1-800-344-7432  7am-6pm eastern time  www.ashasexualhealth.org
Due to high call volume, there is a charge for services. $25 to speak to someone directly. $25 to post to an online forum.

3. American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU) of Texas, Houston Headquarters  www.aclutx.org  713-942-8146

Austin, TX 78704
Consumer issues, child support issues.
XIV. Hotlines-Continued

   UT – M.D. Anderson / 1515 Holcombe, Houston 77030  **Main switchboard: 713-792-2121**
   Cancer hospital that advises callers of cancer related resources such as hospitals, prevention, screening, and low cost residences during treatment.

6. Care Connection Aging and Disability Resource Center (**www.careconnection.org**) 877-393-1090
   (Harris County Area Agency on Aging) **www.houstontx.gov/health/aging** 832-393-4301
   8000 N. Stadium, 3rd floor, Houston 77054
   Service to adults 60 years old + and their caregivers.

7. Center for AIDS (**www.centerforaids.org**) 800-252-8014
   1415 California, Houston 77006
   Local information on treatment. Mon-Fri, 9am-5pm. Appointments recommended.

8. Center for Disease Control (CDC) Information (**www.cdc.gov**) 800-232-4636
   7:00am-7:00pm, Central. Mon-Fri. National health information. Services in English and Spanish.

   111 Lovett, Houston 77006
   National Runaway Switchboard: 800-786-2929
   Counseling, information and referral for runaway and homeless youth ages 18-24. Open 24 hours.

    111 Lovett, Houston 77006
    Domestic Violence Hotline: 713-528-2121
    Rape Crisis Hotline: 713-528-7273
    HIV/STD Hotline: 832-393-5010
    Referrals for individuals seeking HIV/STD testing. Mon-Fri, 8am-5pm.

11. Houston Area Women’s Center (**http://www.hawc.org**) 800-252-8014
    1010 Waugh, Houston 77019
    Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Hotlines 24hrs/day, 7 days/week. Agency serves women, men, children, and adolescents. Crisis counseling, shelter, counseling, referrals, volunteer information and general information. Hospital accompaniment if needed. Emergency transportation to shelter available. Access to Children’s Court Services. English/Spanish/language line for other languages. TDD available for hearing impaired. No fee.
    See also: Child Abuse; Domestic Violence; Sexual Assault/Rape; Legal Services.

12. Houston Department of Health & Human Services Bureau-HIV,STD and Viral Hepatitis Prevention
    8am-5pm, Mon-Fri. **www.houstontx.gov/health/HIV-STD/index.html** 832-393-5010

13. Legacy Community Health Services 832-548-5000
    **www.legacycommunityhealth.org**

14. LGBT Switchboard of Houston **www.gayswitchboardhouston.org** 713-529-3211
    Referrals and phone numbers to counseling and shelter. 24 hours/day.

15. The Montrose Center **www.montrosecenter.org** 713-529-0037
    401 Branard, Houston 77006 8am-7pm, Mon-Fri.
    LGBT Center offers resources, counseling, youth/senior programs, addiction treatment, HIV/AIDS care, anti-violence services, education.

    Provides assistance to parents and law enforcement for missing and exploited children. Cyber-tip line for child pornography and children who have been sexually abused by a non-family member.

17. National Human Trafficking Hotline **www.humantraffickinghotline.org** 888-373-7888
    24/7 hotline with multiple language capabilities. Trafficking information or to report suspected cases of trafficking (can remain anonymous). For victims, text “INFO” or “HELP” to “BeFree” (233733).

18. National Suicide Prevention Lifeline **www.suicidepreventionlifeline.org** 800-273-TALK
XIV. Hotlines-Continued

20. Rape Hotline http://www.hawc.org
   Sexual Assault Hotline: 713-528-7273
   Domestic Violence Hotline: 713-528-2121
   Domestic violence and sexual assault assistance for survivor and family. Shelter services also available. Hotlines
   are answered 24 hours a day. Call to schedule appointments for services.

21. Runaway Safeline www.texasyouth.org
   TX Hotline: 888-580-4357
   Information, referral, and advocacy. Will relay messages to families.
   3-way conference calls. Home free program provides way back for qualified youth.
   AGENCY TOLL FREE: 800-989-6884 FOR AGENCY PERSONNEL ONLY SEEKING RESOURCES FOR YOUTH
   WHO ARE NOT IN CRISIS. 24 hours/day.

22. Texas Department of Health Services STD & AIDS Hotline
   Department of State Health Services www.dhs.texas.gov/HIVSTD
   512-533-3000

23. United Way Helpline www.unitedwayhouston.org
   211

XV. Information and Referral

1. Aid to Victims of Domestic Abuse (AVDA) http://www.avda-tx.org
   713-224-9911
   1001 Texas Ave. #600, Houston 77002
   24 hour National Hotline: 800-799-7233
   Counseling and paralegal help for any battered person. Counseling/referral (Mon-Fri, 8am-5pm). Legal
   representation for low-income clients. Counseling for batterers. Will provide protective orders. No fee except court
   costs. Sliding fee scale for victims ineligible for state funded legal aid but who cannot afford private legal counsel.

2. AIDS Foundation of Houston www.aidshelp.org
   713-623-6796
   6260 Westpark, Suite 100, Houston 77057
   Client services include permanent and transitional housing, financial assistance, food pantry, information and referral,
   legal aid, transportation, child monitoring, services for recently released offenders.

3. Al-Anon Family Group Services http://www.houstonalanon.org
   713-683-7227
   9800 Northwest Fwy, Suite 201, Houston 77092
   Spanish: 713-681-1296
   Information regarding groups for families and friends of alcoholics to help cope with and understand the problem.
   Books and literature available. Callers will speak with a volunteer, not a professional counselor. Walk-in. Group,
   no individual counseling. Call for locations. Mon-Thurs, 10am-3pm. Sat. 9am-12pm.

4. Avenue 360 Health and Wellness www.avenue360.org
   713-341-3750
   1429 Hawthorne, Houston 77006
   Adult day treatment center for persons with AIDS or HIV positive, open 7:00am to 5:00pm, Monday–Friday for both
   men and women. Meals, nursing care, exercise programs, field trips, arts and crafts. Limited financial assistance
   (rent and utilities for HIV+). By appointment only. Budget planning, financial counseling. Housing assistance through
   Houston Area Community Services 832-384-1390.

5. Baker Ripley www.bakerripley.org
   713-667-9400
   Information and advocacy for social services. M-F 8-5pm
   Case management services, nutrition, counseling & referrals for pregnant women in following zip codes. Serves:
   77004, 77020, 77021, 77026, 77029, 77033, 77047, 77048, 77051, 77087 No fee.
   Harbach-Ripley Community Center 6225 Northdale, Houston 77087
   Nutrition classes for members. $150 registration fee.
   Ripley House Community Center 4410 Navigation, Houston 77011
   Cleveland-Ripley Community Center 720 Fairmont Parkway, Pasadena 77504 (All Pasadena)
   Baker Ripley Neighborhood Center 6500 Rookin St., Houston 77074
   Immigration, debt, ESL and GED classes.
   Leonel Castillo Community Center 2101 South St, 77009
   Adult education, after-school programs.
XV. Information and Referral-Continued

6. **Bo’s Place**  
   [http://www.bosplace.org](http://www.bosplace.org)  
   713-942-8339  
   10050 Buffalo Speedway, Houston 77054  
   Information and referral for area support groups. Special grief center for children who have lost their parents or siblings. Programs also available for grieving adults. Services are free of charge. Spanish groups are also available for parents and children.

7. **Care Partners**  
   [www.carepartnerstexas.org](http://www.carepartnerstexas.org)  
   713-682-5995  
   701 N. Post Oak Rd, Suite 330, Houston 77024  
   Care teams who provide home-based social/emotional support. Provides respite care, help with errands, companionship for people with Alzheimer’s.

8. **Catholic Charities AIDS Ministry**  
   [www.catholiccharities.org](http://www.catholiccharities.org)  
   713-874-6724  
   2900 Louisiana, Houston 77006  
   Case management and spiritual support for HIV+ couples and individuals. Life skills groups. Financial assistance. Houston-Galveston Diocese.

9. **Champions Community Church**  
   [http://www.championscc.org](http://www.championscc.org)  
   281-397-7569  
   13111 Bammel N. Houston 77066  
   Community service opportunities, information and referral services, and recreation services for youth. Call for information on scheduled youth activities.

10. **Child Builders**  
    [http://www.childbuilders.org](http://www.childbuilders.org)  
    713-481-6555  
    2425 Fountainview, Suite 210, Houston 77057  
    Provides training for school personnel to implement curricula focused on relationship building, anti-victimization and bullying, social and emotional learning, and pre-parenting skills.

11. **Children at Risk**  
    [http://www.childrenatrisk.org](http://www.childrenatrisk.org)  
    713-869-7740  
    2900 Weslayan, #400, Houston 77027  
    Advocates for children through research, education and influencing public policy.

12. **City of Houston Mayor’s Anti-Gang Office**  
    [www.houstontx.gov/antigang](http://www.houstontx.gov/antigang)  
    832-393-0931  
    900 Bagby, Houston 77002  
    Conducts awareness presentations and trainings on numerous gang and delinquency related topics for youth and adults, parents and caregivers, school personnel, service agency personnel, health care professionals, business community, and criminal justice and law enforcement.

13. **City of Houston Parks and Recreation Department D-Tag Tattoo Removal Program**  
    832-395-7000  
    2999 S. Wayside, Houston 77023  
    D-Tag program uses laser technology to remove tattoos that may identify the young adult as a participant or supporter of anti-social behavior. Voluntary program for adults ages 24 and younger that live in the Houston metropolitan area. Six hours of volunteer service for each treatment is the payment required by the young person for their participation in the program. Mon-Fri, 8am-5pm.

14. **City of Pasadena – Odell Harrison Recreation Center**  
    [www.ci.pasadena.tx.us](http://www.ci.pasadena.tx.us)  
    713-477-6491  
    415 Delta, Pasadena 77506  
    Community Youth Development Project, in partnership with TNOYS, TDFPS and HCPS, provides opportunities for youth to grow and develop through recreational, educational, cultural, and social programs. Serves all zip codes.

15. **City of Pasadena Juvenile Fire-Setter Intervention Program**  
    [www.pasadenaFmo.com](http://www.pasadenaFmo.com)  
    713-475-5556  
    209 North Main, Pasadena 77506  
    Prevention and intervention program. 3.5 hour initial visit with a follow-up in one month. Referrals are needed and a parent must participate. For ages 2-17 years old.

16. **Collaborative for Children – Family Services Dept. Childcare Locator**  
    713-600-1234/211  
    1111 North Loop West, Suite 600, Houston 77008  
    Helps families locate childcare, before and after school care for all children. Serves 16 counties. Refers families to parenting classes. Assistance available for families with special needs children. Community resource assistance available. Spanish speaking available.
XV. Information and Referral-Continued

17. Covenant House  
   http://www.covenanthousetx.org  
   713-523-2231  
   1111 Lovett, Houston 77006  
   National Runaway Safeline: 800-786-2929  
   Counseling, information and referral for runaway and homeless youth, ages 18-24.

18. Epic Health Services  
   www.epichealthservices.com  
   877-617-0353  
   North: 832-253-1188  
   South: 713-979-3800  
   Offers pediatric home health care services. Currently care for medically fragile infants and children up to 21 years of age. (Adults accepted on case-by-case assessment) Part of Comprehensive Care Program and Medically Dependent Children’s Program (MDCP). Accepts Medicaid, major insurance and private pay. Available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

19. Harris County Community Resource Coordination Group (CRCG)  
   6300 Chimney Rock, Houston 77081  
   832-927-6308  
   See TRIAD Prevention Program-Youth and Family Resource Services (p. 42) for full description of CRCG services.

20. Harris County Community Youth Services (CYS)  
   See page 4  
   For information: 832-927-6300

21. Harris County Medical Society Physician Referral Service  
   1515 Hermann Dr., Houston 77004  
   http://www.hcms.org  
   Telephone assistance to doctor’s referral service by zip code, specialty and area requested. 9a-5p, M-F.

22. Harris County Youth Firesetter Intervention Program  
   www.hcfmo.net  
   713-274-1735  
   2318 Atascocita Rd, Humble 77396  
   Provides free, confidential, one-on-one educational classes for children ages 3-18 that have misused or played with fire. Also serves children that have pulled fire alarms, appear overly interested in fire, or committed any level of crime involving the use or attempted use of fire.

23. HATCH  
   www.hatchyouth.org  
   713-529-3590  
   401 Branard St, 2nd Floor, Houston 77006  
   Nonprofit organization dedicated to empowering gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgender youth ages 7-20 to become positive contributors to society. Also offers continuing education and training for those working with GLBT youth. Ask for Youth Services Associate.

24. Houston Center for Independent Living  
   6201 Bonhomme Suite 150 South, Houston 77036  
   Voice/TTY: 713-974-4621  
   TTY/Direct: 713-974-2703  
   Coalition for Barrier-Free Living. Provides outreach services to assist individuals with disabilities in accessing services. Peer support. Serves 13 counties.  
   www.hcil.cc

25. M.D. Anderson Information Line  
   http://www.mdanderson.org  
   UT- M.D. Anderson  
   713-792-3245  
   800-392-1611, option 3  
   Advises callers of cancer related resources at the hospital: patient care, prevention, programs, clinical trials, screening, and low cost residences during treatment.

26. Mental Health America of Greater Houston  
   http://www.mhahouston.org  
   713-523-8963  
   2211 Norfolk, Suite 810, Houston 77098  
   Offers a guide online with referrals to organizations that assist with mental health and IDD services.

27. MHMRA of Harris County  
   See Mental Health

28. Office of the Attorney General  
   http://www.oag.state.tx.us  
   Child Support Hotline: 800-252-8014  
   Houston office: 6161 Savoy Dr., # 350, 77036  
   Public Information and Assistance: 800-252-8011  
   Assists with crime victims’ compensation, child support, consumer protection.

29. Prevention Resource Center -- Region 6 (See Substance Abuse)

30. Region IV Educational Service Center  
    http://www.esc4.net  
    713-462-7708  
    7145 W. Tidwell, Houston 77092  
    Referral to public educational services for emotionally disturbed, and special education youth. Information on school responsibilities and student rights. Serves 54 districts in 7 counties.
XV. Information and Referral-Continued

2223 West Loop South, Suite 240, Houston 77027
Provides Houston Area HIV Resource Guide, the “Blue Book” at no charge.

32. Texas Inter-Faith Supportive Services  http://www.ti-f.org  713-526-6634
3701 Kirby Dr, #860, Houston 77098
Education services, family skills development, health and nutrition services, neighborhood pride and leadership skills, and fun and freedom activities. Services are located in apartment communities throughout Houston and surrounding vicinities.

33. United Way Information and Referral Services  Helpline: 713-957-4357 or 211
50 Waugh Drive, Houston 77007  http://www.unitedwayhouston.org  Admin: 713-685-2300
Information and social services for adults and children of Harris Co.
Bay Area: 281-282-6000  Stafford: 281-207-2300  Waller: 281-822-4200
Montgomery County: 281-292-4155

34. YMCA International Services  www.ymcainternationalservices.org  713-339-9015
6300 Westpark #600, Houston 77057
6671 Southwest Fwy, #250, Houston 77074  713-758-9280
Refugee assistance and immigration services.

35. Youth For Tomorrow  http://www.yft.org  817-633-1900
An internet resource that assists in locating placements for children in the state of Texas. Contains information on over 490 providers and is updated weekly.

