

FREE MEALS

7 DAYS A WEEK

**The Beacon** Breakfast snacks: 8am–9am;  
Lunch: 12pm (1pm Fridays) (enter at back)  
608-826-8040 • 615 E Washington, Madison

MONDAY

**Luke House** 11:30a–12:30p & 5:45–6:30p  
608-256-6325 • 310 S Ingersoll St, Madison  
**Catholic Multicultural Center** 4pm–5pm  
608-661-3512 • 1862 Beld St, Madison  
**Sunshine Place** 5pm–6pm  
608-825-3875 • 1632 W Main St, Sun Prairie

TUESDAY

**The River Food Pantry** 10a–2p Fam. Meal  
Once per week, registration required  
608-442-8815 • 2201 Darwin Rd., Madison  
**Luke House** 11:30a–12:30p & 5:45–6:30p  
608-256 6325 • 310 S Ingersoll St, Madison  
**Catholic Multicultural Center** 4–5p  
608-661-3512 • 1862 Beld St, Madison

Wednesday

**First United Methodist Church** 9am–9:40am  
Breakfast and sack-lunches provided  
608-256-9061 • 203 Wisconsin Ave, Madison  
**Luke House** 11:30a–12:30p & 5:45–6:30p  
608-256-6325 • 310 S Ingersoll St, Madison  
**Catholic Multicultural Center** 4–5p  
608-661-3512 • 1862 Beld St, Madison  
**The River Food Pantry** 12–6p Fam. Meal  
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Thursday

**Luke House** 11:30a–12:30p & 5:45–6:30p  
608-256-6325 • 310 S Ingersoll St, Madison  
**Catholic Multicultural Center** 4–5p  
608-661-3512 • 1862 Beld St, Madison  
**The River Food Pantry** 10a–3p Fam. Meal  
(Once per week, registration required)  
608-442-8815 • 2201 Darwin Rd., Madison

Friday

**St. Mark’s Lutheran Church** 12–1p  
608-256-8463 • 605 Spruce St., Madison  
**Port St. Vincent DePaul** 12–12:45p  
608-257-2036 • 221 S. Baldwin St., Madison  
**Catholic Multicultural Center** 4–5p  
608-661-3512 • 1862 Beld St, Madison  
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Saturday

**Wil-Mar Neighborhood Center**  
11:30am–12:30pm  
608-257-4576 • 953 Jennifer St, Madison

Sunday

**Luke House** 5:45–6:30p  
608-256-6325 • 310 S. Ingersoll St., Madison

MORE SERVICES

FREE PERSONAL ESSENTIALS

**Personal Essentials Pantry Atwood**  
Thursdays 11:30am - 2:30pm  
Sundays Noon - 2pm  
2401 Atwood Ave., Madison  
**Catholic Multicultural Center**  
Tues 1:30pm-3:30pm  
1862 Beld St., Madison  
608-661-3512  
**Good Neighbors Essentials Pantry**  
Fri. 10am - 12pm  
Third Thurs. 5:30pm - 7:30pm  
2509 McDivitt Rd., Madison  
608-320-0977

CELLPHONE PLAN

**SafeLink Wireless**  
1-800-723-3546  
or [www.safelinkwireless.com](http://www.safelinkwireless.com)

FREE CARE/BOARDING FOR PETS

**WisCARES** 608-262-3950  
[www.wiscares.wisc.edu](http://www.wiscares.wisc.edu)  
*Housing advocacy, animal boarding,  
veterinary medical services, pet food/supplies.*

24/7 HELPLINE

**United Way Helpline**  
**Dial 2-1-1**

24/7 resource line with  
connection to food,  
housing, employment,  
health care, and more



Scan the QR code for more information

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HOMELESS  
RESOURCES

**Briarpatch**

24-Hour Help Line for Youth  
**608-251-1126**

**Dane County Job Center**  
**888-794-5556**

**Domestic Abuse Intervention Services (DAIS)**  
Call: 800-747-4045 or 608-251-4445  
Text: 608-420-4638

**Friends of the State Street Family**  
Connection to gear, food, and other resources  
**608-535-9394**

**Dane County SOS**  
Street outreach services for people experiencing  
unsheltered houselessness  
Call: 888-817-4155 Email [coordinator@danesos.org](mailto:coordinator@danesos.org)

**Journey Mental Health Center**  
24 hour Suicide Crisis Line: **608-280-2600**  
General Assistance: **608-280-2700**

**Behavioral Health Resource Center**  
608-267-2244

**Rape Crisis 24-Hour Hotline**  
**608-251-7273** (English) or **608-258-2567** (Spanish)

**Second Harvest FoodShare Outreach**  
Confidential 1-on-1 help applying for FoodShare.  
**877-366-3635**

**Tenant Resource Center**  
**608-257-0006** or **1-877-238-7368**

*Information subject to change.*

For most recent, check:  
[www.danecountyhumanservices.org](http://www.danecountyhumanservices.org)  
Send updates to:  
[HumanServices@danecounty.gov](mailto:HumanServices@danecounty.gov)

## WEEKDAY SERVICES

### RESOURCE & REFUGE

#### The Beacon

Open daily: 8am–5pm;

Enter at back, through courtyard on E. Main St.

