

About the Arkansas Hunger Relief Alliance

Pulaski County

The Arkansas Hunger Relief Alliance is a non-profit umbrella organization representing a network of Feeding America food banks and hunger relief organizations around the state. We work with local and national non-profit organizations as well as state and federal agencies in implementing programs designed to increase access to food and teach low income Arkansans the skills they need to make healthy food choice. We are also active in helping shape policy decisions impacting hunger in our state and in raising awareness of the educational, economic and social consequences of hunger.

Fighting hunger is a multi-dimensional challenge. The Alliance seeks to make nutritious food available to low-income children and families where they live, where they work, where they play and where they learn. Our programs include: Food Sourcing, Arkansas Gleaning Project, Arkansas Beef Project, SNAP Outreach, Senior Hunger Outreach, Arkansas No Kid Hungry campaign (school breakfast program, afterschool meals program, summer meals program, Cooking Matters, Cooking Matters at the store) and advocacy.

Visit our website arhungeralliance.org

Neighborhood Guide to Housing Assistance



Including information on: public housing programs, privately owned low income apartment complexes, shelters, felon friendly employers, and more...

About

This guide was produced by the Arkansas Hunger Relief Alliance to connect those in need with housing resources.

We hope it proves useful to you!

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Public Housing Programs

For each of these public housing programs, clients will need ID, social security card, and birth certificate. Programs will not accept individuals with recent felonies or misdemeanors. Only felonies that are more than 7 years old or misdemeanors more than 3 years old will be allowed.

Rent Payment

The formula used in determining rental payment is the highest of the following:

- 30% of monthly adjusted income (after allowed deductions)
- 10% of monthly income (\$25 minimum rent), or
- Flat Rent (varies by property)

The program works to ensure that low-income people own a stake in their communities and that the conditions in which low-income people live are improved.

Family development

Family Development restores a sense of self-reliance and community to people who have lost faith in their ability to provide for themselves and their families. The program helps people live “the good life” with health and dignity.

IDA/Money Management

CADC's Individual Development Account (IDA) and Money Management programs are designed to help you become more financially self-sufficient. Financial literacy trainings are on CDs to allow you to learn at your own place, on your own time.

LIHEAP/Crisis intervention

Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)

Emergency Food and Shelter Program (EFSP)

USDA Commodities

Temporary Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP) Commodities

Childcare Food Program

Please visit arkansasfoodbank.org or call 501-565-8121 to find the food pantries in your area.

Weatherization

Call Beverly Palmer to learn more about the Weatherization program 501-315-1121.

Community Action Arkansas

Central Arkansas Development Council, Inc (CADC)

www.cadc.com

Little Rock:

5401 South University
Little Rock, AR 72204
501-603-0909
501-603-0947 (fax)

North Little Rock:

321 West Pershing Blvd.
North Little Rock, AR 72114
501-771-0745
501-376-4595 (fax)

CADC is a publicly and privately funded, non-profit community action agency that helps to alleviate poverty in Southwestern Arkansas. They were created when President Johnson initiated the War on Poverty in 1964.

Arkansas community action agencies offer a variety of programs and services that help low- and moderate-income people become more self-sufficient and improve communities. Each agency offers its own menu of programs and services that are offered in your area.

Both Little Rock and North Little Rock CADC provide the following programs:

Community participation

CADC provides strategic planning, community mapping, project development, resource development, leadership training, board development, and other services for community and faith based organizations. CADC's Community Development Specialists work to link programs and resources to organizations working to improve local conditions.

Little Rock

High Rise Sites

Parris Towers

501-340-4752
250 units (0, 1, 2 bedrooms)
Must be 50 or older

Cumberland Towers

501-340-4724
178 units (0, 1, 2 bedrooms)
Must be 50 or older

Powell Towers

501-340-4762
168 units (0, 1, 2 bedrooms)

Elm Street Community

501-663-6732
1600 Elm St., Little Rock, AR
Must be currently homeless,
must bring verification letter

Section 8

501-340-4821
100 Arch St., Little Rock, AR

Sunset Terrace - For Families

501-340-4730
74 units (1-5 bedrooms)

North Little Rock

Leasing - Public Housing

501-758-1512
1700 Vine, North Little Rock,
AR

Hours: Monday-Friday, 8am -
4:30pm

Application accepted:
Monday-Thursday

Must be disabled to rent here:

Albert Pike

501-372-5211
701 Scott St., Little Rock, AR
Based on income. Will do a
background check. This
depends on type and age of
offense

Our Way Apts:

501-225-5030
10434 West 36th St.,
Little Rock, AR
Must be 62 or older, or have
a disability, **no felonies.**

Supportive Housing Programs: see a DRC caseworker for information on these programs if you are disabled and drawing a disability check.