XVI. Learning Differences

A. Diagnosis, Assessment, and Treatment

1. The Arc of Greater Houston  http://www.aoghr.org  713-957-1600
3737 Dacoma, Suite E, Houston 77092
Right to Learn Program, an educational advocacy program to assist parents through training, information and guidance over the phone, attending ARD meetings, and assisting with negotiation with school districts. Provide programs and services for ages 10+ with persons with intellectual disability disorder (IDD) and autism in Harris and surrounding counties. Spanish speaking support groups. The Arc promotes and protects the human rights of people with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

2. Attention Deficit Disorder Association – Southern Region  281-897-0982
12345 Jones, Ste. 287-7, Houston 77070  http://www.adda-sr.org
Support to individuals impacted by attention deficit disorders and related conditions. Provides a resource network and advocacy for services that meet the educational, social, and health care needs of all individuals with ADD/ADHD. Support groups, educational events, and referrals.

3. The Battin Clinic, Inc.  713-621-3072
4545 Post Oak Place Dr #375, Houston 77027
Neuropsychological and psychological assessments for adults and children.

4. Bay Area Tutoring and Family Counseling  281-488-2831
1300 Bay Area, B150-16, Houston 77058

5. Center for Educational Programs- UH Clear Lake  281-283-3530
2700 Bay Area Blvd., Houston 77058  http://www.uhcl.edu
Educational diagnostic testing is offered for ages 6 through adult. Also offers one-on-one tutoring for reading, writing, spelling, and study skills.
XVI. Learning Differences-Continued

6. Houston Educational Consultants  
   www.houstoneducationalconsultants.com  
   713-974-7775  
   3333 Bering Dr, Suite 200, Houston 77057  

7. Houston Center for Literacy  
   713-640-8200  
   2700 Southwest Fwy, 2nd floor, Houston 77098  
   http://www.houread.org  
   Coordinating agency that gives information and referral for literacy students.  Free assessments of reading level, placement in learning centers and counseling.  Adult basic education & GED prep, ESL, financial literacy, workplace literacy.  Computer literacy and skills training.  Serves Houston and surrounding counties. Bilingual. Classes and materials are free.

8. Carol F. Zuccone Ed.D. & Associates/Irlen Center  
   713-771-3108  
   8303 Southwest Fwy, Suite 216, Houston 77074  
   http://www.zuccone-irlen.com  
   Reading problems due to Scotopic Sensitivity Syndrome (SSS), a perceptual problem, may be corrected by the use of precision tinted filters worn as glasses or colored overlays to eliminate light sensitivity and perception difficulties.  Psychological testing.  Works with children with learning disabilities.  Bilingual.

9. Meyer Center for Developmental Pediatrics – Texas Children’s Hospital  
   832-822-3400  
   8080 N. Stadium Dr. #100, Houston 77054  
   www.texaschildrens.org  
   Medically directed diagnostic and assessment services for children with developmental and learning problems.  Referrals to community services.  Consultation services to physicians, schools and agencies.

10. Neuhaus Education Center  
    http://www.neuhaus.org  
    713-664-7676  
    4433 Bissonnet, Bellaire 77401  
    Consultation about resources for testing and tutoring of dyslexic children and adults.  Training for educators.  A panel discussion for parents of college bound students with dyslexia meets periodically.  Adult literacy.  Bilingual staff.  Private pay.

11. Psychology Services at Texas Children’s Hospital  
    832-822-3700  
    6701 Fannin Floor 1630, Houston 77030 (Clinical Care Bldg.)  
    www.texaschildrens.org  
    Testing and teaching of children who have learning problems in school, includes significant parent involvement.  Assist parents in advocating for an appropriate school program.  Group therapy services for preschool and school age children.

12. Region IV Educational Service Center http://www.esc4.net  
    713-462-7708  
    7145 W. Tidwell, Houston 77092  
    Internal Communications:  713-744-6541  
    Special Ed:  713-744-6365  
    Internal Communications:  713-744-6541  
    Special Ed:  713-744-6365  
    Local service center for TEA.  Provides information about and for local school districts to operate more efficiently.

13. Talking Book Program  
    http://www.texastalkingbooks.org  
    800-252-9605  
    1201 Brazos, P.O. Box 12927, Austin 78711  
    Free library service that provides digital, audio, Braille, and large print books and magazines in English and Spanish to qualified individuals with visual, physical, or reading disabilities.  Disability information and referral center provides free information about disabilities and health conditions, referrals to agencies and organizations, and materials about technology and funding sources.

B. Alternative School Programs

1. AVANCE  
   http://www.avancehouston.org  
   713-812-0033  
   4281 Dacoma St., Houston 77092  
   GED/ESL in Spanish.  Early Headstart program at 400 Main St., Pasadena 77506. Home based services for zip codes -009-, -093, and -022 and Pasadena ISD school boundaries.  Head Start program at various locations in Harris County.  Health marriage and parenthood program.  Parent/child education program.  Services are free.
XVI. Learning Differences – Continued

2. Briarwood School  
http://www.briarwoodschool.org  
 Grades K-12. Provides a complete school experience for children with a learning disability or a developmental disorder. Website provides tuition and fees information.

3. Chinquapin Preparatory School  
http://www.chinquapin.org  
2615 East Wallisville, Highlands 77562  
75 boys, 75 girls, 6th-12th grade, minimal fee. Sliding scale. Boarding school for boys 7th-12th grade only (must have home to go to on weekends). Girls are bused to school daily. Optional boarding for girls in 9th-12th grade. For disadvantaged youth with high potential. Transportation provided. College preparatory. DOES NOT take students with ED.

4. Communities In Schools Houston  
http://www.cishouston.org  
1235 N. Loop W., Ste. #300, Houston 77008  
Supportive guidance, health and human service linkage, parental involvement, cultural enrichment, academic enhancement, and career awareness. C.I.S. places a full-time social service provider on school campuses to deliver services to youth.

5. Excel Academy  
713-669-0799  
2525 Murworth, Suite 100, Houston 77054  
Juvenile Justice Alternative Education Program (JJAEP) School for students within Harris County who have been expelled or have committed a misdemeanor or felony offense.

6. Fusion Academy The Woodlands  
www.fusionacademy.com  
1201 Lake Woodlands Dr., Suite 4000, The Woodlands 77380  
Community of learning that meets students where they are academically. Helps every student flourish emotionally, socially, and academically. Builds positive relationships to unlock the potential in every student. Accredited 6th-12th grade private school providing one-to-one education for all classes.

7. Harper Alternative School  
http://www.houstonisd.org/harper  
HISD: 713-556-6000  
4425 N. Shepherd, Houston 77018  
HISD school for secondary students. Four programs serve: 1) "At risk" students 2) Vocational education for handicapped students 3) Crisis Program for severe adjustment problems 4) Code IV for weapon violators. Admitted through HISD and ARD process.

8. Harris County Department of Education  
http://www.hcde-texas.org  
713-694-6300  
6300 Irvington Blvd, Houston 77022  
Academic and Behavior Centers (ABC) provide educational services (academic and behavioral) to students, ages 5-22, with emotional disturbances, IDD, autism spectrum disorder, and other health impairments. One Highpoint Schools serve expelled and adjudicated youth in grades 6-12. One recovery school for students struggling with addiction. 15 Head Start centers. Adult education and workforce development classes. School based occupational and physical therapy. After-school programs. Students from Harris County school districts. Referrals must be made through the student’s school district.

9. Houston Heights High School  
http://www.heightshs.org  
713-868-9797  
1125 Lawrence, Houston 77008  
Open enrollment charter school offers self-paced and structured learning program. Offers students dual course college credits. Sports program. Summer school available. 9-12th grades.

10. The Harris School  
www.theharrisschool.org  
713-526-2046  
6210 Rookin St., Houston 77074  
Non-profit, therapeutic school helps PreK-6th graders improve behaviors, emotional expression and social skills to increase academic performance and ultimately transition to a mainstream school. Common barriers to growth may be: ADHD, autism, anxiety, depression, ODD, RAD, sensory/behavior disorders, trauma, or other social and emotional difficulties. Private school offering enrollment throughout the year. Program includes weekly social skills/processing groups led by licensed counselors and parent-counselor consultations. Neither a diagnosis or medication is required to attend.
XVI. Learning Differences – Continued

One Chelsea Blvd., Houston 77006
Private, non-profit school that prepares students with learning difficulties in grades K-8 to return to a traditional classroom setting by enabling them to reach their academic and social potential in a safe, supportive environment.

2501 Central Pkwy, Suite A-19, Houston 77092
Day school program for 7th-12th grades. Class size 10-15 students. Offers school for international students, provides quality educational facility for average/above average intellect. Smaller teacher-student ratio provides a more structured and personalized learning experience.

2815 Rosefield Dr., Houston 77080
Private therapeutic school for students K-12 with neurologically based perceptual and cognitive variations that interfere with processing, organization and integration of information. Typical diagnoses include: ADD, PDD, autism spectrum disorder, Tourette’s Syndrome, OCD, Bipolar Disorder, seizure disorder, traumatic brain injury. Individualized psychological and educational assessments. Diagnostic clinic open to the community. Transition service into workplace for after high school and independent living. Post high school services.

4820 Strack Road, Houston 77069
Private full time school ages 18mos- 8th grade. Year round program, tutoring. Computer training and swimming lessons available. Robotics, coding, track and field, and extended care also available. Services also provided for students needing individual programs in core academics. Summer camp program. Fee varies.

15. River Oaks Academy & Tutor Lab  http://www.riveroaksacademy.com  713-783-7200
10600 Richmond, Houston 77042
Alternative school for K-12, ADD or for students who work best in a small group environment. Also provides services for students with ADHD and autism.

1920 N. Braeswood, Houston 77030

17. Sanchez Charter High School  713-967-6700
6001 Gulf Freeway Bldg. E, Houston 77023  www.aama.org/sanchez-charter-school
AAMA charter school. Grades 6-12 for mostly inner city, Hispanic students at risk of dropping out. GED program for 18 years old and up.

Baytown  281-421-4169  Champions  281-586-8069
Woodlands  281-367-1300  Katy  281-492-7084
Cypress  281-256-0200  Kingwood  281-361-9253
Clear Lake  281-557-5558  Sugarland  281-980-1199
Spring  281-288-0063  Missouri City  281-778-9185

Houston Southwest: 9745 Bissonnet, Houston 77036  281-918-4316
Houston North: 3401 Hardy St, Houston 77009  713-659-4226
Houston Hobby: 9020 Gulf Fwy, Houston 77017  832-379-4226
Tuition-free public charter high school of choice serving grades 9-12. Accepts students ages 14-21 who have struggled in a traditional high school setting. Students may enroll at any time of year. Specializes in understanding the individual student’s circumstances and personalizing their education for their specific needs. Teaches reading and critical thinking skills that promote productivity and independence. Also assists students with planning for life after graduation, such as college, a career, or the military. Students receive free breakfast and lunch, free transportation passes, and may choose a flexible schedule to allow for jobs and other responsibilities. Students may attend the morning session 7:45am-12pm, or afternoon session 12:45pm-4:30pm, or both sessions.
XVI. Learning Differences – Continued

20. Texas Challenge Academy  [www.texaschallengeacademy.com](http://www.texaschallengeacademy.com)  877-822-0050
600 Hwy 3013 West, Eagle Lake 77434
Coed, ages 16 – 18; run by the National Guard for students not meeting their educational potential. Must have no felony charges or convictions. Must be willing to be drug free and have a desire to change. Voluntary program. No cost for Texas residents.

21. Raul Yzaguirre School for Success – Tejano Center for Community Concerns  713-640-3710
2950 Broadway, Houston 77017  [http://tejanocenter.org](http://tejanocenter.org)
Charter school. Pre-K - 12th grade to improve educational opportunities for children on the East Side. Affordable housing program available.

22. YES Prep Public Schools  [http://www.yesprep.org](http://www.yesprep.org)  713-967-9000
5515 South Loop East, Suite B, Houston 77033
Free, open-enrollment school system serving low-income minority students in 6th-12th grade. 100% of graduating seniors are accepted by a 4-year college or university.
Southeast  713-967-9400  Southwest  713-967-9200  Brays Oaks  713-967-8400  
North Central  713-967-8800  East End  713-967-7800  Gulfton  713-967-9800  
West  713-967-8200  North Forest  713-967-8699  Northside  713-924-0400  
Northbrook  713-251-4200  5th Ward  713-924-0600  Hoffman  713-924-5400  
White Oak  713-924-5200  Southside  713-294-5500  Northline  346-315-6036  
Northbrook HS  713-251-4250  Eisenhower  281-591-3780  Northwest  713-967-9000

XVII. Legal Aid

1. Aid to Victims of Domestic Violence (AVDA)  713-224-9911
1001 Texas Ave. Suite 600, Houston 77002  [http://avda-tx.org](http://avda-tx.org)
Legal advocates advise victims of domestic violence on their legal rights and alternatives. Attorneys on staff. Assist with protective orders. Mon-Fri, 8am-5pm. Battering Intervention and Prevention Program (BIPP) is for men and women who are violent, abusive and/or controlling in their intimate relationships. 18-week group sessions. Saturday and evening hours available by appointment. Bilingual services available. For Harris County residents.

1212 Prairie St, Houston 77002
Provides civil pro bono legal assistance for homeless and low income veterans. Variety of cases. Also assists with misdemeanor tickets in any jurisdiction.

3. Catholic Charities (St. Frances Cabrini Center for Immigrant Legal Assistance)  713-526-4611
2900 Louisiana, Houston 77006  [http://www.catholiccharities.org/cabrini/](http://www.catholiccharities.org/cabrini/)
713-874-6570
Immigration & other status services. Attorney available first three Tuesdays of each month at 8:00am. Will be seen on a first come first served basis. Registration begins at 7:30am.

Office of the Attorney General: Houston Regional Office, 6161 Savoy #420, 77036
Full child support services provided for TANF or Medicaid recipients and for other individuals upon application, at no cost. Services include: locating non-custodial parent; reviewing and adjusting support orders; establishing paternity voluntarily and by court order; establishing and enforcing support orders and/or medical support orders. Paternity testing at no cost if test is negative. Mon-Fri 8 am-5 pm.

5. Children’s Court Services - Houston Area Women’s Center  713-528-6798
Rape Crisis Hotline:  713-528-7273
Provides education, advocacy, support and accompaniment for child victims or witnesses to domestic and sexual violence and their non-offending family members involved in the criminal justice system. Assists with Crime Victim’s Compensation applications and provides updates on case status and parole. No fee. Accommodates Eng/Span. speaking individuals. See also: Child Abuse; Domestic Violence; Sexual Assault/Rape; Hotlines.
XVII. Legal Aid – Continued

6. **Disability Rights Texas**  
   [http://www.disabilityrightstx.org](http://www.disabilityrightstx.org)  
   713-974-7691  
   Intake: 800-252-9108  
   Sign language: 866-362-2851  
   Video Call: 512-271-9391  
   1500 McGowen, Suite 100, Houston 77004  

   Nonprofit funded by Congress to protect and advocate for the legal rights of people with disabilities.

7. **Dispute Resolution Centers**  
   [http://www.drchouston.org](http://www.drchouston.org)  
   Administration: 713-755-8274  
   49 San Jacinto #220, Houston 77002  
   Alternative resolution to disputes without costly court proceedings. Landlord/tenant, student/teacher, employer/employee, malicious mischief, neighborhood conflict, etc. Use trained volunteers. Juvenile cases accepted. Inquire about JUMP (juvenile mediation program). Free for Harris County residents.

