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SERVICES IN EDMONTON

for

TRANSIENT YOUTH

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WELFARE INFORMATION SERVICE

301 - 10182 - 103 STREET

PHONE: 429-6227

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FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Note: - Any person who has lived in Edmonton for the past 12 consecutive months on a self-supporting basis (or his parents if he is underage) can apply for assistance to the City Social Service Dept. Phone 429-5171

If a person does not have above residence qualifications, men over 16 are served at the Single Men's Hostel and women must apply to nearest Regional Office of the Dept. of Social Development.

EXCEPTIONS: - Treaty Indians who have not established residence in Edmonton may apply to:

Edmonton - Hobbema District Office
Dept. of Indian Affairs
10455 - 80 Ave. Phone 439-4981

Youth Liaison
Mrs. Vester, S.R.O. Phone 433-4411
or
Crisis Unit After Hrs. Phone 429-6227

FOOD

MALE (16 and over)

Single Men's Hostel
10014 - 105 A. Avenue

Phone 424-2569

Meal Hrs.: 7 to 8 a.m. and 5 to 5 p.m. Lunches for employed.
(Meal Tickets for Salvation Army; some vouchers for groceries.)
(Must register for assistance; meals are available exclusive of beds if desired.)

Marion Centre
10528-981 Street

Phone: 424-3544

Meal Hours: 2:30 p.m. Monday to Saturday
(Sandwiches provided for travellers.)

Salvation Army - Men's Social Service
9611 - 102 Avenue

Phone: 429-4271

Meals available at minimal cost.
Staff will consider provision of meals for persons with no funds.
Sandwiches will be provided during the day.

Hope Mission
10360 - 97 Street

Phone 422-2018

Sandwiches, etc., in the evenings.

Bissell Centre
9560 - 103 A. Avenue

(Food on a limited basis to meet emergencies.)

FEMALE

Salvation Army
Family Services Dept.
#2 - 9656 - Jasper Avenue Phone: 424-6924

Will consider emergency assistance.

Dept. of Social Development

During Office Hours

North Regional Office 10158 - 103 St. Phone: 429-3311

West Regional Office Centennial Village Phone: 484-7742
Tower

South Regional Office 10455 - 80 Avenue Phone: 433-4411

After Office Hours

Welfare Information Service (Crisis Unit) Phone: 429-6227

Y.W.C.A.

10030 - 103 Street Phone: 422-8176

Will consider emergency needs.

CLOTHING

MALE

Single Men's Hostel
10014 - 105 A. Avenue Phone: 424-2569

(Clothing provided where required for certified employment; or for humanitarian reasons of protections against cold or for reasons of decency.)

Marion Centre
10528 - 98 Street Phone: 424-3544

(Wednesdays 10:00 - 11:30 a.m. and 1:00 - 3:30 p.m.)

Salvation Army Men's Social Service
9611 - 102 Avenue
(see staff or through thrift stores) Phone: 429-4271

Hope Mission
10360 - 97 Street Phone: 422-2018

Bissell Centre
9560 - 103 A. Avenue Phone: 424-1718
See Men's Caseworker or at low cost from their economy stores.
(See List)

FEMALE

Bissell Centre

9560 - 103 A. Avenue

Phone: 424-2471

Hours: 8:30 - 4:30

Individual needs considered

Also available through their low cost stores.

Marion Centre

10528 - 98 Street

Phone: 424-3544

Hours for women's clothing distribution:

Thursday: 10:00 to 11:30 and

Friday: 1:00 to 3:30

Salvation Army

Family Services

#2 - 9656 Jasper Avenue

Phone: 424-6924

Note: Thrift Shop (Jr. League) and Council Economy Shop will consider providing clothing at no cost. See addresses below.

Low Cost Stores in Downtown Area

Bissell Mission

10259 - 95 Street

Council Economy Shop

10363 - 97 Street

Goodwill Stores

10722 Jasper Avenue & 10321 -
97 Street

Salvation Army

9611 - 102 A. Avenue

St. Vincent de Paul

9674 Jasper Avenue

Junior League Thrift Shop

9660 - 103 A. Avenue

SHELTER

MALE

Single Men's Hostel

10014 - 105 A. Avenue

Phone: 424-2569

292 Beds in dormitories. Overflow is billeted at Salvation Army Hostel, Colona Rooms, Abner House, Castle, Vancouver Rooms, etc. (Boys under 16 should apply to Dept. of Social Development.)