Privately Owned Low Income Apartment Complexes

The list below has places that are under \$500/month rent, are on the bus line, and have some utilities paid.

Fowler Square

501-372-1803
503 East 6th
Little Rock, AR 72202
Rent: From \$455/month
Utilities: Electric

Madison Heights

501-663-8188
1401 Madison St.
Little Rock, AR 72204
Rent: From \$535
Utilities: included

Shorter College Gardens Inc.

501-375-6437
800 M Beech St.
North Little Rock, AR 72114

Warren House

501-227-7316
2000 Reservoir Rd.
Little Rock, AR 72227
Rent: From \$410
Utilities: Included

Summer Tree

501-758-5772
550 Summertree Dr.
North Little Rock, AR 72116
Rent: \$415-615/month,
1 & 3 bedrooms
Deposit: \$200+ \$15 application
fee per adult
Utilities: Electricity
Vouchers: In-House & Housing
and income-based apart-
ments available (waiting list of
12-18 months)

Wilbur Coleman

501-612-3252

Arrows Edge

501-438-4082
300 Indianhead Cove
Sherwood, AR 72120
Rent: \$399-\$499 monthly

Lakewood Hills

501-758-2482
2400 McCain Blvd.
North Little Rock, AR 72116
Rent: \$405-\$805 monthly

Toys "R" Us
United Airlines
Verizon
Grainger
Walgreens
Wal-Mart
Xeox

Give these businesses a call or go to their websites to see if there are any job openings.

Access to computers can be found at public libraries, Jericho Way Day Center, Our House, and other places listed in this resource guide.

Our House has a career center opened to the public where you can get assistance with building your resume, job search, and possibly even obtaining professional clothes. Please call Our House before visiting their facilities. They will require a background check.

Felon-Friendly Employers

Aamco
 Ace Hardware
 Allied Van Lines
 Allstate Insurance Company
 American Airlines
 American Greetings
 Apple Inc.
 AT&T
 Avis Rent-A-Car
 Avon Products
 Baskin-Robbins
 Best Western
 Black & Decker
 Blue Cross & Blue Shield association
 Boeing
 Bridgestone
 Budget Rent-A-Car
 Calvin Klein Inc.
 Canon
 Carrier Corporation
 Casio
 Caterpillar Inc.
 CDW
 Cintas
 Coldwell Banker
 Compaq
 ConAgra Foods
 Dairy Queen
 Deer Park Spring Water co.
 Dell
 Delta Air Lines
 Denny's

Dole food Company
 Dollar Rent-A-Car
 Domino's Pizza
 Dunkin' Donuts
 DuPont
 Duracell
 Eddie Baues
 Epson
 Exxon Mobile
 Frito-Lay
 Fruit of the Loom
 General Mills
 Georgia-Pacific
 Hanes
 Hilton Hotel
 IBM
 K-Mart
 Kraft Foods
 McDonald's
 Motorola
 Molex
 The New York Times
 Pactiv
 PepsiCo
 Philip Morris Inc.
 Rubbermaid
 Sara Lee
 Sears & Roebuck Co
 Dr. Pepper
 Shell Oil
 Sony
 Spring Corporation
 Target

Ridgeview

501-708-2512
 4700 Augusta Circle
 North Little Rock, AR 72118
Rent: From \$305-\$500 monthly

West Scenic

501-588-7040
 605 West Scenic Drive
 North Little Rock, AR 72118
Rent: \$394-\$550 monthly

Plaza Towers

501-663-8329
 6115 W. Markham
 Little Rock, AR 72205
Rent: From \$575-\$775 monthly
Utilities: Included