8. **Earl Carl Institute For Legal and Social Policy, Inc.**  
   713-313-1139  
   3100 Cleburn St, TSU Box 1156, Houston 77004  
   [www.tsulaw.edu/centers/ECI/](http://www.tsulaw.edu/centers/ECI/)  
   Provides legal representation to children who are in multiple systems including the criminal justice system, disparate educational systems, the mental health system and foster care system. Provides free legal representation to students seeking to have their criminal records sealed, students in school disciplinary and special education hearings, cases pending in Justice of the Peace and Municipal Courts and the juvenile delinquency courts in Harris County, and its surrounding counties. Services available regardless of family income.

9. **Harris County Domestic Relations Office**  
   [http://www.dro.hctx.net](http://www.dro.hctx.net)  
   713-274-7300  
   1310 Prairie, Suite 700, Houston 77002  
   The Domestic Relations Office in the Harris County Family District Courts: (1) establishes/enforces court orders for the support of and/or visitation rights to a child; (2) terminate wage withholding orders; (3) conducts child custody and adoption evaluations; (4) facilitates family mediations and parent conferences; (5) provides parenting coordination services; (6) provides issue based investigations; (7) maintains the FOCAS Program in cooperation with the Family District Courts.

10. **Harris County DA: Family Criminal Law Division**  
    [http://app.dao.hctx.net](http://app.dao.hctx.net)  
    713-755-5888  
    2221 West Loop South, Suite 101, Houston 77027  
    Serves as a citizens’ intake unit for victims of domestic violence and other offenses such as bigamy, parental abduction, violation of protective orders, criminal non-support and harboring a runaway. Bilingual staff. Interviewing hours: M-F, 7am-6:30pm, on first come, first served basis, limited afternoon appointments. Only handles domestic violence cases where victim and defendant live together, are related by blood or marriage, have a child together or previously dated.

11. **Harris County Juvenile Probation Department**  
    [http://www.hcjpd.org](http://www.hcjpd.org)  
    713-222-4100  
    1200 Congress, Houston 77002  
    Works with youth ages 10–17, who are referred to the Department for Class B misdemeanor offenses or higher offenses. These youth may be adjudicated in the Juvenile District Court and receive supervision and guidance from an assigned juvenile probation officer. Juvenile Probation handles only youth who commit delinquent offenses. Services include rehabilitation, treatment, detention and placement. The District Attorney’s Office determines who will be referred.

12. **Harris County Pre-Trial Services**  
    [http://www.co.harris.tx.us/pretrial](http://www.co.harris.tx.us/pretrial)  
    713-755-5175  
    102 San Jacinto, Houston 77002  
    Gathers information on defendants booked in City and County jails in order to advise the criminal courts as to defendants’ suitability for release on personal bond. Fee is 3% or $20 of the bond on misdemeanors, payable after release. Stability, past record and community safety is explored. Monitor people on bond.

13. **Harris County Sheriff’s Department: Family Violence Unit**  
    See Domestic Violence.

14. **Homeless Court**  
    [www.homelesshouston.org/homeless-court](http://www.homelesshouston.org/homeless-court)  
    832-531-6008  
    Homeless court is a special court session for homeless defendants to resolve outstanding misdemeanor offenses and warrants within the City of Houston’s Municipal Courts. Must be participating with a referring agency.
XVII. Legal Aid – Continued

15. **Houston Bar Association**  
   1111 Bagby FLB, Suite 200, 77002  
   [http://www.hba.org](http://www.hba.org)  
   713-759-1133  
   11,700 member attorneys offer over 20 free services to community, including:  
   a. **Legal line**: Free legal advice, answer legal questions & referrals. All calls answered by licensed attorney 1st and 3rd Wednesday each month from 5pm-9pm.  
      Consejos Legales, first Thursday from 6-8pm sponsored by Mexican American and Hispanic Bar  
   b. **Legal handbooks** – free handbooks on: Elder Law, Family Law & Consumer Law. Available online:  
      [http://www.hba.org](http://www.hba.org)  
   c. **IDEA Program** – teams lawyer and doctor to visit local schools twice a year in the fall and spring to educate 5th graders on legal and medical consequences of substance abuse.  
   d. **Dispute Resolution** - see above  
   e. **Houston Lawyer Referral Services**  
      713-237-9429  
      Links clients with an affordable lawyer for their particular needs. Participating lawyers provide 30 minute consultation for $20.00 on first visit. Phone referrals only from this office. Bilingual.  
      [www.hlrs.org](http://www.hlrs.org)  
   f. **Houston Volunteer Lawyers**  
      111 Bagby FLB, Ste. 300, 77002  
      713-228-0732  
      Free legal service for civil cases only for persons whose income is too high for Lone Star Legal Aid but too low for private attorney. Funded by attorneys, law firms and a small grant. Phone line hours 8:30-5pm. Will handle divorce cases for low income, Harris County residents with minor children. At various community centers every Saturday. Check calendar for location at [www.hba.org](http://www.hba.org)  
      [www.makejusticehappen.org](http://www.makejusticehappen.org)  
   g. **KidZone** internet site that provides law-related information for children, teens, parents and educators - [http://www.hba.org/kidzone](http://www.hba.org/kidzone) enter KidZone in search. Also safety tips and other links.  
   h. **Veterans Legal Initiative** - provides free legal advice and legal representation to U.S. veteran. Offers free Friday clinics at the Michael E. DeBakey VA Medical Center (2002 Holcombe, Houston 77030) every Friday 1:00pm-5:00pm.  
   i. **Fee Dispute Program**: [www.hba.org](http://www.hba.org)  
      Panel of attorneys and lay person that will arbitrate disputes between attorneys and clients, and between attorneys and attorneys, involving legal fees.  
      713-759-1133  
   j. **Juvenile Records**  
      713-759-1133  
      Assists individuals that have a single charge that occurred at age 17 and younger to be sealed.  

16. **Innovative Alternatives Inc.**  
   [http://www.innovativealternatives.org](http://www.innovativealternatives.org)  
   1335 Regents Park Dr., #240, Houston 77058  
   713-222-2525  
   832-864-6000  
   Mediation services include Victims/Offender Reconciliation Program (VORP), divorce/child custody mediation, peer mediation, multi-cultural mediation, family reconciliation mediation, trauma groups for victims of sexual abuse, and sexual abuse victim/offender surrogate mediation. Violence prevention program geared towards bullying in schools. Participation is by consent of all parties. Meetings are conducted by trained volunteers in neutral setting. Mediation and peer mediation training are also offered. Victim assistance program-8 free counseling sessions for victim or witness of a crime. Private, nonprofit agency. Provides counseling & therapy. Accepts Medicaid, insurance, sliding scale, self-pay, and grants for victims.  

17. **Legal Line**  
   1st and 3rd Weds. 5-9pm, 1st Thurs. 6-8pm (Spanish speaking)  
   Free legal advice by Houston and Mexican American Bar Association.  

18. **Lone Star Legal Aid**  
   [http://www.lonestarlegal.org](http://www.lonestarlegal.org)  
   713-652-0077  
   1415 Fannin, Houston 77002 (main office)  
   Legal services for low-income indigent clients. Call for information regarding services provided. Houston offices serve Brazoria, Galveston, Ft. Bend, Harris & Montgomery counties. Phone intakes for non-emergency family issues, Monday 8:30am-2:30am. Family law emergencies, Mon-Fri 8:30am-2:30am. All other services Mon-Fri, 8:30am-2:30pm. Walk-ins accepted.  

19. **Texas Fair Defense Project**  
   [www.fairdefense.org](http://www.fairdefense.org)  
   512-637-5220  
   314 E. Highland Mall Blvd, Suite 108, Austin 78752  
   Provides advice and sometimes representation for individuals who are facing jail, arrest, or a suspended license for unpaid fines and fees. Also advises individuals who have requested a court-appointed attorney for a criminal charge and feel they have been wrongly denied counsel.
XVII. Legal Aid – Continued

20. Texas Immigrant Rights Hotline 888-507-2970
Answers legal questions regarding immigration. Mon-Fri, 2pm-6pm.

Texas Law Help offers free legal forms and civil legal information to Texans who cannot afford legal help. Information about rights, available self-help resources, and organizations that provide free and low-cost legal aid. Multiple languages offered.

22. Texas Legal Services Center www.tlsc.org 800-622-2520
P.O. Box 41256, Austin 78704 www.texaslawhelp.org – online chat to discuss legal issues 512-477-6000
Free legal advice, self-help publications and referrals to Texans over the age of 60 and Texans who receive Medicare. Additional services provided by the Texas Legal Services Center:

   a. Health Law Program
      Provides free legal services to individuals whose incomes are at or below 125% of the Federal Poverty Level. Including Medicaid/Medicare matters, FMLA, continuation of healthcare after end of employment, denial of treatment, and end of life planning.

   b. The Veteran’s Legal Assistance Project (VLAP) 800-622-2520
      Provides legal assistance to Veterans or spouse/dependent of veterans who have household income of below 200% of the Federal Poverty Level.

   c. Texas Kinship Project
      Free legal counseling to address relative caregivers questions regarding healthcare, human services, and school systems for minor children in their care.

   d. AVOICE for Victims of Crime 844-303-7233
      Free legal advice for victims of violent crimes or federal crimes such as ID theft or human trafficking.

   e. CPS Family Help Line 844-888-6565
      Handles child protection services calls, assistance navigating CPS issues for those without an attorney. Answers parents and caregivers questions about CPS issues. The Family Help Line is answered by lawyers with CPS experience. Callers will receive legal information and education, but not legal advice or representation. Spanish speaking services available. Mon-Fri, 9am-6pm.

23. University of Houston Law Center 713-743-2100
University of Houston Law Center, 4604 Calhoun Rd, Houston 77204
Provides first-rate pro-bono legal representation to indigent clients and communities in Harris County in the areas of law covered by the particular clinic. Must meet income guidelines. Immigration Clinic specializes in handling applications for asylum on behalf of victims of torture and persecution, in representing immigrants who have been the victims of domestic violence, human trafficking, and crime, and children and those fleeing civil war, genocide or political repression. Civil clinic provides advice and legal services for civil issues including bankruptcy, collection, landlord-tenant, divorce, domestic violence, administrative appeals, adoption, will drafting, guardianships, name changes and probate. Legal clinic-713-743-2094, Civil clinic-713-743-2168.

24. Victim/Witness Office of Harris County District Attorney 713-274-0250
1201 Franklin Houston 77002 (office on 1st floor, Suite 600) http://app.dao.hctx.net
Keep victims of crimes updated on the status of their case and assist with the court process. Make referrals to needed social services. If client is a victim of violent crime who has incurred medical bills, will provide application to Victim’s Compensation funds. Will accompany to court if desired and help with transportation to court through Metro. Bilingual, Mon-Fri, 8am-5pm.

Legal Immigration Line: 713-758-9280
6300 Westpark #600, Houston 77057
Social services for refugees and victims of human trafficking.

XVIII. Mental Health

A. Advocacy and Treatment

1. Bay Pointe Behavioral Health Service, Inc. 281-480-2400
1560 West Bay Area Blvd. Suite 110, Friendswood 77546
Psychiatric services for children and adults. Accepts Blue Cross/Blue Shield, Tricare, Aetna or self-pay. Mon-Fri, 8am-5pm. Sat., 9am-1pm.
XVIII. Mental Health – Continued

2. Behavioral and Developmental Referral Center-Texas Children’s Hospital
   832-822-1900
   8080 N. Stadium Dr., Suite 100, Houston 77054
   www.texaschildrens.org/refer
   Refers clients to psychiatric services, psychological services or developmental services. Accepts Medicaid, CHIP, and private insurance.

3. Ben Taub Psychiatric Center
   Outpatient: 713-873-4900
   Hospitalization: 713-873-4925
   1502 Taub Loop, Outpatient Psychiatric Clinic 713-873-5130, 2nd Floor

4. ChildBuilders
   http://www.childbuilders.org
   713-481-6555
   2425 Fountainview Dr., Suite 210, 77057
   Provides training for school personnel to implement curricula focusing on relationship building, anti-victimization and bullying, social emotional learning and pre-parenting skills.

5. Continuum Integrated
   www.continuumintegrated.com
   713-383-0888
   3003 South Loop West, Suite 475, Houston 77054

6. The Council on Recovery
   http://www.council-houston.org
   713-942-4100
   303 Jackson Hill Street, Houston, 77007
   Provides information on substance abuse, mental health. Resources available in English, Spanish and other languages. Brochures, pamphlets, handouts, bookmarks, posters and stickers free to individuals within Harris County. Counseling & parenting classes for pregnant women and women with children under 18 months. Counseling for all ages. Medicaid, sliding scale, Medicare.

7. C.Y.E.G.A. Mental Health
   www.cyega.com
   281-936-0047
   2626 South Loop West, Suite 415, Houston 77054
   Provides case management services and psychotherapy to adults and children. Services available in-office or at home. Staff psychiatrist provides medication according to client needs. Walk-in appointments accepted, Mon-Fri 9am-2pm.

8. Cypress Creek Hospital
   www.cypresscreekhospital.com
   281-586-7600
   17750 Cali Dr., Houston 77090
   Inpatient, outpatient, and day treatment for mental health issues, substance abuse, and psychiatric services. Call admissions department for specific information. Ages 12 and older.

9. DePelchin Children’s Center
   see Counseling

10. Devereux Advanced Behavioral Health
    http://www.devereux.org
    800-373-0011
    Children and Family Outreach Center 1150 Devereux Dr., League City, 77573
    281-335-1000

11. Early Childhood Intervention—see Development Disabilities

12. Eating Recovery Center The Woodlands
    www.EatingRecovery.com
    281-465-9229
    Provides comprehensive eating disorder care including inpatient, residential, partial hospitalization, and intensive outpatient programs for adults, adolescents, children, and families who suffer with eating or related disorders. Multidisciplinary team that includes a psychiatrist, internal medicine specialist, pediatrician, therapist, dietician, nurse, and other patient support staff. All major private insurance accepted. Some Medicaid plans accepted. No cost comprehensive assessments.
XVIII. Mental Health – Continued

13. The Harris Center for Mental Health and IDD 713-970-7000
   www.mhmrharris.org Intake: 713-970-4444
   Comprehensive mental health services are provided for youth ages 3-adult. Services include mental health
   assessment, medication related services, case management, skills training, counseling and crisis management.
   Clinical and financial screening is completed to determine eligibility. Eligibility is based on diagnosis, functional
   impairment. Services are also provided at schools and other community locations. Call for additional information or
   assistance, Monday-Friday, 7:30am-3:00pm.
   24 hour crisis services: Neuropsychiatric Center located at 1502 Ben Taub Loop 713-970-7000.
   Mobile Crisis services are available.

14. Harris County Psychiatric Hospital – University of Texas 713-741-5000
   2800 S. MacGregor Way, Houston 77021 http://hcpc.uth.tm.edu/
   Inpatient & outpatient hospitalization for acute psychiatric care. Children, adolescent, and adult services. Walk-ins
   welcome. Accepts indigent patients; private insurance. 7 day average stay. All services for Harris County residents
   only. Accepts clients, insured and uninsured.

15. The Harris School http://www.theharrisschool.org 713-526-2046
   6210 Rookin St, Houston 77074
   A nonprofit therapeutic school for PreK – 6th grade. Focus on the educational, emotional, and social development of
   children in schools. Tuition based.