Salvation Army - Men's Social Service

9611 - 102 Avenue

Phone: 429-4271

Hostel accommodation at minimum rates or on referral from Single Men's Hostel.

(Consideration might be given to placing boys under 16 at the Y.M. for one night.)

Y.M.C.A.

10030 - 102 A. Avenue

Phone: 424-8047

Rooms for boys over 18 years at \$4.50 to \$6.00 per night.
Hostel accommodation.

Overnight Shelter
10628 - 96 Street

Phone: 424-4368

Sit up accommodation and coffee (no charge).

Soft Machine
10611 - 87 Avenue

Phone: 432-7125

Crash facilities for Boys & Girls over 17.
Some food.

Stopover (Y.W.C.A. - Y.M.C.A.)
Y.W. 10032 - 103 Street

Phone: 422-8176

Crash facilities with toast and coffee. Three day limit. 25¢ night

Project Recovery House
11252 - 88 Street

Men with problems of alcoholism.

FEMALE

Y.W.C.A.
10030 - 103 Street

Phone: 422-8176

Rooms at nightly rate of \$3.50 (no limit).
Hostel accommodation.

Women's Emergency Shelter
10035 - 103 Street

Phone: 424-5768

Hours: 4:30 p.m. to 9:00 a.m.
Sit up shelter and coffee
No charges

Southern Home
8552 - 75 Avenue

Phone: 465-2688

Group home for 7 girls (not a hostel for short-term accommodation).

Rosary Hall

A residence for 46 women not short term hostel accommodation.

Salvation Army (Family Services)
#2 - 9656 Jasper Avenue

Phone: 424-6924

Will consider short-term placement for girls at the Y.W.C.A.

McDougall House
9936 - 103 Street

Phone: 424-7782

(Phone and doorbell answered 24 hours)
For women, usually over 18, with some commitment towards
rehabilitation.

The House Next Door
10219 - 123 Street

Phone: 482-1587
(Robertson United Church)

Residence for girls coming into Edmonton. Length of stay
approximately 4 weeks.

Soft Machine

10611 - 87 Avenue

Phone: 432-7125

Crash pad facilities for boys and girls over 17, with some food.

Stopover (Y.M.C.A. - Y.W.C.A.)

at YW - 10032 - 103 Street

Phone: 422-8176

For boys and girls ages 16 to 22 years.

Crash facilities with toast and coffee

Cost: 25¢ night - three day limit

COUNSELLING SERVICES

Social Service Dept., City of Edmonton

6th Flr. C.N. Tower 429-5171

15626 - 100 A Avenue (J.P.) 489-7794

13315 - 89 St. (Glengarry) 476-7602

Draft Dodgers

Contact: Prof. Ted Kemp

Dept. of Sociology, U. of A. - 432-1111

Legal Advice: Lawyer Gordon Wright - 422-7191

Alexander Ross Society

Box 322, University of Alberta

Suicide

Salvation Army (24 - hours)

Phone: 422-2727

(Emergency services plus follow-up and continuing counselling as required).

For Discharged Prisoners

Future Society

Terry Hansen

10182-103 St. #301 - Phone: 424-0331

John Howard Society

201-10526 Jasper Ave.

Phone: 429-5266

For Drug Users

Trust Crisis Centre

Phone: 479-4359

12304 - 101 Street

Amalgamating with Project 70 in July at 9917 - 116 Street

Crisis Centre Garneau United Church, 11150 - 84 Ave. (Ramsey Hall)

Advice re drug use, legal advice, medical advice.

Salvation Army Family Welfare

Phone: 424-6924

St. John's Priory

11714 - 92 Street

Phone: 474-7465

Counselling related to drug use, group or individual, girls or boys.

School Programs

Student Counsellors, public health nurses, school psychologists

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Counselling for Drugs Users (continued)

Government Programs
Division of Alcoholism
9910 - 103 Street

Phone: 424-1141

Alta. Guidance Clinic

Phone: 479-3251

Dept. of Social Development

West Regional Office
South " "
North " "

Phone: 484-7742
Phone: 433-4411
Phone: 429-3311

City Social Service Dept. (three Offices)

Family Service Assoc.
9919 - 106 Street

Phone: 424-4161

Catholic Family & Child Service
9912 - 109 Street

Phone: 429-2731

HEALTH SERVICES

Psychiatric Care

Local Board of Health
7th Flr. C.N. Tower
Dr. D. Phillips
Consultative Services

Phone: 424-0211

Emergency Wards of all hospitals.
TREATMENT with discharge on medication, or admission if required.
no charge for outpatient care if person has lived 3 months in
Alberta. otherwise \$3.00, plus extra charges for x-rays, etc. If
not here 3 months, should otherwise be covered by province they left.