Mahlon Martin

501-235-8597
 1932 Main St.
 Little Rock, AR 72206
Rent: From \$468 monthly

Colonial Parc at Baseline

501-708-2498
 5813 Baseline Rd.
 Little Rock, AR 72209
Rent: From \$420 monthly

Coleman Place

501-588-4449
 3200 Coleman Court
 Little Rock, AR 72204
Rent: From \$395 monthly
Utilities: Included

New Horizons

501-588-7036
 4907 Augusta Cir.
 North Little Rock, AR 72118
Rent: From \$360

Quail Valley

501-708-2538
 5300 Baseline Rd
 Little Rock, AR 72209
Rent: From \$460

South Oaks

501-588-0936
 3401 Fair Park
 Little Rock, AR 72204
Rent: From \$475-\$630

Westland Heights

501-708-2505
 11300 Mesa Dr.
 Little Rock, AR 72211
Rent: From \$455

Country Club

501-436-4181
 7700 North Hills Blvd.
 North Little Rock, AR 72117
Rent: From \$455

Pine Gardens

501-708-2537
 6414 Baseline Rd
 Little Rock, AR 72209
Rent: From \$400

Arrington Apartments

501-708-2510
6301 Camp Robinson Rd.
North Little Rock, AR 72118

Rent: From \$500

Avondale

501-708-2501
1812 Reservoir Rd.
Little Rock, AR 72207

Rent: From \$495

Crestwood Manor

501-708-2497
3802 Kavanaugh
Little Rock, AR 72207

Rent: From \$490

Valley Heights

507-708-2506
6900 Cantrell
Little Rock, AR 72207

Rent: \$480-\$725

River City Ministry Programs

River City Ministry is a faith-based, nonprofit focused on "Opening Doors to God by Serving the Poor." River City Ministry has many programs that can help you find food, clothing, shelter, care, and love.

River City Ministry:

1021 Washington
North Little Rock, AR 72115
501-376-6694

Central Arkansas Transit

501-375-1163

River Cities Travel Center
310 E. Capitol Ave.
Little Rock, AR

Adult One Way	\$1.35
Transfer	\$.05
Day Pass	\$3.75
10-Ride Pass	\$11.50
31-Day Pass	\$36.00

Discounts are available for those with disabilities or older than 65. Go to the Travel Center to apply for a special discount card. You must have proof of disability or age.

VA Drop In Center

501-257-4499

1000 S Main St.
Little Rock, AR

The Day Treatment Center is open to veterans from 7:30am-2:30pm and staff shift run to 7pm to make sure all veterans have a place to sleep at night. The center runs shuttles to the North Little Rock and Little Rock VA hospitals every 30 minutes for veterans with acute needs; the city provides shuttles to and from its Homeless Day Resource Center on Springer Blvd. (formerly Confederate Blvd.) and various shelters. A psychiatrist sees vets on Tuesdays; there is an advanced practice nurse at the center on weekdays.

C.A.F.S.I. Program

501-374-7383

302 E. Roosevelt Rd.
Little Rock, AR

The C.A.F.S.I. Program provides resources for families with children. You will need to call and make an appointment. Participation in this program will give you access to resources and services that will be very helpful to your family.

Local Resources

Jericho Way

501-916-9859

3000 Springer Blvd. (formerly Confederate Blvd.)
Little Rock, AR 72206

Monday - Friday, 7:30am - 3:00pm

Day Resource Center, services provided:

- ⇒ Places to receive and send mail
- ⇒ Access to computers, internet, and phone
- ⇒ Laundry and shower services
- ⇒ Breakfast and Lunch
- ⇒ Transportation to and from the center

HEART Program

This is an outreach service that will **help you get an ID**; offered every **Tuesday at Jericho Way**. You will need to be there at **9:00am**. You will need a shelter letter as proof of homelessness.