16. Houston Association of Black Psychologists
   P.O. Box #667187, Houston 77266 http://www.habpsi.org
   Information and referral information on licensed mental health providers in the greater Houston area.

17. Houston Police Department Mental Health Division (CIT) http://www.houstoncit.org 832-394-4200
   150 North Chenevert, Houston 77002 dispatch: 713-884-3131
   Houston police officers with specialized mental health training. CIT officers can respond effectively to people in
   mental health crisis. Houston city limits only. Homeless Outreach Team (HOT) is comprised of one sergeant, two
   officers, and one mental health professional from The Harris Center for Mental Health and IDD. The team helps the
   homeless with the following: housing, social security cards, passports, birth certificates, shelter referrals, medical
equipment, employment, bus fare, medical care and mental health treatment.

   Information and locator service on licensed psychologists in the client’s area.

   Awareness, education and prevention of youth suicide. Crisis hotline. 800-273-8255

20. Legacy Community Health Services 832-548-5000
    1415 California, Houston 77006 http://www.legacycommunityhealth.org TYY: 800-735-2989
    Maple Ridge: 6550 Maple Ridge St, #106, Houston 77081-pediatric and adult behavioral health
    San Jacinto Campus: 4301 Garth Rd, #400, Baytown 77521
    Bissonnet Clinic: 12667 Bissonnet St, Houston 77099-behavioral health
    Psychiatry and general medical services for everyone. Specializes in GLBT youth. Family planning, HIV/STD
testing and treatment, eye care (exams & glasses), and primary care. Sliding scale. Accepts Medicaid, Medicare,
and private insurance.

    Northeast: 9813 Memorial Blvd, Suite A, Humble 77338 281-913-3550
    Spring Branch: 10780 Westview Dr, Suite C, Houston 77043 713-932-5230
    Meyerland: 4850 W. Bellfort, Houston 77035 713-723-3135
    Memorial Hermann Mental Health Crisis Clinic is an outpatient mental health service provider serving individuals
    unable to follow up with other outpatient providers for their mental health needs. Service is provided regardless
    of insurance and even if the client is uninsured. Services provided by MHCC can include, but not limited to:
multiple psychosocial assessments, medical history assessments, emergency medication administration, short term
prescriptions, connecting clients to a more permanent medical home, outpatient psychiatric treatment, social
services, safety planning, brief crisis assessment, short term follow-up, connecting clients to resources in
community, providing referrals. Not designed to provide continuous outpatient follow-up for mental health needs.
XVIII. Mental Health – Continued

22. Mental Health America of Greater Houston  
   http://www.mhahouston.org  713-523-8963
   2211 Norfolk, Suite 810, Houston 77098
   Mission is to promote mental health and improve the care and treatment of persons living with mental illness through education and advocacy. Public education programs and mental health curriculum. Advocacy on mental health issues. Programs on aging, crisis for those needing support and referral. 8:30am – 5pm.

23. The Monarch School and Institute  
   www.monarchinstitute.org  713-479-0800
   2815 Rosefield Dr, Houston 77080
   The Monarch Institute for Neurological Differences is dedicated to empowering individuals with neurological differences to move from dependence to interdependence and make more meaningful contributions in life.

24. National Alliance on Mentally Illness (NAMI)  
   National Helpline: 800-950-6264
   www.namigreaterhouston.org
   A nonprofit grassroots self-help, support and advocacy organization of consumers, families, professionals, and friends of people with mental illness. Support groups, resource library for family, friends, consumers at metro Houston location. Educational classes.

25. The Prism Center  
   832-778-6750
   6750 W. Loop South, Suite 950, Bellaire 77401  
   http://www.theprismcenter.com/
   Adult intensive outpatient program. Adult and adolescent individual therapy, didactical behavioral therapy (DBT) skills group, and case management. Accepts United Health Care, Beacon, Aetna, and Megellan insurance.

26. Probate Courts #3 and #4 (Mental Health Warrant)  
   http://hcpc.uth.tmc.edu/  713-741-5000
   University of Texas Harris County Psychiatric Center, 2800 S. MacGregor Way, Houston 77021
   Involuntary commitments. Anyone 18+ may request a court order for mental health services, Mon-Fri. 8am-1pm if they have personal knowledge of someone who poses a danger to self or others, or who, without treatment, will deteriorate to point of danger. When court issues a warrant, constable will take person to HCPC when a bed is available. Within 24 hours, judge will determine if protective custody should be ordered or release person pending a mental health hearing within 2 weeks while patient is observed. Applicant must be present at hearing. Call judge’s office for dates and times:  713-741-6020

27. Remind Depression and Bipolar Support  
   713-600-1131
   P.O. Box 27607, Houston 77227  
   www.remindsupport.org
   Free support groups for people affected by depression and bipolar disorder and their families. Also referral and education for the community. 60 locations. Visit website or call for locations

28. UT Medical Branch  
   Dept. of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences  
   800-917-8906/409-772-0770
   400 Harborside Dr, Galveston 77555  
   http://www.utmb.edu/psychiatry/  
   Webster: 281-338-2798
   Psychiatric outpatient /research clinic provides treatment for depression, panic disorders, and other anxiety disorders. Psychotherapy and medication treatment. Accepts insurance, Medicaid, Medicare, self-pay.

29. UT Medical School – Psychiatry & Behavioral Sciences  
   Intake: 713-486-2700
   1941 East Rd, Ste. 2100, Houston 77054
   Comprehensive psychiatric, psychological, preschool, and family evaluations. Interventions offered in Continuity of Care clinics. Referral required. Private insurance accepted. No sliding scale or Medicaid.
   http://med.uth.edu/psychiatry/

30. UT Physicians PATH Program  
   www.utphysicians.com/clinic/ut-physicians-path-program  713-500-7840
   6410 Fannin St, Suite 824, Houston 77030
   The UT Physicians PATH Program is a short-term, outpatient day treatment program for adolescents ages 9-18 with both chronic medical issues (i.e. diabetes, sickle cell anemia, chronic pain, etc.) and a co-occurring psychiatric and emotional struggles such as anxiety and depression. Clients of the PATH Program participate in individual, family, and group therapy, receive educational support services, and engage with peers in support therapy with the support of an interdisciplinary clinical team including psychiatry, psychology, and pediatrics.

31. West Oaks Hospital  
   www.westoakshospital.com  713-995-0909
   6500 Hornwood, Houston 77074
   Inpatient, outpatient, and day treatment for mental health issues and substance abuse. Children’s services for ages 5-12, and adolescents, ages 13-17. Also adult program. Medicaid and private insurance accepted.
XVIII. Mental Health – Continued

B. Day Treatment

1. Cypress Creek Hospital  
   http://cypresscreekhospital.com/  
   281-586-7600  
   17750 Cali Drive, Houston 77090  
   Adolescent program 8:30-2:30pm, Mon-Fri for 2 weeks. Ages 12-17. Individual, family and group therapy, and mental health program.

2. Cypress Creek Chemical Dependency Intensive Outpatient Program  
   www.cypresscreekhospital.com  
   281-586-7600  
   17750 Cali, Houston 77090  
   Ages 18 and older. Group therapy Mon-Thurs, relapse prevention and chemical dependency education.

3. The Monarch School and Institute  
   www.monarchschool.org  
   713-479-0800  
   2815 Rosefield Dr., Houston 77080  
   The Monarch School is dedicated to providing an innovative, therapeutic education for individuals with neurological differences—such as those associated with autism spectrum disorder, attention deficit (hyperactivity) disorder, learning disabilities, Tourette Syndrome, mood disorders, anxiety disorders, traumatic brain injury and seizure disorders.

4. New Dimensions Day Treatment Center  
   www.newdimensionsdayhospital.com  
   281-333-2284  
   1345 Space Park Drive, Suites B & C, Houston 77058  
   Intensive outpatient and partial day hospitalization for adolescents ages 13-18, and adults ages 18 and over. Also offers substance abuse treatment. Mon, Tues, Thurs 9:30am-3:30pm. Substance abuse program 5:45pm-8:45pm.

5. Rock Prairie Behavioral Health  
   www.rockprairebh.com  
   979-703-8848  
   3550 Normand Dr., College Station 77845  
   Provides assessments, crisis intervention, and medical stabilization for adolescents (12-17), adults (18-64) and seniors (55+). The adolescent and adult outpatient programs help individuals struggling with emotional and behavioral health challenges who would benefit from a structured therapeutic day program which assists with the development of more adaptive coping skills.

C. Psychiatric Hospitalization

1. Austin State Hospital  
   Admissions: 512-452-0381  
   4110 Guadalupe, Austin 78751  
   Coed, children’s psychiatric unit ages 4 –13. Adolescent unit ages 13 – 17. Accepts sliding scale, insurance, Medicaid, CHIP.  
   http://www.dshs.gov/mhhospitals/austinsh/

2. Ben Taub Hospital  
   www.harrishealth.org  
   713-873-2000  
   1504 Ben Taub Loop, Houston 77030  
   One ward for 72 hour diagnosis for patient in crisis in the Neuropsychiatric Center (not in Ben Taub proper).

3. Cypress Creek Hospital  
   www.cypresscreekhospital.com  
   281-586-7600  
   17750 Cali Dr., Houston 77090  
   Inpatient for adolescents, ages 13-17; adults 18 and over. Family participation through therapy. Intensive outpatient services. Chemical dependency.

4. Harris County Psychiatric Center-University of Texas  
   http://www.hcpc.uth.edu  
   713-741-5000  
   2800 South MacGregor Way, Houston 77021  
   Inpatient care for children ages 3-12, adolescents ages 13-17. Call MHMRA for intake: 713-970-7070  
   Adults ages 18 and over.

5. Houston Behavioral Healthcare Hospital  
   www.houstonbehavioralhealth.com  
   832-834-7710  
   2801 Gessner Rd, Houston 77080  
   Inpatient and outpatient psychiatric and chemical dependency programs for adolescents ages 13-17, adults and senior adults. Provides no cost assessment 24/7.
XVIII. Mental Health – Continued

6. **IntraCare North Behavioral Health**  
   1120 Cypress Station, Houston 77090  
   281-893-7200  
   Inpatient and day patient treatment for children and adolescents ages 5-17. Full range of programs. Family involvement encouraged. Free family support group and aftercare. Dual diagnosis/detox, day treatment and inpatient. Adult programs also available. Accepts Medicaid, Medicare, Tricare, private insurance. 24 hours.

7. **Kingwood Pines Hospital**  
   [www.kingwoodpines.com](http://www.kingwoodpines.com)  
   2001 Ladbrook Dr., Kingwood 77339  
   281-404-1001  
   Inpatient only for children and adolescents, ages 5-17yrs. Adults 18 and over. Family participation through therapy, parent training, family psychodrama, and recreational therapy/leisure education.

8. **St. Joseph’s Hospital Behavioral Health Services**  
   1404 St. Joseph Parkway, Houston 77002  
   713-757-7512  
   Coed, 18+ (cannot be enrolled in high school). Mild to severe problems. Short term hospitalization if needed. Outpatient behavioral health services. Programs held Mon-Fri. Adult patients (at least 18 years old). Individual, group and family therapies (young adults, adults, caregiver support and training). Psychiatric consultations on a weekly basis. Assistance with medication management. After hours crisis services through hospital’s intake department at 713-757-7512, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Patients must be ambulatory, wanting treatment and willing to abide by program rules. Transportation available.

9. **Sun Behavioral Houston**  
   7601 Fannin St., Houston 77054  
   [www.sunhouston.com](http://www.sunhouston.com)  
   713-796-2273  
   In-patient psychiatric and substance abuse treatment. Serves adults, adolescents, and children. Free 24-hour assessment. Provides evidence based therapies, recreational therapy, nutritional consultations, distinct specialized programming, solution-focused group therapy, multi-disciplinary therapeutic approach, therapeutic family involvement, faith based programs, specialized unit for women.

10. **Texas Children’s Hospital Psychology Services**  
    6701 Fannin,16th Floor, Houston 77030  
    832-822-3700  
    Counseling and psychiatric services

11. **West Oaks Hospital**  
    6500 Hornwood, Houston 77074  
    [www.westoakshospital.com](http://www.westoakshospital.com)  
    713-995-0909  

XIX. Parent Education & Support

A. General Parenting Classes

1. **The Ark Group, Inc.**  
   [http://www.thearkgroup.org](http://www.thearkgroup.org)  
   20515 SH 249, Suite CB127, Houston 77070  
   281-537-1301  
   888-ARK-0744  
   ARK program (Adults Relating to Kids) for parents, teachers, and other caregivers. Classes for divorcing parents. Program for children to help with self-esteem and everyday experiences, & anger management, ages 5-19 yrs. Ark for parents (parenting classes), CPS approved.

2. **City of Houston Mayor’s Anti-Gang Office**  
   900 Bagby, Houston 77002  
   832-393-0931  
   Free sessions in English and Spanish for youth and parents designed to support active parental involvement, increase awareness and strengthen communication skills. Provides case management, gang and delinquency intervention.

3. **Collaborative for Children**  
   1111 North Loop West, Suite 600, Houston 77008  
   [http://www.collabforchildren.org](http://www.collabforchildren.org)  
   713-600-1100  
   Free information on parenting classes, parent support groups, & parent resources. Assists in finding child care. Parents as Teachers, ages 0-3. Bilingual services available.
XIX. Parent Education & Support-Continued

4. DePelchin Children’s Center  www.depelchin.org  713-730-2335
4950 Memorial Dr., Houston 77007
Parenting 101 is an eight-week course that provides parents with helpful tips and strategies on dealing with common parenting challenges. The course offers a range of parenting topics, including child development, communication, positive discipline and stress management.
Parenting Help is a free parenting program in Harris County that gives parents the tools and support to influence good behavior in their kids and prevent future problems from happening. This program is only available to residents in Harris County.  713-802-7777.

5. ESCAPE Family Resource Center  www.escapefrc.org  713-942-9500
Office: 2410 Hamilton, Houston 77004
Family Education programs to strengthen families. Programs offered in Harris & Fort Bend counties. Numerous classes at various locations. Curriculum for parents and children 3-17yrs old with childcare available. Core programs include “Building Confident Families” which focuses on conflict resolution, safe and effective communication, problem solving, discipline, and other issues. “Families and Divorce” and “Building New Beginnings” programs focus on families who are going or have gone through divorce. Programs are offered in Spanish, and English. Fee $25. Scholarships available.

6. Family Houston  713-861-4849
4625 Lillian, Houston 77007 (several satellite locations)
Parenting and Family Life classes as well as Co-Parenting and Divorce classes. Co-Parenting and Divorce class qualifies as court-mandated divorcing parent education. Call for a schedule of classes.

B. General Parenting Classes in Spanish

1. Avance  http://www.avancehouston.org  713-812-0033
4281 Dacoma, Houston 77092 (various locations)
Free parenting education program, including GED in Spanish, ESL, healthy marriage, and parenting classes. Programs in English and Spanish. Fatherhood group. Call for schedule at different locations.

C. Specialized Parenting Classes & Support

303 Jackson Hill, Houston 77007 (call for locations/schedule). Intake: 713-914-0556
Cradles Project - parenting classes with emphasis on caretakers who have experienced drug/alcohol abuse. 1½ hour sessions for 10 weeks.

2. Covenant House  www.covenanthousetx.org  713-523-2231
1111 Lovett, Houston 77006
Emergency shelter for young adults 18-20. Parenting classes for residents with infant/preschoolers.

