

# Quick-Glance RESOURCE GUIDE 2015-2016

**NOVA** | Northern Virginia  
Community College

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list at our online database:

<http://blogs.nvcc.edu/wssn/>

If you live in Alexandria, Annandale, Centreville, Fairfax, Falls Church, Herndon, Reston, Springfield, or Vienna, your best resource for food, housing, financial assistance, medical, domestic violence prevention, shelter, employment, clothing/household, transportation, or veterans benefits is to visit [fairfaxcounty.gov/hsrg/](http://fairfaxcounty.gov/hsrg/) or call 403-222-0880.

Everyone else should visit [211virginia.org](http://211virginia.org) or call 2-1-1 and describe your need.

## INFORMATION & REFERRAL

### **Arlington County Department of Human Services**

[www.departments.arlingtonva.us/dhs/](http://www.departments.arlingtonva.us/dhs/)

703-228-1350

### **City of Alexandria, Community & Human Services**

[www.alexandria.gov/DCCHS](http://www.alexandria.gov/DCCHS)

703-746-HELP (4357)

### **Fairfax County Coordinated Services Planning**

[www.fairfaxcounty.gov/hsrg/](http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/hsrg/)

703-222-0880

### **Loudoun County, Department of Family Services**

[www.loudoun.gov/dfs](http://www.loudoun.gov/dfs)

703-777-0353

### **Manassas City, Family Services**

[www.manassacity.org/186/Family-Services](http://www.manassacity.org/186/Family-Services)

703-361-8277

### **City of Manassas Park, Family & Social Services**

[www.cityofmanassaspark.us](http://www.cityofmanassaspark.us)

703-335-8880

### **Prince William County, Assistance Programs**

[www.pwcgov.org](http://www.pwcgov.org)

703-792-7500

For a complete list of services in your area,  
visit [211virginia.org](http://211virginia.org) or call 2-1-1.

## FOOD

### **NOVA Annandale Campus Food Pantry**

Open Monday - Friday 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Need valid NOVA ID

703-323-2154 or 703-764-0122

CF 232

### **Capital Area Food Bank- Hunger Lifeline**

Emergency Food Assistance Referral Service

202-644-9807 (Monday - Friday 9 AM - 5 PM)

[www.capitalareafoodbank.org/get-help/](http://www.capitalareafoodbank.org/get-help/)

### **Food for Others (requires county referral)**

USDA Food Distribution Site, Emergency Food (requires referral), & Connection to Neighborhood Sites

703-207-9173

[www.foodforothers.org](http://www.foodforothers.org)

### **Arlington Food Assistance Center - AFAC (requires county referral)**

Emergency bags of food available to low-income  
Arlington residents.

703-845-8486

[www.afac.org](http://www.afac.org)

There are MANY more community organizations  
that provide Emergency Food. Please visit our  
website <http://blogs.nvcc.edu/wssn/> to find a listing  
of food resources in your area.

## EMERGENCY SHELTER

### **A-SPAN (Arlington County Residents)**

703-228-7802

[www.a-span.org](http://www.a-span.org)

VOA Bailey's Crossroads Shelter -- 703-820-7621

New Hope Eleanor Kennedy Shelter -- 703-799-0200

### **City of Alexandria - Homeless Services (HSAC)**

703-746-5700

[www.alexandria.gov](http://www.alexandria.gov) Search "HSAC"

### **Fairfax County Emergency Shelter Program**

[www.fairfaxcounty.gov/dfs/homeless/hypothermia-prevention/emergency-shelter.htm](http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/dfs/homeless/hypothermia-prevention/emergency-shelter.htm)

Bailey's Crossroads Shelter -- 703-820-7621

Eleanor Kennedy Shelter -- 703-799-0200

Embry Rucker Shelter -- 703-437-1975

Students with minor children should call Coordinated  
Services Planning (CSP) first (703-222-0880) before  
contacting shelters. Students without children may also  
start the process by first calling CSP.