Open Door Consultation Services
220 Le Marchand Bldg. 116 St. - 100 Avenue
Hours: Wednesday 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Costs: \$5.00 (must have coverage under Alta. Health Plan)
treatment to meet the emergency and follow up. Closed month of July

Alberta Guidance Clinic (Dept. of Health)
11120 - 102 Street
Hours: 8:30 - 5:00 (open noons)
provides psychiatric and personality assessments for persons to age
18. No charge.

Phone: 479-3251

Drug Use

Emergency Wards of any hospital

All hospitals will permit a friend to accompany.
Identity is legally required for chart, but police or family not notified
If well enough to leave on medication, will be discharged, otherwise
admitted.

No charge if patient has lived here for three months (otherwise \$3.00 for treatment.) but may be revised by Province they came from.
Drugs at cost (or free if without funds.)

Trust Crisis Centre

emergency needs of young people on drugs.
accompaniment to hospital if required
crash pad for short period
liason between the user and the professional (legal, medical social)
identity not divulged
"Buddy" system No charge

Phone: 479-4359
(24-hr. Number)

(to move to 9917 - 116 Street in July)

Kennedy Hall (Alberta Hospital)

In patient only - ages 14 - 17 years.

Venereal Disease

Social Hygiene Clinic

9815 Jasper Avenue

Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

free diagnosis, treatment, drugs.

Phone: 422-5083

Birth Control

Board of Health

Avard Arms Clinic, 103 Avenue 100 Street

Wednesdays 6:30 - 9:30 p.m.

(By appointment)

Free clinical services and supplies

Medical Care

S.H.I.P.

10628 - 96 Street

Hours: 6:00 - 9:00 p.m. Mon. - Friday

free diagnosis, treatment & drugs

Emergency Ward of any hospital

Phone: 424-3337

Pregnancy

Obstetric & Gynecology Clinics

(1) Womens Pavilion, Royal Alex

Mondays only 1:00 to 2:15 P.M.

No charge if in Alberta 3 months (otherwise \$3.00)

Drugs at cost.

(2) Clinical Sciences Bldg., U. of A. (5th floor) Phone: 432-6457

Obstetrics: Wednesday afternoons

Gynecology: Friday afternoons

Phone: 474-3431

NOTE: phone the outpatient Dept. - 439-8356 first for registration.

CHARGE: No charge over the Alta. Health Plan.

If no coverage, there is no charge.

Drugs: A person is required to pay what she is able.

If unable, no charge.

Dental Care (very little is available for transients)

Welfare Recipients:

- a) holders of Treatment Services Card are covered for routine extractions and fillings at any dentist's office.
- b) persons on temporary assistance must have authorization from their worker.
- c) persons at Single Men's Hostel must see the Social Worker for authorization to meet emergencies.
- d) persons on City Social Service must see their worker.

Other

- a) Women who are not Edmonton residents must apply to Dept. of Social Development
- b) Treaty Indians:
Camsell Hospital (outpatient)
12815 - 115 Avenue Phone: 455-7141

Alcoholism

Division of Alcoholism

Dept. of Health 9929 - 103 Street Phone: 424-1141
 Hours 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
 outpatient treatment at clinic
 inpatient treatment at Henwood on referral by the Division
 no age restrictions
 cost: \$10.00 Registration fee. Henwood \$2.00 day for Alta. Resident
\$20.00 day for non-residents.

Project Recovery House

11252 - 88 Street Phone: 474-6525

LEGAL SERVICES

Legal Aid Office, Atty. General's Dept.

Courthouse Phone: 424-7121
 Hours: 8:00 - 5:00 p.m. (closed noons)
 Criminal and civil aid for indigent persons
 Cost: \$5.00 to the lawyer the case is assigned to.

Legal Services Project

10336 - 96 Street Phone: 429-1197

Legal students
 No charge
 Mon. - Fri. - 9-4:30.

Metis Association of Alberta

Chester Cunningham Phone: 429-5402
 10405 - 100 Avenue
 Court liaison work for native persons.

Child Protection Services

For the care and supervision of lost or runaway
 Boys (under 16) Girls (under 18)
 - During Office Hours: 429-3311 No Edn. R.O.
 - After Office Hours & on Holidays 429-6227 Crisis Unit

DISCRIMINATION

If because of race, color, religion or ancestry

a) Service is denied in employment, hotel or motel accommodation; apartment buildings with more than 3 units; admission to public places, etc.