4500 Bissonnet, Suite 200, Bellaire, 77401 (several satellite locations)
Check website for locations. NCI provides a center-based youth development program for children and youth ages 5-16. Also provides children with experiences needed to prepare them for lifelong learning, arriving at school ready to learn. If qualified, daycare provided for qualifying applicants. Head Start programs provided.

4. Community Family Center  www.communityfamilycenters.org  713-923-2316
7524 Ave. E, Houston 77012
Provides GED programs, ESL classes, college prep program for HISD (east-side) students. Food assistance, childcare, early education under Family Support Programs, and English classes. Substance abuse, teen pregnancy, and tobacco awareness classes.

XX. Pregnancy

A. Confirmation

1. Baylor Teen Health Clinic- See Health Related Services
XX. Pregnancy-Continued

2. **Birthright**  [http://www.birthright.org](http://www.birthright.org)  24 hr. Hotline: 800-550-4900

   713-465-4058

   1200 Blalock #104, 77055

   2189 Cypress Creek, Suite 100, 77090

   1502 First St, #F, Humble 77338

   Mon-Thur. 10am-1pm, Sat 10am-1pm

   Mon-Sat 10am-12pm

   M-Thurs 9:30am-3:30pm, Fri 9:30am-12:30pm,

   Thurs 10am-2pm (Spanish speaking only)

   1st Sat. of the month 10am-12pm

   Pro-Life agency. Assists with application for Medicaid and obtaining other resources. Referrals to maternity homes. Free pregnancy testing.

3. **Center for Pregnancy – Friendswood**  [http://www.centerforpregnancy.net](http://www.centerforpregnancy.net)  281-482-5683

   347-B East Parkwood (Hwy 528), Friendswood 77546

   Free pregnancy testing, education, and peer counseling regarding options. Referrals for free limited ultrasound, assistance in locating temporary housing, assistance with supplies, adoption agency referrals, childbirth and parenting information, life-skills classes, post-abortion support. "Baby Bucks" can be earned to spend in store for baby items. Reaching Up parenting classes. Mon-Thurs, 10am-4pm. Tues and Thurs evening appointments available from 6pm-7pm.

4. **Community Pregnancy Center of Pasadena**  [www.cppasadena.org](http://www.cppasadena.org)  713-944-1730

   4230 Vista, Pasadena 77504

   Text: 832-275-9461

   Free pregnancy verification and test confirmation for Medicaid approval. Classes for those who test positive. Mon-Thurs, 10a-1p, and Mon evenings 6-8pm by appt. only. Must have identification. "Points to Success" class Tues 5pm-7pm, Thursdays from 6:30-8pm: opportunity to earn vouchers or points towards purchase of baby necessities.

5. **Houston Women’s Clinic**  [www.houstonwomensclinic.com](http://www.houstonwomensclinic.com)  713-868-4483

   4820 San Jacinto, Houston 77004

   Free pregnancy testing, Mon-Fri 2pm-4pm. Pregnancy termination and counseling.

6. **Planned Parenthood**  Call 1-800-230-PLAN to be connected to the clinic nearest the client.

   Family Planning & Teen Clinic: 4600 Gulf Freeway, 77023  713-522-3976

   Clinic for abnormal pap smears, cervical abnormalities, STD testing. Accepts Medicaid.

   9919 N. Fwy, Suite 107, 77037  713-514-1107

   5800 Bellaire, Bldg 1B, Suite 120, 77081  713-541-5372

   13169 NW Freeway, Suite 115, 77040

   www.plannedparenthood.org

7. **Pregnancy Help Center of West Houston**  [www.phckaty.org](http://www.phckaty.org)  281-599-0909

   1450 East Summitry Circle, Katy 77449

   Crisis pregnancy counseling; pre-adoption.


   2802 Garth Rd, Suite 209, Baytown 77521

   Free and confidential pregnancy tests with follow-up counseling, information on adoption, pre-abortion counseling and ultrasound, parenting classes, maternity and baby clothes and supplies. HOPE program serves moms and infant to 1 year old – can earn vouchers to use in HOPE program store.


   6009 Richmond #130, 77057, Mon 9:30am-3pm, Thurs-Fri 9:30am-3:30pm

   3625 Gager St., Suite 101, Houston, 77093, Mon-Fri 9:30am-3:30pm

   8312 Long Point Rd, Houston 77055, Mon-Fri 9:30am-3:30pm

   713-633-2828

   713-637-4141

   Pro-life: provides information, counseling and pregnancy testing. Confidential. Teens welcome. Can provide ultrasound for those qualified. Parenting and child birth classes, assists with maternity clothing and supplies. Must have an appointment. Prenatal classes in Spanish. STD testing and treatment, counseling, money management and pregnancy classes. No fee.

10. **Women’s Medical Center**  [www.suburbanwomensclinic.com](http://www.suburbanwomensclinic.com)  281-440-1796

    17070 Red Oak #509, 77090

    3101 Richmond Ave, 77098  713-526-6500

    Mon-Fri, 8am-3pm. $25 urine test for pregnancy. Gynecology services. Appointment only.
XX. Pregnancy-Continued

B. Maternity Homes with Teen Pregnancy Services

1. **Aim Adoptions**  
24 hr. 800-776-6508  
Emergency, 24 hour, comprehensive child placing services with availability of transportation and housing for pregnant women or young parents unable to continue parenting. Respite housing, medical and dental care. Counseling 24 hours. No pressure to release. May meet adoptive parents and have them present at birth if so desired. Non-profit, non-sectarian Christian. Bilingual.

2. **Arms Wide Open Adoption Services**  
713-681-6991  
6925 Port West Dr., Houston 77024 [www.armswide.org](http://www.armswide.org) 800-460-6298  
Post-adoption services. Adoption services. Foster care.

3. **CareNet Pregnancy Center of Northwest Houston**  
www.houstonpregnancy.com 281-444-8554  
14530 Wunderlich Dr., Suite 150, Houston 77069  
Serves youth and adults in Northwest Harris County, including Spring, Klein, and Cy-Fair school districts. Offers pregnancy testing, ultrasound imaging, adoption referrals, maternity closet, community referrals, classes on pregnancy, baby care, and life skills. Can earn credits toward redemption for diapers, cribs, etc. M-Th. 10am-5pm. Evening appointments T/W/Th. 6-8pm. No fee.

4. **Covenant House**  
[www.covenanthousetx.org](http://www.covenanthousetx.org) 713-523-2231  
111 Lovett Blvd., Houston 77006  
Emergency shelter for pregnant teens and young adults ages 18-20. Will accept client and her other children as well. Health care provided. “Preparation for Parenthood” classes available. GED preparation and employment counseling. Assistance in obtaining food stamps and Gold Card. Substance abuse/mental health counseling.

5. **The Gladney Center for Adoption**  
[www.adoptionsbygladney.com](http://www.adoptionsbygladney.com) 713-665-1212  
6300 John Ryan Dr., Ft. Worth 76132 817-922-6000 800-452-3639  
16903 Red Oak Dr., #203, Houston 77095  
Adoption planning, medical care and counseling in home or at agency residence in Ft. Worth. All options explored. No cost to birth mothers who release child. Can relinquish later. May go to Fort Worth home or stay home. May help choose adoptive parents and can meet them. May send a letter and picture. To talk with a counselor call: 1-800-GLADNEY.

6. **Presbyterian Children’s Home & Adoption Services**  
7880 San Felipe St., Ste. 111, Houston 77063  
Supervised foster care placement for pregnant girls. No fee to mother if child is released for adoption. Medical care and counseling provided. Open adoption.

7. **LifeHouse**  
[http://www.lifehousehouston.org](http://www.lifehousehouston.org) 713-623-2120  
3323 Bissonnet, Houston 77005  
Housing services for up to 12 pregnant teens, ages 12-24. Residents receive educational, spiritual, and emotional support. Counseling provided to young women and their families. Prenatal and birth medical services are coordinated through local hospitals. Classes include childbirth, parenting, budgeting, etc. All services are free of charge.

8. **Pregnancy Help Center Safehaven**  
[http://www.pregnancyhelpcenter.org](http://www.pregnancyhelpcenter.org) 800-974-3622 979-297-3622  
327 Garland Dr., Lake Jackson 77566  
Free pregnancy testing, maternity and baby clothes and supplies, counseling as needed. CPS approved parenting classes and car seat classes with free car seat.

9. **Providence Place**  
[www.provplace.org](http://www.provplace.org) 844-546-8697  
6487 Whitby Rd, San Antonio 78240  
Primarily adoptive placement for infants-international and older children available. Open adoption. Maternity Center for birth mothers is located in San Antonio. Licensed agency in operation for over 100 years. Medical and legal expenses paid.
XX. Pregnancy-Continued

C. Support Services for Pregnant Teens

1. Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston  
   1700 San Jacinto, Houston 77002
   Services to help women and teens in a crisis pregnancy situation. Gabriel Project is part of Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston. For Gabriel Project services, expectant mother must call 713-225-5826 while they are pregnant. Gabriel Project will pair client with a church in their area that will provide services. Network of 48 churches in Harris County area.

2. Birthright  
   1200 Blalock #104, 77055 713-465-4058 Mon, Weds, Fri, Sat. 10am-1pm
   2189 FM 1960 West, # 100 281-440-4910 Mon-Sat 10am-12pm
   1502 First St., Ste. F, Humble 77338 281-540-1123 M - Th 9:30am-3:30pm; Fri 9:30am-12:30pm, 1st Sat. of every month 10am-12pm
   2189 Cypress Creek Pkwy, Ste. 100, 77090 281-642-2692 Mon-Weds 10am-2pm, Fri 10am-2pm, Thurs 10am-2pm (Spanish speaking only)
   Pro-Life group. Assists with application for Medicaid and obtaining other resources. Referrals to maternity homes. Maternity and baby clothes. Guidance and support. No appointment needed. No fee.

3. Catholic Charities-Blessed Beginning Life Center  
   2615 Fannin St, Houston 77002 713-874-6760
   Provides free parenting and pre-natal classes for pregnant women and families with children under the age of five. Post-adoption counseling services. Free pregnancy test. Helps provide diapers, car seats and strollers based on individual need. Bilingual staff.

4. Fifth Ward Pregnancy Help Center  
   743 Shotwell St. (at East Freeway) Houston 77020

5. Life Houston  
   713-528-6044
   Emergency assistance. Provides free infant formula/baby food on a temporary and emergency basis for babies 0-12 months. Require documentation of infant’s name/date of birth. Assistance provided up to a total of six visits. Medically necessary formula requires a note from a doctor or WIC. Bilingual language line available. Call for information or check website for locations.

6. Life Line  
   3323 Bissonnet, Houston 77005
   713-623-2120
   Support groups, counseling, parenting and life skills, workshops on healthy relationships, money management, computer skills, job preparation, tutoring, mentor support, referrals, teen mom nights. Serves ages 12-50 years old. All services free of charge. Program of Life House.

7. Nurse Family Partnership Program  
   8111 Lawn, Houston 77088 713-876-5652
   6330 W. Loop South, Bellaire 77401 832-828-1273
   9314 Cullen Blvd, Houston 77033 832-395-0006
   Visits first time mothers in their homes until child is 2 years old. Empower mothers to become confident parents and strong women. Serves families in Harris County. Families from contiguous counties will be considered on a case by case basis.

8. Planned Parenthood  
   4600 Gulf Freeway, Houston 77023 713-522-6363
   Sexuality education for all ages. Speaker’s bureau (allow two weeks for speaking requests). Medicaid assistance. Pregnancy tests, pill refills, emergency contraception, women’s healthcare.

www.lifehouston.org
www.catholiccharities.org
www.birthright.org
www.blessedbeginninglife.org
www.archgh.org/respectlife
www.fifthward.org
www.plannedparenthood.org
www.nursefamilypartnership.org

XX. Pregnancy-Continued

9. **Pregnancy Help Center**  
   [http://www.phckaty.org](http://www.phckaty.org)  
   1450 E. Summitry Circle, Katy 77449  
   Pro-Life group. Free pregnancy tests. Ultrasounds upon nurse’s discretion. Emotional support, education on development and abortion procedures, post-abortion and adoption counseling, maternity and infant clothing and supplies. Referral for community services. Mon 9:00am-5:00pm, Tues 12:00pm-8:00pm, Weds 9:00am-5:00pm, Thurs 9:00am-12:00am.

10. **Pregnancy Help Center Safehaven**  
    [http://www.pregnancyhelpcenter.org](http://www.pregnancyhelpcenter.org)  
    327 Garland Dr., Lake Jackson 77566  
    Free pregnancy testing, maternity closet and baby supplies, counseling as needed. Education classes for expectant mothers and new parents. Mon, Weds, Thurs, Fri 9am-5pm. Tues 9am-8pm.

11. **Teen Life Center (TLC)**  
    [www.theteenlifecenter.com](http://www.theteenlifecenter.com)  
    7520 Cherry Park Dr., Suite A-1, Houston 77095  
    Support and assistance for pregnant or parenting teens. Dinner and child care provided at meetings, Thurs 6:30pm. Some housing available, no married couples.

12. **Women, Infants, & Children (WIC)-Call Center**  
    WIC Appointments: [832-393-5427](tel:832-393-5427)  
    8000 Stadium Drive, Houston 77054  
    Free nutritious foods and nutrition information for pregnant and breast-feeding women; children under 5 at time of 1st time appointment. 7:30am – 6pm. Services in Spanish available. **Contact local Health Department for nearest location.**

D. **Pregnancy Termination Clinics** (Note: There are no FREE abortions in Harris County)

1. **Aaron Women’s Clinic**  
   [www.aaronswomenscenterhouston.com](http://www.aaronswomenscenterhouston.com)  
   2505 N. Shepherd, Houston 77008  
   Pregnancy tests, pregnancy termination during first and second trimester, birth control information. Monday-Friday, 9:30am-3:00pm. Sat. 8:30am-12:30pm.

2. **Houston Women’s Clinic**  
   [http://www.houstonwomensclinic.com](http://www.houstonwomensclinic.com)  
   4820 San Jacinto, Houston 77004  
   Free pregnancy test. Pregnancy termination available. Ultrasounds $50. Appointments only. Bilingual nurses available. Mon-Fri 8am-5:00pm. Sat 7am-2pm.

3. **Planned Parenthood – Surgical Services**  
   [www.plannedparenthood.org](http://www.plannedparenthood.org)  
   4600 Gulf Freeway, Houston 77023  
   Counseling and family planning services available. Termination in first trimester only.

4. **Suburban Women’s Clinic**  
   [www.suburbanwomansclinic.com](http://www.suburbanwomansclinic.com)  
   17070 Red Oak #509, Houston 77090  
   3101 Richmond Ave, Suite 250, Houston 77098  
   Birth control and other GYN services. $25 for urine test. Accepts insurance. Pregnancy termination. Also provides adoption information.

XXI. **Residential Care**

Texas Network for Children is a resource that assists in locating placements for children in the state of Texas. They have an Internet website that contains information on over 490 providers and is updated weekly.  
[http://www.yft.org](http://www.yft.org)

A. **Basic Care Facilities**

1. **AAMA House-The Association For The Advancement of Mexican Americans**  
   [www.aama.org](http://www.aama.org)  
   6001 Gulf Freeway, Building E, Houston 77023  
   Outpatient services for adults. Call for program information and schedules.
XXI. Residential Care-Continued

   3712 Wichita, Fort Worth, Texas 76119

3. Amarillo Children’s Home (formerly Presbyterian Home for Children) 806-352-5771
   3400 S. Bowie, Amarillo, Texas 79106  [www.amarillochildrenshome.org]
   56 coed, ages 5-16. 7 group homes with family teachers, up to 8 children in each home. Public school. Counseling available. Basic life skills for children ages 5-10. Sliding scale. Primarily serves CPS children and youth on probation.