Laundry Love

This is a special project led by a local church group. They will pay for up to 3 loads of laundry and provide all needed supplies. This event happens once a month at the following locations:

Funwash:
3702 S. University Ave.
Little Rock, AR
3rd Friday of each month
6:00pm - 8:00pm

Funwash:
116 East 15th St.
North Little Rock, AR
4th Friday of each month
6:00pm - 8:00pm

Food Services

Pantry: Tuesday and Thursday
9:30am-10:30am

Hot Lunch: Monday - Friday
12:00pm

Sunday Meal: 2:00pm

Social Services

This includes, case management, HUD housing programs, drug and alcohol rehab, counseling, and networking re-sources.

Monday - Friday
8:30am-3:00pm

North Little Rock Water Program

Central Arkansas Water sponsored program to assist with water bills for North Little Rock area residents. Please call for details.

Dental Services

Full dental services are provided for Pulaski County Residents, by appointment. Call at 10am on Thursday for an appointment.

Vision Services

They offer an eye clinic with full exam and prescription eye ware if available. Recipients must call for an exam appointment and eyeglasses

Medical Services

This is an adult medical clinic for general medical services by appointment. You must call Monday or Wednesday for an appointment. Phone lines open at 8:30am.

Eligibility: Adults without insurance, Medicare, or VA benefits & income below 200% poverty.

Pharmacy Services

Recipients must be a River City Ministry Patient. They do not fill outside scripts.

Mental Health Services

Please call for details
501-376-6694

Clothing

Emergency clothing provided onsite as available. 1st and 3rd Wednesday from 8:30-11am

Day Resources for Homeless

Case management, resource counseling, showers, toiletries (as available), and fax services (501-376-6695).
Monday - Friday 8:30am-3:00pm.

Women's Shelters

Compassion Center

501-663-2972

4210 Asher

Little Rock, AR 72204

Emergency Shelter, Family Rooms, Substance Abuse Treatment Program

Eligibility: Must have ID and be drug free; will accept person for 7 days with no ID. Must have birth certificate and social security cards for children in custody.

Fees: First visit: 1- nights free, then \$5 per night.

Subsequent visit: 7 nights free, then \$5 per night.

Details: Check in times are from 3:00-7:00pm. On Wednesdays, check-in stops at 5:30pm due to worship services. Church attendance is required for all who stay.

Transportation provided to and from Day Resource Center (Jericho Way)

Salvation Army

501-374-9296

1111 W. Markham

Little Rock, AR 72203

Emergency Shelter, Family Rooms

Eligibility: Must have ID and be drug and alcohol free. Non-smoking facility

Details: Emergency shelter for women and children provided for up to 7 nights. Birth certificates or health insurance card is required for children. Call for check in times. In order to stay past 7 days, you must have an active case plan. Applying for housing is mandatory if you receive social security benefits. Any program or policy violations may results in you being asked to leave. There will be a six month waiting period before you are permitted to re-enter. Sex offenders are not allowed in the facility.

Fees: Call for details

Salvation Army

501-374-9296

1111 W. Markham

Little Rock, AR 72203

Emergency shelter, family rooms, single fathers with children

Eligibility: Must have ID and be drug and alcohol free. Non-smoking facility.

Details: Birth certificate or health insurance card is required for children. Call for check-in times. In order to stay past 7 days, you must have an active case plan. See social services for program details. Applying for housing is mandatory if you receive social security benefits. Any program or policy violations may result in you being asked to leave. There will be a six-month waiting period before you are permitted to re-enter.

Sex offenders are not allowed in the facility.

Fees: Call for details.

Family Promise

501-372-0733

222 8th St.

Little Rock, AR

Single fathers with children

Eligibility: Homeless families with children under age 18. Adults must be drug-free and have no outstanding felonies.

Fees: Once a job is obtained, you must save a portion of your income.

Details: Adults are required to seek work. Residents stay for an average of 60 days.

Men's Shelters (cont.)

Our House

501-375-2416

302 E. Roosevelt

Little Rock, AR 72204

Long term working shelter/transitional housing for individuals and families

Eligibility: Must be 18 or over; must be employed a minimum of 32 hours/week within 16 days of admission. Those with disability checks must have special permission from SSA to apply for program. No sex offenders and no one with crimes against children will be accepted.

Fees: \$21 weekly maintenance fee once job is obtained - must pay set percentage of income into savings program for self

Details: Call Monday - Friday from 8:00-4:00 for information about openings.