Complaints can be lodged with:

Human Rights Branch

10808 - 99 Avenue

Hours: 8:30 - 5:00 p.m. (closed at noon)

Phone: 229-3577

b) For direct action in the promotion of human rights.

Alberta Human Rights Assoc.

Box 1293

Phone: 429-0036

TRAVELLERS AID

Y.W.C.A.

10032 - 103 Street

Co-Ordinator: Mrs. Stuparek

Phone: 422-8176

Hours continuous

guidance, information and direction, particularly for women and children.

rooms registry for persons seeking permanent or temporary accommodation.

Edmonton - Hobbema District

Indian Affairs Branch

10455 - 80 Avenue

Hours: 8:30 - 12 12:30 - 4:30

Phone: 439-4981

Assistance Treaty Indians stranded in the city. (Not Treaty Indians who have made their residence here.)

Canadian Native Friendship Centre

10218 - 108 Street

Hours: 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Phone: 424-8728'

information, direction, and limited financial assistance to new-comers.

Single Men's Hostel (Dept. of Social Development)

10014 - 105 A Avenue

Phone: 424-2569

for male transients who are registered at the Hostel, transportation is provided to certified employment within Alberta.

Northern Administration Branch

Dept. of Indian Affairs & No. Development

439 Federal Bldg.

Phone: 424-0251

Services for residents of Northwest Territories

VOLUNTEERS

Sources of volunteer Assistance

Central Volunteer Bureau

10135 - 103 Street

Phone: 422-6663

Hours: 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Adult and student volunteers

Youth Involvement Project

#5 - 10168 - 100 Street

Phone: 424-5855

Volunteers available of University and N.A.I.T. age level.

Project Christopher

Contact: Carol Doycet

Phone: 477-3222

or

St. Alphonses Church

Phone: 474-5434

Young volunteers, non-denominational

Teen Time

209 - Agency Bldg.

10057 Jasper Avenue

Phone: 429-1901

Glengarry Community Services Centre

13315 - 89 Street

Phone: 476-7602

-- John Stitson

-- Rod Walker

DROP-IN CENTRES & GROUPS SERVICES FOR YOUTH

Inner Spirit (Downtown Teen Centre)

10072 - 98 Street

Phone: 429-2122

Hours: Mon. - Thurs.: 4:00 p.m. - 11p.m.

Fri. : 4:00 p.m. - 12p.m.

Sat. # 1:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Sun. : 12:00 - 12:00

Youth Opportunities Unlimited

10124 - 99 Street

Phone: 424-4648

referral re-accommodation, employment, socialization,

education, counselling

liaison and co-ordination with existing youth groups.

Women's Emergency Shelter

All Saints Cathedral

10035 - 103 Street

Phone: 424-5768

Hours: 4:30 p.m. - 9:00 a.m.

7 days a week

emergency sit-up shelter: care in case of medical emergencies

information, referral, accompaniment to social services.

Glengarry Community Services Centre

13315 - 89 Street

Phone: 476-7602

Hours: Mon. - Fri. 6 - 10 p.m.

Sat. - Sun. 2 - 10 p.m.

After school Drop in Girls only

various group activities for youth

Run by Parks & Recreation & City Social Service

Boys Club of Edmonton

9425 - 109 A. Avenue

Phone: 422-4890

Hours: Week-days- 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. & 7:00p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Saturdays - 10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

recreation, drop-in, informal guidance, boys to 18 years.

Rosethorn Junior High School

13215 - 113 A Street

Sponsored by Edmonton Public School Board

Hardisty Junior High School

10534 - 62 Street

Sponsored by Parks & Recreation Dept., City of Edmonton

For further information phone 424-0211

Mc Kenzie Hall, University of Alberta

Open till 10 each night all summer

Image Club

Top Floor 12702 - 114 Avenue

Boys only

Contact: R. Walker or Collette Mc Kinnon

Glengarry Community Service Centre

Phone: 476-7602

Phyltorz

St. Peters Anglican 111 Avenue - 127 Street

Wednesdays

Contact: Mr. John Stetsen

Glengarry

Phone: 476-7602

Exit to Peace

St. Michaels Church 69 Street - 127 Avenue

Thursdays

Contact: Glengarry

Phone: 476-7602

For Information on Other Centres:

Parks & Recreation Dept.

Phone: 424-0211 Ext. 467

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WELFARE INFORMATION SERVICE - 301-10182-103 STREET

PHONE 429-6227