   7065 Love, Quinlan, Texas 75474

   1506 Bexar Crossing, San Antonio, Texas 78332 800-830-2246
   Serving foster care youth, juvenile offenders and other at-risk youth. Case management and counseling. Transitional housing.

   P.O. Box 90, Yoakum, Texas 77995 361-741-6092
   4652 Hwy 77A, Yoakum, Texas 77995
   30 coed, ages 0-14. Accepts dependent and abused/neglected children. Moderate behavior problems, no specialized care. Cottage setting. Must have IQ of 70+; below 70 will be considered on a case by case basis. Sliding scale.

   18806 Roberts Rd., Hockley, Texas 77447
   Intake: 281-803-3120
   48 boys, 40 girls, ages 5-18. Variety of programs on site. Public school for K-12 in Waller ISD Residents live on campus in cottages with trained teaching parents. Sliding scale fee. Harris and surrounding counties.

   3655 N. Major Dr., Beaumont, Texas 77726
   36 boys, ages 5-17. Dependent, neglected, pre-delinquent youth. Attend public school or home school. CPS placement only.

   8555 E. Loop 1604 North, Converse, Texas 78109
   P.O. Box 369, Converse, TX 78109
   16 boys, 16 girls. Ages 5-18. Primarily for children with family or minimal behavior problems, abused, homeless or abandoned. Will take sibling groups. Therapeutic services and many diverse recreational opportunities are offered to all children. Sliding scale fee. Length of stay based on situation. Attend local schools.

    4501 N. Frazier, Conroe, Texas 77303 888-756-8682
    Co-ed, short term community placement of 21-30 days for youth 10-17. Small home setting designed to teach independent living skills. Must be in foster care. Length of stay cannot exceed 90 days. Individual and family counseling.
XXI. Residential Care-Continued

11. Buckner Children and Family Services  
   [http://www.buckner.org]  
   409-866-0976  
   All facilities on sliding scale. Beaumont office handles local applications.  
   A. Buckner Children and Family Services  
   5310 South Buckner, Dallas, Texas 75227  
   52 children ages 13-17. Foster care and adoption main focus.  
   B. Buckner Children and Family Services  
   129 Brentwood, Lubbock, Texas 79416  
   94 children, ages 5-18. Public school.  
   C. Buckner’s Children’s Village and Family Care Center  
   9055 Manion Drive, Beaumont, Texas 77706  
   400 children total per year, ages 5-17. CPS placement only. 16 bed residential treatment facility for ages 5-17.

12. Cal Farley’s  
   [http://www.calfarley.org]  
   800-687-3722  
   600 SW 11th, Amarillo, Texas 79101  
   Full services available (Family Resource Center, In Home Family Service, Case Management). On site school with vocational training. Youth requiring long term behavior modification program in an affectionate but structured setting. Recommended minimum stay of 1 year. Boys Ranch is coed. No fee.

13. Casa De Esperanza de los Niños  
   [http://www.casahope.org]  
   713-529-0639  
   2911 Corder, Bldg A, Houston 77054  
   Free, voluntary care for children up to age 6 at time of admission, whose families are in crisis which might lead to abuse. Temporary housing for child and counseling for parent is offered. Also care for HIV+ children. Volunteers and aides staff 14 houses for 3-6 children around the clock, providing a home like atmosphere. Testing and therapy for developmentally delayed, birth to 6 years.

14. The Center for Success and Independence  
   [http://www.tcsi.org]  
   713-426-4545  
   3722 Pinemont, Houston 77018  
   44 bed co-ed residential facility for children ages 12-17 experiencing behavioral, educational and emotional problems. Average length of stay is 7-12 months. Substance abuse treatment services. Accepts private insurance

15. Cherokee Home for Children  
   [http://www.chc4kids.org]  
   325-622-4201  
   800-689-3292  
   P.O. Box 295, Cherokee, Texas 76832  

16. Children’s Home of Lubbock  
   [www.childshome.org]  
   806-762-0481  
   PO Box 2824, Lubbock, Texas 79408  
   Mon-Fri, 8a-5p; closed 12:00pm-1:00pm  

17. Christ’s Haven for Children  
   [http://www.christshaven.org]  
   817-431-1544  
   4200 Keller-Haslet Rd, Keller, Texas 76244  

18. Concho Valley Home for Girls  
   [http://www.conchokids.org]  
   325-655-3821  
   412 Preusser St., PO Box 3772, San Angelo, Texas 76902  
   Foster group home for girls ages 14 and up. Children’s emergency shelter serves males and females from newborn to 17 years old. Transition Center provides support to current and former foster children ages 16-25. Public school, tutoring, special education, counseling by professional on staff. Psychological evaluation required for placement. Interviews conducted before acceptance. Priority given to area clients. Sliding scale.

19. Covenant House  
   (See Rights of Passage)  
   713-523-2231
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20. DePelchin Children’s Services http://www.depelchin.org 713-730-2335 4950 Memorial Dr, Houston 77007 713-802-6342
Provides 24 hour care and temporary residence for children ages 5-12 years. Located in Richmond, TX. Transitioning to Adulthood through Guidance and Support (TAGS) Program provides a safe and stable environment for homeless young adults ages 18-22 who have aged out of the child welfare system. To be eligible for services, youths must have aged out of the child welfare system and have gone through the PAL program. DePelchin will provide shelter for eligible youths along with promoting personal growth through life skills classes and case management.


22. Gulf Coast Trade Center http://www.gctc.us 936-344-6677 143 Forest Service Rd., # 233, New Waverly, Texas 77358 For boys 14-18. All youth must be court-ordered or CPS. Vocational training school and residence. Counseling and testing available. GED certified. Substance abuse component. Anger Management. After Care & independent living skills training. Mostly TYC, Juvenile Probation and TDFPS.

23. Hendrick Home for Children www.hendrickhome.com 325-692-0112 2178 Jeanette, Abilene, Texas 79602-5899 800-777-0219 Mailing address: P.O. Box 5195, Abilene TX 79608-5195 100 coed, ages 5–15. Counseling, public school, and other resources as needed. Ninety day probation period for the child, and the Home determines if placement is in the best interest of the child.


27. Job Corps www.jobcorp.gov Information: 800-733-5627 Free educational and training program that helps youth learn a career, earn a high school diploma or GED, and find and keep a good job. Birth certificate, social security card, picture ID, high school transcript, and shot record needed. Coed. Parents must be within low income level unless applicant lives independently. Students are given spending money and put on savings plan. Houston Admissions Center: 832-519-9765.

28. La Esperanza Home for Boys http://www.swkey.org 512-462-2181 6002 Jain Lane, Austin, Texas 78721 Serves boys 10-17 yrs. Counseling, public school, tutoring and remedial education on campus. Children are usually from surrounding counties. Also serves as shelter for unaccompanied immigrant youth. Parent organization is Southwest Key.

XXI. Residential Care-Continued

5005 Mitchelldale, Suite 119, Houston 77092  Admission: 800-964-9226
A. Main Campus – 180 children ages 12-18. Structured program serves children ages 12-17. Provides more
    intensive supervision and structure for adolescent youth who attend the MCH school. Grades 6-11. Basic Care
B. Boys Ranch – Offers residential care to 50 boys ages 12-18. Pre-delinquent and delinquent boys displaying
    moderate to severe problems in their academic settings. True working ranch located in Axtell, Texas.
C. Outreach Offices - Families in crisis find support and counseling they need to stay together and function in a
    healthy way through the outreach offices in Lubbock, Dallas, Houston, Albuquerque, San Antonio, Tyler, Waco,
D. Foster Care Program – places children ages 0-17 whose families are experiencing a crisis situation:
    homelessness, incarceration, hospitalization, financial difficulties, young immature parents, step-parent conflicts,
    etc. Offers case management, kinship/relative placement, parenting. Houston office.

31. Miracle Farm  http://www.miraclefarm.org  979-836-0901
10802 FM 2621, Brenham, Texas 77833
Residential program for 7th-12th grade boys in a ranch setting. School on campus. 18 months average length of
stay. Volunteer placement for at risk teenage boys. Serves zip codes within a 120 mile radius.


33. Presbyterian Children’s Homes and Services  http://www.pchas.org  512-476-1234
Central Office: 5920 W. William Cannon Dr, Bldg. 3, Suite 100, Austin 78749  800-888-1904
300 Brookside, Waxahachie, Texas 75167
60 Coed, ages 5-17. Dependent and neglected youth, CHINS, status offenders, and referrals from parents.
    Counseling, public schools, semi-rural cottages. Sliding scale. Some scholarships. Also has smaller group homes:
    Austin - 6 boys/6 girls ages 7-18 (or graduation from high school). Itasca - 16 boys and 16 girls ages 5-18 (or
    graduation from high school).
    Houston Children and Family Program– crisis intervention/in-home care. (Spring Branch: 713-490-9558)
    No fee.

34. Rights of Passage-Covenant House  713-523-2231
1111 Lovett Blvd., Houston 77006  http://www.covenanthousetx.org
Intake: x5601
Transitional living for men and women 18-24. Up to 18-month stay, designed to teach independent living skills.
    Separate housing with advisor on site. Must have completed GED or HS or working toward these goals and/or be
    employed. Drug free or in treatment. Services include vocational guidance, education support, computer training,
    health care, individual and group counseling, life skills classes and mentors. 20% of earnings deposited in bank
    account.
    Rights of Passage-Apartment Living (ROPAL)
    After 6 months at ROP, qualified youth may apply for apartment in a Covenant House Texas ROPAL. New program
    enables young adults to make the transition toward independence over a year’s time.

35. Sacred Heart Children’s Home  956-723-3343
3310 South Zapata Highway, Laredo, Texas 78046
80 coed, boys ages 5-10, girls ages 5-17. Basic care and long term, counseling available, public schools and some

36. South Texas Children’s Home Ministries  361-375-2101
P.O. Box 759 Beeville, Texas 78104-0759  http://www.stcm.org
Coed, ages 0-17. Rural cottages, basic care, public schools. No fee. Application can be found on agency website.

37. Sunny Glen Children’s Home  956-399-5356
2385 E. Expressway 83, San Benito 78586
32 beds. coed, ages 0-17. Cottage setting. Psychologist in community. Public school with variety of educational
    opportunities. Cradle of Hope-residential program for teen moms and pregnant teens, prenatal care and neonatal
    care, case management. Sliding scale. Some scholarships.
XXI. Residential Care-Continued

1101 N. Mays, Round Rock, Texas 78664
Admissions:  512-246-4254
40 coed, 5-17 yrs. old.  Basic care, counseling, public school.  Family care program (transitional housing for single moms and children 512-246-4232).  Moms must be 18 years old and older.  Children 17 years and under.  Sliding scale.  Some scholarships.

514 Bayridge Rd, La Porte 77571
8100 Washington Ave, Suite 220, Houston 77007 (Houston Office)  713-688-6262

40. West Texas Boy’s Ranch  http://www.wtbr.org  325-949-1936
10223 Boys Ranch Road, San Angelo, Texas 76904  800-756-9827
39 boys, ages 11-17.  Counseling and public school.  Working ranch for homeless, pre-delinquent.  No set fee.  Supported by donations.

41. Youth Reach Houston  www.yrhoustion.org  281-459-4555
P.O. Box 9631, Houston 77213
Licensed Christian foster group home in NE Harris County for boys 12-17.  Accepts court involved, substance abusers, and incorrigible youth.  Youth are placed by a parent, legal guardian, or managing conservator.  Phone interview and personal interview must be completed before admission.  No fee.

B. Emergency Shelters

1. The Children’s Center  409-765-5212
PO Box 2006, Freeport, Texas 77542  http://www.thechildrenscenterinc.org  24 hr crisis line:  844-763-8861
Temporary federal shelter for children and youth of CPS, ages 5-17 years old.

1111 Lovett Blvd, Houston 77006
90 beds, coed, voluntary shelter offering food, clothing, health care, legal assistance and counseling to homeless and runaway youth.  Licensed for ages 18-20.  Accepts teen mothers with babies.  Pregnant girls accepted.  GED program, job training.  Street outreach by a van.  Walk-in services for cleaning up, medical, and counseling.  Does not provide “breaks” for families or take youth out of their homes but does provide counseling.  See Rights of Passage for long-term care.  No fee.

3. Nancy and Rich Kinder Emergency Shelter (Formerly CRC)  832-927-6380
6300 Chimney Rock, Houston 77081
(See page 43)

C. Residential Treatment

15892 CR 26, Tyler, Texas 75707  800-340-2697

5467 Rogers Hill Road, West, Texas 76691
Serves up to 61 children, ages 13-17.  Sex offender and substance abuse program.  Sliding scale fee available.  Does not accept private referrals.  TDFPS and JJD only.

3. The Center for Success and Independence  http://www.tcsi.org  713-426-4545
3722 Pinemont, Houston 77018
Coed, ages 12-17 who are experiencing behavioral, educational, emotional problems, and/or substance abuse disorder.  Also provides outpatient services.  Accepts private insurance, self-pay, financial aid available.
XXI. Residential Care-Continued

   4950 Memorial Dr., Houston 77007
   Residential program for children ages 5-17. Only referrals from DFPS or TJJD accepted.

5. Devereux Advanced Behavioral Health  http://www.devereux.org
   120 David Wade Drive, Victoria, Texas  800-383-5000  361-575-8271
   1150 Devereux Dr., League City 77573  800-373-0011  281-335-1000
   Victoria Campus: Provides treatment to emotionally and cognitively affected children ages 5-14. Second campus in
   League City serves adolescents and young adults ages 13-22. Both programs accept learning disabled, emotionally
   disturbed, behavioral disorders, and psychiatric chemical dependency disorders. Medicaid, Tricare, private
   insurance accepted.

   3804 Avenue B, Austin, Texas 78751
   41 coed, ages 5-12. Counseling. TDFPS and voluntary placements. Prefer local clients. Foster care placements
   available for children from 0-18 years old. Applications available on agency website.

   8631 W. County Road 60, Midland, Texas 79707
   Accepts children ages 0-17. Teaching family model. Rural Midland area. Residents attend public school. Some
   sliding scale. Placement through TDFPS.

8. Hold My Hand Residential Treatment Center  713-645-0042
   7722 Glen Vista, Houston 77061
   Provides assistance for 13 abused and neglected girls ages 12-17. Short-term basis. CPS custody only.

   245 West 17th, Houston 77008
   Therapeutic foster homes for children ages 2-17. Children in CPS custody only. Also trains and supervises
   therapeutic foster parents, kinship foster parents, adoptive parents, adoptive kinship parents. Adoption services
   available for children ages 0-17.

    PO Box 87, Liberty Hill, Texas 78642/12550 W. Hwy 29, Liberty Hill, TX 78642
    Psychiatric, residential treatment program in the “Hill Country”. Joint Commission accredited. Serves emotionally
    disturbed children and adolescents ages 11-17, with psychiatric and neuropsychiatric diagnosis. TEA approved
    schooling. Accepts Tricare and private insurance. Call for bed availability.

    1111 Herring, Waco, Texas 76708
    Admissions: 800-964-9226
    Accepts children/adolescents ages 12-18. Average length of stay is 18 mos. Residents usually accepted
    through agency’s basic care program. Family must call agency for phone screening prior to admission.