Resources: The resources offered by Our House are opened to those not residing at Our House and those who are not homeless. Please call ahead of time.

Career Center: Monday - Thursday: 8:00-4:30, 6:00-8:00;
Friday: 8:00-4:30

Safe Harbor

501-374-5399

4800 Hwy 365 South

Little Rock, AR 72206

Eligibility: Focus on employment and stability post-incarceration. Call to inquire about admission.

Fees: One-time \$150 fee that can be paid in installments after finding work. Once working, rent is \$140/week plus gas for transportation, which is provided to and from place of employment. Rent includes 3 meals per day.

Details: This is a program, not a shelter. There are no passes for the first 30 days. You will be expected to attend classes and participate in program requirements. Call for more details

Dorcas House (Union Rescue Mission)

501-374-4022

823 South Park

Little Rock, AR 72202

Domestic Violence Shelter, Substance Abuse Treatment Program

Eligibility: Must call to complete a phone interview. Interviews are accepted 24/7.

Fee: No fee for battered women's shelter program. Recovery program requires a \$75 deposit.

Details: Both programs are nine months in length

Women and Children First

501-376-3219

Call for address

Domestic Violence Shelter

Eligibility: Must be a victim of domestic violence. Call the crisis line for an interview.

Fee: None

Details: This is a 45-day emergency safe shelter. Extensions are made on a case by case basis.

Other Programs: outreach clients, advocacy program, court advocacy, community housing, children's program, adult education, and community outreach

ABBA House

501-663-3596

1002 South Oak

Little Rock, AR 72205

Emergency Shelter

Eligibility: Women and Children only, no male children over the age of 5.

Fees: Free of charge

Details: Night shelter only. May stay up to 3 weeks. Pregnant women may stay up to one month after birth of child.

Women's Shelters (cont.)

Family Promise

501-372-0733
222 8th St.
Little Rock, AR 72202

Working shelter

Eligibility: Homeless families with children under age 18. Adults must be drug-free and have no outstanding felonies.

Fees: Once a job is obtained, you must save a portion of your income.

Details: Adults are required to seek work. Residents stay for an average of 60 days.

Our House

501-375-2416
302 E. Roosevelt
Little Rock, AR 72204

Long term working shelter/transitional housing for individuals and families

Eligibility: Must be 18 or over; must be employed a minimum of 32 hours/week within 16 days of admission. Those with disability checks must have special permission from SSA to apply for program. No sex offenders and no one with crimes against children will be accepted.

Fees: \$21 weekly maintenance fee once a job is obtained - must pay set percentage of income into savings program for self.

Details: Call daily for openings. Clients accepted on a first come first serve basis. Women may call 24/7. Men may call Monday - Friday from 8:00am-4:00pm

Resources: The resources offered by Our House are opened to those not residing at Our House and those who are not homeless. Please call ahead of time.

Career Center: Monday - Thursday: 8:00am-4:30pm, 6:00-8:00pm; Friday: 8:00am-4:30pm.

Men's Shelters

Compassion Center

501-296-9114
3618 W. Roosevelt
Little Rock, AR 72204

Emergency shelter, substance abuse treatment program, work program

Eligibility: Must have ID and be drug free; will accept person for 7 days with no ID

Fee: Initial visit: 10 nights free, then \$5 per night.

Subsequent months: 7 nights free, then \$5 per night.

Details: Must speak to shelter staff about getting into substance abuse or work program. Transportation provided to and from Day Resource Center (Jericho Way).

Union Rescue Mission

501-374-1108
2921 Springer Blvd.
Little Rock, AR 72204

Emergency Shelter, Substance Abuse Treatment Program

Eligibility: Must have ID and be drug free.

Fees: Four nights free per month—\$6 a night or \$24 a week. Substance Abuse Programs requires \$75 deposit.

Inclement Weather (raining or below 37 degrees) emergency shelter provided at no cost.

Details: Check -in is from 2:00-7:00pm. For recovery program, you will need to call and make an appointment with the director.

Mission Global Ministry

501-945-2645
3719 East Broadway St.
North Little Rock, AR 72114
Call to inquire about acceptance