608-826-8040 • 615 E Washington, Madison

*Services offered for free for those who are experiencing homelessness:*

- Housing assessment and connection to supportive services.
- Laundry, showers, light snacks, lunches, mail, telephones, and computers.
- Smaller, separate area for families.

#### Safe Haven

Open daily: 8:30am–6pm

\*\*\*Closed some holidays\*\*\*

608-241-9447x10 • 4006 Nakoosa Tr, Madison

*Services for adults experiencing homelessness with a mental health diagnosis:*

crisis stabilization, referrals to community resources, hot meals, mail, laundry, showers, bus tickets.

#### Bethel Lutheran Church

Open Tue & Thu: 9am–12pm

608-257-3577 • 312 Wisconsin Ave, Madison

\*\*\*Closed some holidays\*\*\*

*Support services:*

book group, computer lab, telephone access, clothing, bathrooms, mentoring program, spiritual support.

#### Off the Square Club

Monday–Friday: 9am–4pm

608-416-0171 • 116 W Washington Ave., Madison

*Daytime resource center for those 18 or older who have a primary diagnosis of mental illness:* meal, computer, laundry, referrals to resources.

## EMERGENCY OVERNIGHT

### MEN

**Porchlight** Open daily: 5pm–8am

Intake: 5pm-8:30pm

608-416-1446 • 2002 Zeier Rd, Madison

### WOMEN

#### Salvation Army

Open daily: 5pm–7:30am

Intake: 5pm–8:30pm

608.250.2226 • 630 E Washington, Madison

### FAMILIES

#### Salvation Army

608-250-2298 • 4502 Milwaukee St, Madison

*After Hours Calls (4pm - 8am): 608-513-2392*

### YOUTH, AGES 12–17

#### Briarpatch Youth Services

Office Hours: Mon-Fri, 9am–8pm

Call 608-251-1126 • 2720 Rimrock Rd., Madison

Text: 608-285-2776 • *Admissions accepted*

*24/7 In person intake must be completed*

*before shelter can be offered.*

### FLEEING DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

#### Domestic Abuse Intervention Services (DAIS)

2102 Fordem Ave., Madison

Call 1-800-747-4045 or 608-251-4445,

Text 608-420-4638

Intimate Partner Violence, line answered 24/7

### HOUSING NAVIGATION

*Housing resources & housing search assistance*

#### Urban Triage

Wed: 8:30am-1:45pm (walk-in)

Thu/Fri: 9am-4:30pm (by appt.)

608-299-4128 • 2312 S Park St., Madison

**The Beacon** (offered by Urban Triage)

First week of the month:

**Mondays & Tuesdays:** 8:30am-4:30pm

All other weeks:

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### HELP FOR SCHOOL CHILDREN

#### Madison Metropolitan School District

#### Transition Education Program (TEP)

608-204-2063 (Madison Only)

Mon–Fri: 8am–4pm (Call for appointment)

545 W. Dayton St, Room 124F, Madison

#### Homeless Education Network (Outside of Madison)

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### FREE CLOTHES

#### St. Vincent de Paul

Mon/Tue/Fri: 10:30am–2:30pm, Thu: 2:30-6pm

608-278-2920 (Leave a voicemail)

2033 Fish Hatchery Rd, Madison

*\$50 voucher available for each adult and*

*\$30 voucher for each child every six months ID*

*required to get voucher.*

#### Middleton Outreach Ministry

Free clothing to Dane County residents

Tue: 10am–2pm; Wed: 4–7pm; Thu: 10am–2pm

Fri: 9am–12pm

608-836-7338 • 3502 Parmenter St, Middleton

### FREE MEDICAL CARE

#### Meriter Health Outreach Program

608-516-1322

*Help to overcome barriers to healthcare - transportation, lack of insurance, and more.*

#### St. Vincent de Paul Pharmacy

Mon: 11am–2pm, Tue: 1pm–4pm, Thu: 10am–6pm

2033 Fish Hatchery Rd., Madison

*New patients call - 608-257-0919*

#### More Smiles

*Low cost dental care.*

1320 Mendota St, Suite 107

Call to schedule: 608-665-2752

#### Madison Street Medicine

Mon: 5:30pm-8:00pm (Porchlight)

Tues: 9am-11am (Beacon)

608-676-7826

### FREE STORAGE

#### St. Vincent de Paul: Vinny's Lockers

Wed: 2pm-4pm

1312 Culmen St, Madison 608-205-8276

(Leave a voicemail)

### SERVICES FOR VETERANS

#### VA Healthcare for Homeless Veterans:

Danielle Kuhn, LCSW: 608-280-2095

Walk in: Tue & Fri: 8am–10am

345 W. Washington Ave, #501, Madison

### HOMELESS SERVICES CONSORTIUM

Visit **www.danecountyhomeless.org**, or call

**608-266-6254** for a full listing of service

providers, shelter weather exception night information, and more.

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