    Main office: 294 Medical Dr, Abilene, TX 79601
    Mailing address: P.O. Box 549, Goldthwaite, TX 76844
    74 boys and girls, ages 7-17. Provides individualized/intensive inpatient treatment. Located near Goldthwaite, Texas.

    120 Bert Brown Rd., San Marcos, Texas 78666
    512-396-8500
    Long-term residential treatment for girls and boys ages 8-18 with psychiatric, neuropsychiatric and
    neurodevelopmental diagnosis. Clients learn to modulate and regulate behavior, manage anger and mood, and
    improve social functioning. Also accepts clients with IQs of 50 and above on a case-by-case basis. Clients
    attend the Center’s accredited TEA school. Accepts most private/commercial insurance plans, Tricare, CHIP, Texas
    managed Medicaid plans and out-of-state Medicaid.

    1600 Payton Gin Road, Austin, Texas 78758
    Therapeutic group homes for girls, ages 12–17. CPS placement. Residential care secondary to trauma. Individual
    and group counseling available. Call agency for phone screening.
XXI. Residential Care-Continued

15. Texas Mentor  http://thementornetwork.com
6161 Savoy Dr, Suite 1020, Houston 77036
Child placing agency for males and females 0-21 Adoption services. Contracts with CPS, TYC.

16. Texas NeuroRehab Center  http://www.texasneurorehab.com
Admissions: 800-252-5151  512-444-4835
1106 W. Dittmar, Austin, Texas 78745
Neurobehavioral residential treatment for adults ages 18 and older with multiple disabilities including neurological damage, head injuries, behavioral disorders and developmental disabilities. PT/OT/speech therapy and other services available. Chemical dependency and mental health services available. Detox, residential and outpatient services provided.

17. Upbring (formerly Lutheran Social Services)  512-459-1000
Homes specialize in working with the most challenging children.  www.upbring.org
a. Krause Children’s Treatment Center  25752 Kingsland Blvd, Katy, TX 77494  281-298-8639
Girls residence for levels 5-6, ages 11-17, 3-18 month stay. School on campus through Katy ISD.
b. New Life Children’s Treatment Ctr. 605 Scarborough Rd., Canyon Lake, 78133  830-964-4390
Girls ages 11-17. A program of Lutheran Social Services.

18. Waco Center for Youth  http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/mhhospitals/wacocenterforyouth/  254-756-2171
3501 North 19th, Waco, Texas 76708

D. Special Needs

3737 O’Meara Drive, Houston 77025
Three residences, coed for ages 18 and older. Children with autism or other pervasive developmental disorders. Also operates a day school for ages 4-22. Day habilitation program for ages 22 and up.

2. Devereux  See Residential - Treatment

15403 Hope Village Rd., Friendswood  77546
60 coed, ages 8 and up. Full time residential facility for individuals with intellectual disabilities. Family style residence. Normalization/independent living process. Also day program.

2849 9th Ave., Port Arthur, Texas 77642

2310 Spillar Rd, Manchaca, Texas 78652
18+ years with primary diagnosis of developmental disability or cognitively challenged. Vocational and daily living skills. Must be able to ambulate independently.

400 Hwy 290 W, Bldg. B, Suite 205, Dripping Springs, TX 78620  713-331-0259
Houston office: 9551 Fannin St, Houston 77045
Residential and assisted living facilities for persons with traumatic brain injury. Also long term treatment for mentally ill ages 18 and up.

7. Mission Road Developmental Center  http://missionroadministries.org  210-924-9265
8706 Mission Road, San Antonio, Texas 78214
XXI. Residential Care-Continued

8. Providence Place  www.provplace.org  210-696-2410
6487 Whitby Rd., San Antonio 78240
Fee based transitional housing for young adults with disabilities. Intermediate care facility for young adults with disabilities with higher support needs.

XXII. Sexual Assault* (*To Report: Call Local Police Department)

1. HPD Special Victims Sex Crime Unit: 713-308-1180
   Adult services, family violence, child sex crimes, child physical abuse.
   Pasadena PD:  713-477-1221  
   Baytown PD:  281-422-8371
   Harris Co. Sheriff:  713-221-6000

2. Brazoria County Woman’s Center  
   24 hr. Hotline (south): 800-243-5788
   24 hr. Hotline (north): 281-585-0902
   Support groups for victims of sexual assault & domestic violence.
   Main office:  979-849-9553
   http://www.womenscenterbc.com

3. The Bridge  http://www.tbotw.org/  
   Hotline: 713-473-2801
   24 hr. hotline; sexual assault education and crisis intervention services, peer support group as well as hospital and legal accompaniment. Support groups in Pasadena and Baytown. Emergency shelter. Parenting groups and addiction groups.
   3841 Allen-Genoa, Pasadena 77504
   Baytown:  281-420-5600

4. Houston Area Woman’s Center  http://www.hawc.org  
   Rape Crisis Hotline: 713-528-7273
   1010 Waugh, Houston 77019  
   Business Office: 713-528-6798  
   Domestic Violence Hotline: 713-528-2121
   Agency serves women, men, children, and adolescents. Assists survivors of sexual assault, abuse, rape, and incest. Support group for non-offending parents, caregivers, friends, and family members. Individual and group counseling. Hospital accompaniment and emergency transportation to shelter available. Access to Children’s Court Services. No fee. See also: Child Abuse; Domestic Violence; Hotlines; Legal Services.

   5504 First St., Katy 77493  
   Sexual Abuse Hotline (non-emergency): 281-693-7273
   Serves: All zip codes
   Domestic Violence Hotline: 281-391-4357
   Crisis counseling, shelter referrals, accompaniment to hospital, court and police. Friend of the court services, legal advocacy, food pantry, financial assistance. Support groups and referrals. Confidential. No fee.

6. Montgomery County Woman’s Center  http://www.mcwctx.org  936-441-7273

7. Montrose Counseling Center  http://montrosecounselingcenter.org  713-529-0037
   401 Branard, Houston 77006
   Sexual assault survivor support group for gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgender adults. Counseling center and support groups. Crisis support. 18 and up.

8. Rape Crisis Hotline (see Houston Women's Center)  713-528-7273

XXIII. S.T.D. Clinics

1. Baylor Teen Health Clinic  713-873-3601
   1504 Ben Taub Loop, Houston 77030
   Screening and treatment of sexually transmitted disease, family planning and HIV counseling. Call for appointment, clinic hours, age limits and costs. Serves all zip codes. See Health for locations.
XXIII. S.T.D. Clinics-Continued

2. Houston City Health Centers/Houston Department of Health and Human Services
   www.houstontx.gov/health  Appointments: 832-393-5427
   Administration: 8000 N. Stadium, Houston 77054
   All appointments must be scheduled through appointment line. Preventive health care, child health, family planning, immunizations for adults and/or foreign travel, and maternity clinic. Services may vary by clinic.
   *Sunnyside  4605 Wilmington, 77051  832-395-0206
   Magnolia  7037 Capitol, 77011  832-395-3380
   Sharpstown 6201 Bonhomme, 77036  832-395-9800
   Please call the appointment line at 832-393-5427 to make an appointment for family planning, maternity or Well Child.*
   STD Services - Health and sex education rap session - birth control, pregnancy test, etc. No fee.

XXIV. Substance Abuse

A. Counseling

   4140 Directors Row, Suite D, Houston 77092

2. AAMA (Association for the Advancement of Mexican Americans)  713-926-9491
   204 Clifton St, Houston 77011  http://www.aama.org  School: 713-929-2300
   Crisis counseling, emphasis on alcohol and inhalant abusers. Home visits. Alternative high school up 19 years of age. Outpatient substance abuse program in Spanish. HIV outreach and testing.

3. Bay Area Council on Drugs and Alcohol (BACODA)  800-510-3111
   1300A Bay Area Blvd. Suite 239, Houston 77058  http://www.bacoda.org
   Prevention and intervention services, SAP services, recovery support, assessments, individual and family counseling. Education: DW-I, DW-I, SAEP, and TDOEP. Community outreach through presentations and prevention based activities. Business support through drug and alcohol safety presentations. Some services at no cost to the community and some are for a nominal fee. Appointment only.

   2525 San Jacinto, Houston 77002
   The Alternative Program helps people begin the road to recovery. Spanish services available. Adults only.

5. Community Family Centers  http://www.communityfamilycenters.org  713-923-2316
   7524 Avenue E., Houston 77012
   Classes for youth with drug abuse, truancy, delinquency, teen pregnancy problems, GED and ESL classes. Parenting classes must be court ordered. Computer classes. Youth services 713-595-1300.

6. The Council on Recovery - Houston  713-942-4100
   303 Jackson Hill, Houston 77007  www.councilonrecovery.org  855-942-4100
   Bilingual counseling, assessment, and referral services. Region VI Education Center with information on prevention and intervention. Center for Women & Children includes Cradles Project for children exposed to addictive drugs or HIV during pregnancy. Clinic intake (713-914-0556) assists the whole family with recovery.

7. DAPA Family Recovery Programs  www.dualdiagnosistreatmentdapa.com  713-783-8889
   5500 Guhn Rd, Suite 100, Houston 77040  24 hr.:800-828-3272
   Outpatient addiction treatment includes individual, family, and group counseling. Day treatment and inpatient care also available. Dual diagnosis, mental health, and drug addiction program.

8. Devereux Advanced Behavioral Health  800-373-0011
   1150 Devereux Dr. League City 77573  http://www.devereux.org
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   3353 Elgin, Houston 77004
   Community based substance abuse prevention and intervention. Mentoring services. Abstinence education.
   Homeless supportive services. Permanent housing for homeless men and women. HIV education and testing. After
   school and summer program for ages 6-17. Availability of programs varies by area, call to determine eligibility.

    10435 Greenbough #250, Stafford 77477
    3926 Ave H #11, Rosenberg 77471  281-342-8828
    12 week Substance Abuse program. DWI Program. Repeat DWI Offender. Drug offender class. Aftercare offered for
    adults who complete 12 week Substance Abuse program. Drug screens. Outpatient drug treatment for adults. Some
    programs available in Spanish. Sliding scale fee, Medicaid.

11. Houston Al-Anon Family Group  http://www.houstonalanon.org  24 hr.: 713-683-7227
    9800 NW Freeway, Suite 201, Houston 77092
    12 Step self-help group for those impacted by another’s alcohol use. Also has group for adult children of alcoholics.
    ALATEEN and parents of alcoholics. Information on group locations. Serves all zip codes. No fee. Phones
    answered by volunteers at 24 hour number.

12. Houston Northwest Rehab  281-537-2800
    2611 FM 1960 West, Bldg. H, Ste. 120, Houston 77068
    Intensive outpatient program offers educational, individual, and group counseling services for a minimum of six
    weeks. Longer term supportive outpatient is available. Drug testing and evaluation. Anger management, decision
    making, and domestic violence (BIPP) classes for youth and adults. State certified classes for tobacco awareness,
    and minor in possession (MIP). DWI education, Texas Drug Offender Education Program (TDOEP), and DWI
    repeat offender classes for adults. Weekend classes available. Teen parenting classes. Service costs vary by
    class. Self-pay and private insurance accepted.

13. IntraCare North Behavioral Health  http://www.intracare.org  281-893-7200
    1120 Cypress Station, Houston 77090
    Evaluation and treatment of substance abuse, dual diagnosis, and emotional problems. Individual, group and family
    therapy. Medical detoxification. Clients must be over 18 years old for substance abuse treatment. Accepts
    Medicare, Medicaid, and private insurance.

    12955 Memorial Dr, Houston 77079  www.threeoaksacademy.org
    Alternative peer group and recovery system in the field of chemical dependency. Adolescent group ages 13-17;
    young adult group ages 18-25; adult group ages 26+. Ten locations throughout the Houston area. Fully accredited
    alternative high school and college bound campus. Highlights the spiritual side of recovery.

    19222 Tomball Pkwy, Tomball 77070 (Prince of Peace)
    11507 Huffmeister Rd, Houston 77065 (Christ the Redeemer)
    Individual, marital, or family counseling, group therapy, parent education and treatment for substance abuse for all
    ages. Self-pay.

16. Memorial Herman Prevention & Recovery Center (PaRC)  713-939-7272
    3033 Gessner, Houston 77080  www.parc.memorialhermann.org
    Substance abuse: inpatient, outpatient day programs, detoxification, family education, aftercare for adolescents,
    ages 13-17, and adults. 12-Step meetings for adults. Pain recovery program. Does not accept Medicaid or
    Medicare. Private insurance and self-pay only.

    401 Branard, Suite 117, Houston 77006
    12 Step program – list of meetings, referrals.
XXIV. Substance Abuse-Continued

   840 Gessner, Suite 1300, Houston 77024
   Provides free outpatient drug and alcohol recovery services designed to help both individuals and families recover.
   Available to teens (12-17), adults (18-25), and parents.
   Teen & adult-725 Bateswood, #200, Houston, 77079  281-870-9311
   Teen & Adult - 303 Jackson Hill, Council on Alcohol and Drugs  281-870-9311
   Teen – 2600 Westheimer Pkwy, Covenant Lutheran Church  281-870-9311
   Adult - 15015 Memorial Drive, Emmanuel Episcopal Church  281-870-9311
   Adult - 14100 Memorial Drive, St. Thomas Presbyterian Church  281-870-9311

   501 Garden Oaks Blvd, Houston 77018
   Offers a variety of evidence based substance abuse treatment services for adolescents and adults. Out-patient and residential substance abuse treatment services for adolescents, and out-patient services for adults. Substance abuse prevention services for adolescents to be provided in schools or community.

   Community based prevention and education.
   313 Hwy. 146, Baytown 77520  281-427-8786 Outpatient adults, male and female
   5527 Lawndale, Houston, 77023  713-921-9185 (main office) Adults only at this location, outpatient

B. Education and Parent Groups

1. Bay Area Council on Drugs and Alcohol (BACODA)  800-510-3111
   1300A Bay Area Blvd., Suite 239, Houston 77058  [www.bacoda.org]
   Information and education on drugs and alcohol. DWI-intervention, DWI education, Texas Drug Offender education.
   Numerous other programs for education and support groups. Programs presented to community groups, school, and business. Some services at no cost to the community and some are for a nominal fee.

2. The Behavioral Hospital of Bellaire  [www.bbhospital.com]  713-600-9500
   5314 Dashwood Dr. Houston 77081
   Free assessment, 24 hours, 7 days a week. Partial hospitalization and intensive outpatient. Outpatient care accepts Medicaid/CHIP. Adults only.

   303 Jackson Hill, Houston 77007
   Education and parent groups. Offers guidance, screening, and referrals for alcohol and substance abusers and their families. Class on high-risk behavior for youth.

C. Hospitalization

   17750 Cali Drive, Houston 77090
   16-bed adolescent unit ages 13-17. Partial intensive aftercare program for adults. Encourage family involvement in group and 12 step groups. Level system. Day treatment program. Intensive outpatient care 3 hours a day, M-F. Medicaid accepted. No fee for assessment available 24 hr/day.

2. DAPA  [www.dualdiagnosistreatmentdapa.com]  713-783-8889
   5500 Guhn Rd, Ste. 100, Houston 77040  24 hr.: 800-828-3272
   Outpatient 90 day treatment program for dual diagnosis, mental health and drug addiction. Day treatment and inpatient care available. For detoxification center information (outpatient) call 832-452-9891.

