Note: Some services may have changed due to COVID-19, please call to confirm hours and services available

EMERGENCY SHELTERS

Homeward Bound of Marin – Family Center
“Provides shelter for 9 families at a shared home in San Rafael, we maintain a waiting list of families needing help. Services include counseling, support for employment and housing search, food assistance, tutoring and help with credit repair or other financial goals.”
Location: 430 Mission Avenue
San Rafael, CA 94901
Contact for Services: (415) 457-2115
Contact for Waiting List: (415) 456-7805 ext.14
Website: https://hbofm.org/about-homeward-bound-of-marin/homeless-families/
Last Verified On: 06/04/2020

Homeward Bound of Marin – Mill Street Center
“Year-round emergency shelter for single adults only. People who need help can call Mill Street Center at either 10:30 a.m. or 6:10 p.m. to check if space is available. People also may access Mill Street Center by getting a referral from a community agency.”
Location: 190 Mill Street
San Rafael, CA 94901
Access Phone Number: (800) 428-1488
Contact: (415) 457-9651
Website: https://hbofm.org/about-homeward-bound-of-marin/homeless-adults/
Last Verified On: 06/04/2020

Center for Domestic Peace
“Provides a safe, confidential refuge for victims of domestic violence and sex trafficking and their children when no other options exist.”
Hotline (English): (415) 924-6616
Hotline (Spanish): (415) 924-3456
Website: https://centerfordomesticpeace.org/housing-programs/
Last Verified On: 06/04/2020
Note: Some services may have changed due to COVID-19, please call to confirm hours and services available

HOUSING RESOURCES

Rent Assistance
“Find rental assistance programs”
Website: https://www.rentassistance.us/
Last Verified On: 11/16/2020

HOMELESS SUPPORT HOTLINES

Miracle Messages Buddy Program
“Miracle Friends, is a phone and text-based buddy system that matches trained volunteers with individuals experiencing homelessness for weekly phone calls and texts, to provide basic companionship and social support… Miracle Friends supports unhoused neighbors and formerly homeless senior citizens.”
Hotline: 1-800 – MISS-YOU
Website: https://www.miraclemessages.org
Last Verified On: 12/23/2020

HOMELESS SUPPORT SERVICES

Miracle Messages Program
“Miracle Messages provides reunion services for individuals experiencing homelessness. A person experiencing homelessness records a message to a loved one (or vice versa). Then, our network of volunteer "digital detectives" attempt to locate the loved one and deliver the message. To date, we’ve reunited 400+ families (average time separated: 15 years), with 15% of reunions resulting in stable housing and 80% in a positive outcome.”
Hotline: 1-800 – MISS-YOU
Website: https://www.miraclemessages.org
Last Verified On: 12/23/2020
Note: Some services may have changed due to COVID-19, please call to confirm hours and services available

HOUSING SUPPORT SERVICES

St. Vincent De Paul Society of Marin County, Housing Help Desk
“Emergency assistance and housing counseling.”
Location: Free Dining Room
820 B Street, Ste. R
San Rafael, CA 94901
Contact: (415) 454-3303
Website: https://www.vinnies.org/need-help/housing-help/
Last Verified: 06/04/2020

Homelessness and Housing Services – Catholic Charities of San Francisco
“Residential care facilities, distribution of housing subsidies and wrap-around case management provide vulnerable people with freedom to focus on restoring stability and hope in other areas of their lives.”
Location: 1555 39th Ave
San Francisco, CA 94122
Contact: (415) 972-1200
Website: https://www.catholiccharitiessf.org/what-we-do/homelessness-housing/
Last Verified: 06/22/2020

LEGAL AID

Eviction Defense Clinic – Legal Aid of Marin
“Eviction defense, habitability complaints, tenant organizing and education, security deposit recovery, homelessness prevention.”
Location: 1401 Los Gamos Drive, Ste. 101
San Rafael, CA 94903
Contact: (628) 253-5755
Website: https://legalaidmarin.org/programs/housing/
Last Verified: 06/04/2020
TRANSITIONAL AGE YOUTH PROGRAMS

TAY Space – Side by Side
“Community Center for youth ages 16-25 who struggle with mental and/or emotional disorders. Specifically designed to support this age group on managing their mental health; connecting to resources for housing, education, and employment; and building on their strengths to forge a self-sufficient future.”
Location: 615 B Street, San Rafael, CA 94901
Contact: (415) 870-9298
Email: TAYSpace@sidebysideyouth.org
Website: https://www.sidebysideyouth.org/programs/tay-space/
Last Verified On: 04/02/2020

TRANSITIONAL HOUSING

Housing First Program- Ritter Center
“Helps individuals who have been chronically homeless in Marin for longer than 5 years find permanent supportive housing.”
Location: 16 Ritter Street, San Rafael, CA 94901
Contact: (415) 457-8182
Website: http://rittercenter.org/our-programs/permanent-supportive-housing/
Last Verified: 06/04/2020

Gilead House
“Offers hope to women and children in need providing transitional housing and life skills education that leads to independence and a future filled with promise.”
Location: 1024 7th Street, Novato, CA 94945
Contact: (415) 895-5575
Website: https://gileadhouse.org/
Last Verified: 06/04/2020

Buckelew Programs, Casa Rene
“Short-term crisis residential program supporting adults aged 18+ in a community setting. Our 10 bed facility is an innovative alternative to psychiatric hospitalization for someone experiencing a mental health crisis.”
Contact: (415) 457-6966
Website: http://www.buckelew.org/programs/marin.html
Last Verified: 06/04/2020

Note: Some services may have changed due to COVID-19, please call to confirm hours and services available.
Note: Some services may have changed due to COVID-19, please call to confirm hours and services available

UTILITY AND HOME WEATHERIZATION ASSISTANCE

Community Action Marin – Energy Program
“Ensures that families get assistance with utility payments, woo and propane home energy costs. We also provide weatherization services so that low-income households have access to free services that will make their homes more comfortable and energy efficient.”
Location: 555 Northgate Drive
San Rafael, CA 94903
Contact: (415) 526-7500
Website: https://www.camarin.org/cam-energy-programs/
Last Verified On: 06/04/2020

Central Coast Energy Services, Inc.
“Home Weatherization and Pay Assistance.
Location: P.O. Box 2707
Watsonville, CA 95077
Contact: (888) 728-3637
Website: www.energyservices.org
Last Verified On: 06/04/2020

EveryoneOn
“We help bring low-cost internet service and affordable computers to those who need it.”
Website: https://www.everyoneon.org/
Last Verified On: 07/15/2020