   1120 Cypress Station, Houston 77090
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2001 Ladbrook, Kingwood 77339
16 bed child, 52 bed adolescent, 32 bed adult, with inpatient and intensive care. Outpatient services available for
adolescents and adults. Accepts Medicaid, Medicare, CHIP, and private insurance.

Admissions: 6910 Bellaire, Suite 13, 77074  713-271-0067
4405 Caroline, Houston 77004  713-528-2071
530 North Belt E, Suite 112  281-847-2093
2411 Franklin, LaMarque 77568  409-935-3749
Provides services for opiate addicted patients in Texas. Methadone maintenance treatment, counseling, and drug
screens. Private pay.

6500 Hornwood, Houston 77074
20 bed adolescent unit ages 13-17. Encourages family involvement in group and 12 step groups. Level system.
Free assessment. Free aftercare. Day treatment, intensive outpatient care 24 hours a day, Monday-Friday. Call
admissions department for specific information. Medicaid accepted.

D. Residential Treatment

1. Casa Phoenix (AAMA)  www.aama.org  713-929-2450
6001 Gulf Freeway, Bldg. C-1, Houston 77023  Admissions: 713-295-2454
Also includes outpatient program for teens and adults: 204 Clifton, Houston 77011. Sliding scale, CHIP, Medicaid,
and private insurance accepted. Spanish speaking services available.

2. Cenikor  http://www.cenikor.org  281-476-0088
4525 Glenwood, Deer Park 77536  888-236-4567
2 ½ to 3 year program. Very structured (adults only). Self-help therapeutic community patterned after Synanon.
Alcohol, drug, and behavior modification treatment, GED training, vocational training, remedial education and
reintegration into the community. Long term detox. Short term 30 day facility. $450 Fee. Prevention team will
come to school to talk with students.

3. La Hacienda Treatment Center  http://www.lahacienda.com  800-749-6160
3000 Wesleyan, Suite 200, Houston 77027 (outreach center)  832-643-7535
145 LaHacienda Way, Hunt, TX 78204 (treatment center)
Hill Country resort setting near Kerrville, provides 3-6 week residential treatment for adults. Counseling, 12 step
program, ROPES, family counseling, and therapeutic recreation. Accepts most insurance. Ages 18 and older.

4. Lone Star Behavioral Health Outpatient Clinic  281-351-6644
30903 Quinn Rd, Tomball 77375  www.lonestarbehavioralhealth.com
Outpatient treatment for dual diagnosis, adult only. Individual, group. Accepts Medicare or self-pay.
Adult only inpatient/residential: 16303 Grant Rd, Cypress, TX 77429.  281-516-6200. Accepts Medicaid,
Medicare, private insurance.

5. North Texas State Hospital Forensic Program  http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/mhhospitals
PO Box 2231, Vernon 76385  Intake for ages 13-17 call MHMRA  940-552-9901
4730 College Dr, Vernon 76384
Texas Department of Health, 78 bed residential center for youth with dual diagnoses. Admission through Juvenile
Court Commitment as a condition of probation.

6. Right Step  http://www.rightstep.com  Main (24 hrs.): 877-351-7504
Chemical dependency, adult inpatient, outpatient, & partial hospitalization. Self-pay and insurance accepted.
902 W. Alabama, 77006  713-528-3709
17398 Northwest Fwy, 77040  281-465-4500
265 FM 1960 Bypass East, 77338  281-465-4500
403 Grand Parkway South, Suite G, 77494  832-954-2938
2400 Augusta Dr, Suite 372, 77057  832-924-8190
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7. Santa Maria Hostel Inc.  http://www.santamariahostel.org  713-691-0900
2605 Parker Rd, Houston 77093 – admissions/residential/outpatient/supportive living 713-691-0900
2005 Jacquelyn, Houston 77055 – residential/outpatient 713-957-2413
713 Adoue St, Alvin 77511-outpatient 281-831-7754

230 Mesa Verde Drive East, Center Point, Texas 78010
Chemical dependency treatment. Residential, adult only. Accepts CHIP, private pay and insurance. 30-45 day program.

P. O. Box 134, Hungerford, Texas 77448
Provides residential drug and alcohol rehabilitation program. Faith-based orientation. 12-18 month stay. Family oriented, accepts entire family, single parents with children, single adults, etc. Self-pay only.

10. Youth Reach Houston  www.yrhouston.org  281-459-4555
P.O. Box 9631, Houston 77213
8113 Reservoir St., Houston 77049
Licensed Christian foster group home in NE Harris County for boys 12-17. With parental consent, accepts runaways, street kids, court involved, substance abusers, and incorrigible youth. Christian school for the boys in the home. No fee.

XXV. Transportation

1. American Red Cross  http://www.houstonredcross.org  713-313-1631
2700 Southwest Freeway, Houston 77098
Transportation to and from medical appointments for those outside the Metrolift area. Non-emergency transportation for elderly, disabled and chronically ill. Based on availability. Earliest pick up at 8:00a.m., latest pick up at 4:00 p.m. $20 fee for 10 one way trips. Will come to the door only, will not enter homes. No stretchers. Must be referred by doctor or social worker. Serves all Harris County and Fort Bend County.

Medicaid transportation for the Houston/Beaumont area.

To Schedule Transportation: 713-225-6716
1900 Main St, Houston 77002
Provides transportation for physically and mentally disabled residents who cannot use Metro’s fixed route bus service. Some trips made by subsidized taxi. Curb-to-curb service is available on a daily basis to qualified patrons in the service area. Trips are made on a first call, first served basis (the day before service required). Call for application. Doctor’s certificate required, and application needs to be filled out. $1.25-$2.50 one way, $12.75 for 10 trips, $47.25-monthly, $418.50-annually.

4. R.I.D.E.S. Specialized Transportation for Harris County  713-368-7433
8410 Lantern Point, Houston 77054  http://www.harriscountryrides.com
Provides non-emergency transportation services for older adults and disabled. Criteria: 65+ years of age (proof of age required), individuals with a disability (proof of disability such as SSI award letter or doctor certification). Fare cards available for purchase or from sponsoring agency.

XXVI. Vocational Training and Employment

1. The Alliance  713-776-4700
6440 Hilcroft, #411, Houston 77081  www.thealliancetx.org
Refugee resettlement, job placement & training, health care access, interpreter program, ESL classes, savings account program, after-school program, community center, driver’s education school.
XXVI. Vocational Training and Employment-Continued

2. **Americorps**  
   [http://www.nationalservice.gov](http://www.nationalservice.gov)  
   Information Hotline: 800-942-2677  
   1201 New York Ave. NW, Washington, D.C. 20525  
   Variety of projects that will allow Americorps members to earn up to $5,775 for college or to pay back to student loan. “National Civilian Community Corps” (NCCC) is a 10 month residential national service program for ages 18-24.

3. **Bilingual Education Institute**  
   [http://www.bei.edu](http://www.bei.edu)  
   Information Hotline: 800-942-2677  
   6060 Richmond Ave, Suite 180, Houston 77057  
   ESL instruction and Spanish courses. Provides citizenship classes for refugees upon qualification. Private/semi-private lessons in a variety of languages.

4. **Career & Recovery Resources, Inc.**  
   [http://www.careerandrecovery.org](http://www.careerandrecovery.org)  
   Information Hotline: 800-942-2677  
   2525 San Jacinto, Houston 77002  
   Career counseling and testing. Education on interviewing and resume writing. Must be 16+. Career Helpline-Job Bank. Various locations. Offers computer and GED classes, has homeless veterans' program. THRIVE program helps locate resources to assist in career fulfillment. Provides state funded drug and alcohol treatment, outpatient for adults.

5. **Career and Technology Education HISD (CTE)**  
   [http://www.houstonisd.org](http://www.houstonisd.org)  
   Information Hotline: 800-942-2677  
   4400 W. 18th St, 2E, Houston 77092  
   HISD Career and Technical Education Dept. Services available at all HISD high schools. Provides students with the academic and technical skills needed to compete in global workforce. M-F, 8-5.

6. **Chinese Community Center**  
   [http://www.ccchouston.org](http://www.ccchouston.org)  
   Information Hotline: 800-942-2677  
   9800 Town Park, Houston 77036  
   Job training, literacy classes, Chinese Language School. Also has a youth camp program, senior care, child-care center, after school program, and community service referral program. Services available in English, Spanish, Mandarin, Cantonese, and Vietnamese.

7. **Covenant House**  
   [http://www.covenanthouse.org](http://www.covenanthouse.org)  
   Information Hotline: 800-942-2677  
   1111 Lovett, Houston 77006  
   Rights of Passage (ROP); Rights of Passage-Apartment Living (ROPAL). For ages 18-24. See also Residential Care.

8. **Family Houston**  
   [http://www.familyhouston.org](http://www.familyhouston.org)  
   Information Hotline: 800-942-2677  
   Bay Area 1300 Bay Area Blvd., Suite 230 A, Houston 77058  
   Fort Bend 12300 Parc Crest Dr., Stafford 77477  
   Waller 531 FM 359 South, Brookshire 77423  
   One-on-one support to help individuals develop career goals, connect with employers, and advance in their careers through resume' preparation, soft skills education, and job search. No fee.

9. **Goodwill Industries Corporate Job Connection**  
   [http://www.goodwillhouston.org](http://www.goodwillhouston.org)  
   Information Hotline: 800-942-2677  
   215 W. 20th, Houston 77008  
   Provides employment and training services for people with barriers to employment. Programs for people with disabilities, veterans, older workers, youth, people with HIV/AIDS, ex-offenders, and the unemployed/underemployed. Phones available for job search, resume' preparation, and interview skills.  
   **Office Locations:**  
   River Oaks, 2520 Brun St, 77019  
   Central, 3121 San Jacinto, 77004  
   Meyerland, 9606 Hillcroft 77096  
   Heights, 215 W. 20th St. 77008  
   Serves adults and specializes in ex-offenders  
   713-590-3123  
   Serves veterans  
   832-459-9070  
   Serves youth (job readiness)  
   832-431-4778  
   Serves people with disabilities  
   713-699-6305

10. **Gulf Coast Trade Center**  
    [http://www.gctcw.org](http://www.gctcw.org)  
    Information Hotline: 800-942-2677  
    143 Forest Service Road, #233, New Waverly, Texas 77358  
XXVI. Vocational Training and Employment-Continued

11. Houston Center For Literacy  www.houliteracy.org  713-588-1200
   2700 Southwest Fwy, 2nd floor, Houston 77098
   Distribute funds and resources to literacy agencies throughout the Houston area.
   Demonstration Learning Centers:
   Gethsemonie St. Luke Methodist Church 6856 Bellaire Blvd, 77074   832-917-2010
   San Jose Learning Center 2615 Fannin, Houston 77002   713-803-1889
   Magnolia Learning Center 7037 Capitol St, Ste. A, 77011   713-777-7323

12. Humble Area Assistance Ministries  http://www.haamministries.org  281-446-3663
   1302 First St. East, Humble 77338   Social Services and Job Bank
   hours: Mon-Thurs, 9:45am-3:00pm
   Clients enrolled in job bank have access to social services, food pantry, resale shop, and limited financial
   assistance. Jobs range from unskilled to professional. Clients are provided with job search skills information.
   Assist with limited funds for GED testing, GED books, further schooling.

   Co-ed residential vocational training in over 100 trades & occupations for 16-24. Birth certificate, social security
   card, picture ID, high school transcript, government assistance award letters, and shot record needed. Parents must
   be within low income level unless applicant lives independently. Students are given spending money and put on
   savings plan.

14. Jordan High School for Careers (Magnet Program)  713-636-6900
   5800 Eastex Freeway, Houston 77026   http://houstonisd.org/
   Student must have completed 8th grade or be on a minimum reading level of 10th grade. Must have unofficial
   transcript and shot record available. Varied vocational training programs available. 7:15am-4:00pm.

15. SEARCH  http://www.searchhomeless.org  713-739-7752
   2015 Congress, Houston 77006
   Job training for homeless. Referral from a shelter or drug treatment program. Clients learn computer skills, attain
   basic skills, or obtain a GED. All clients receive sack lunch daily. Part-time jobs encouraged and assistance given.
   Free child care at “House of Tiny Treasures”. Medical and dental. Mobile outreach van. Full time employment
   placement. Assistance with applications for Gold Card and SNAP.

   1710 Telephone, Houston 77023
   Scholarship opportunities for various careers.

17. Texas Workforce Solutions-Vocational Rehabilitation Services (formerly DARS)  713-267-8510
   6220 West Park Suite 110, Houston 77057   www.twc.state.tx.us
   In order to be eligible for services, client must have a physical and/or mental condition that affects their ability to
   work, needs Vocational Rehabilitation services to prepare for, enter, engage in, or advance in competitive
   integrated employment, and be able to get and keep a job in a competitive integrated work setting after receiving
   services. Services also offered while the client is still in school and after graduation.
   Office Locations:
   Baytown  1300 Hwy 146   281-420-3690
   Hobby  8866 Gulf Fwy #225   713-866-7750
   Pasadena  4111 Fairmont Pkwy, #104A   281-454-2300
   West  427 W. 20th, Suite 407   713-802-3100
   Humble  10203 Birchridge #F   713-802-3185
   Tomball  444 Holderrieth #3   281-290-3060
   Northeast  11811 E. Fwy, Suite250   713-866-7735
   North  450 N. Sam Houston, #220   713-267-8550
   Central  3311 Richmond #175   713-866-7765
   SW  3721 Briarpark Dr. #150   713-866-7700
   East-End  5425 Polk #410   713-928-7700
   South  2636 South Loop W. #525   713-349-1360
   Clear Lake  18333 Egret Bay #590   281-333-7980
   Katy  810 S. Mason Rd #315   281-644-3920
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18. **Workforce Solutions**  [http://www.wrksolutions.com](http://www.wrksolutions.com)
   Houston-Galveston Area Council  P.O. Box 22777 Houston, 77227
   3355 Timmons Ln, Houston 77027
   Education, training and employment services. Leadership development training, adult mentoring.
   **Employer Services**
   3355 W. Alabama, Suite 350, Houston 77098  **713-688-6890**
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19. **Twin Oaks Community Center**  [www.pasadenatexas.com](http://www.pasadenatexas.com)
   3222 Pasadena Blvd, Pasadena 77503
   Provides referral, education, ESL, yoga, cake decorating classes. Free seminars for the community. Summer lunch program for children up to 18. Spanish literacy classes leading to elementary & junior high certificates from Mexican Consulate.

XVII. Miscellaneous Numbers

1. **Adult Protective Services**
   Houston office: 713-394-4000
   To report abuse of elderly or disabled call 1-800-252-5400

2. **American Red Cross**  [www.redcross.org](http://www.redcross.org)
   2700 SW Frwy. Houston 77098
   N. Bay Area Branch 5301 Decker, Baytown 77520  281-424-1300
   Fort Bend 2610 BF Terry Blvd, Rosenberg 77471  281-342-9480

3. **City of Houston-City Services**
   311

4. **Disaster Distress Helpline**
   800-985-5990

5. **FEMA Disaster Assistance**
   800-621-3362

6. **Mayor’s Citizens Assistance Office (Houston)**
   832-393-0955

7. **National Flood Insurance Program**
   888-379-9531

8. **Office of Emergency Management**
   Brazoria County  979-864-1201
   Ft. Bend County  281-342-6185
   Galveston County 281-309-5002
   Houston 713-884-4500
   Montgomery County 936-523-3900

   713-881-3100

10. **Texas Consumer Protection**
    800-621-0508

11. **Towed Cars-finding towed cars due to flooding**
    713-308-8580
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