### **Loudoun County - Homeless Programs**

Referrals made through Family Services at 703-777-0353

Volunteers of America (VOA) Drop-In Shelters

571-258-3033

### **SERVE - Northern Virginia Family Services Manassas City, Manassas Park, PWC**

571-748-2603

[www.nvfs.org/serve](http://www.nvfs.org/serve)

## EMERGENCY SHELTER CONT.

### Prince William County - Homeless & Winter Shelters

[www.pwc.org/government/dept/socialservices](http://www.pwc.org/government/dept/socialservices)

Click "Homeless Services"

Hilda Barg Homeless Prevention Center -- 703-680-5403

Winter Shelter (Nov 1 - Mar 31) -- 703-897-0199

### Fairfax County - Committee for Helping Others

Help with payment of rent, mortgages, utility bills, medical expenses and other financial needs, also food/clothes, and transportation assistance.

703-281-7614

<http://cho-va.com/wordpress/>

### Catholic Charities

Rent, prescriptions, utilities and other crisis problems. Serves Northern Virginia to Roanoke. Services include free counseling for birthmothers, adoptions, post-adoptions, family counseling, pregnancy, etc.

703-548-4227

[www.ccca.net/contact.php](http://www.ccca.net/contact.php)

### ACTS -- Action in Community Through Service (Prince William County, East End Only)

Housing and utility assistance for those with a disconnect notice. Medical bills & health care assistance. On-site thrift store.

703-221-3186

## EMERGENCY/FINANCIAL RESOURCES

### Arlington County - AMEN (Arlingtonians Meeting Emergency Needs)

Provides same-day financial assistance to residents of Arlington who encounter unexpected financial emergencies.

[www.emergencynneeds.org/home](http://www.emergencynneeds.org/home)

\*Referral through Arlington DHS Social Services

703-228-1300

### Arlington Crisis Assistance

Provides short-term aid for basic needs, i.e. food, rent, utilities, medical care, and medicine.

703-228-1350

### Northern Virginia Family Services SERVE

Provides short-term aid for basic needs, i.e. food, rent, utilities, medical care, and medicine.

703-228-1350

Referrals to additional emergency & financial resources can be made by the local county office where the student resides. Contact info per office is listed at the front of this form.

## LEGAL SERVICES

### Legal Services of Northern Virginia

Provides free Legal aid and services regarding Consumer Law, Elder Law, Family Law, Housing Law, Public Benefits, and Child Advocacy & Education Law.

703-778-6800 or 866-534-5243

[www.lsnv.org](http://www.lsnv.org)

### Virginia Lawyer Referral Service

Reduced fee legal consultation.

1-800-552-7977

### Potomac Legal Aid Society, Inc. (Services free to qualified applicants)

703-532-2525

### Legal Aid Justice Center

Provides legal resources and help.

703-778-3450

[www.justice4all.org](http://www.justice4all.org)

## CHILD CARE

### Arlington - Child Care Information

703-228-1685

### Head Start Program - Virginia

Visit [www.headstartva.org](http://www.headstartva.org) and search in "Find a Head Start Program in your Area" for location specific contact info.

### Prince William County - Child Care Assistance

703-792-7500

### Early Childhood Programs - Northern Virginia Family Services

703-385-3267

[www.nvfs.org/earlychildhooddivision](http://www.nvfs.org/earlychildhooddivision)

### ACTS Daycare (Woodbridge, Manassas)

703-670-8808

## TRANSPORTATION

### Arlington Transportation

Commuter Services

[www.commuterpage.com/pages/about/arlington-county-commuter-services/](http://www.commuterpage.com/pages/about/arlington-county-commuter-services/)

### City of Alexandria Transportation

[www.alexandria.gov/tes/](http://www.alexandria.gov/tes/)

703-746-HELP (4357)

### Fairfax County Transportation

[www.fairfaxcounty.gov/living/transportation/](http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/living/transportation/)

### Manassas City - Transportation

[www.manassascity.org/198/Transportation](http://www.manassascity.org/198/Transportation)

### Loudoun County - Transportation

[www.loudouncounty.gov/transportation](http://www.loudouncounty.gov/transportation)

### Northern Virginia Transportation Commission

[www.novatransit.org](http://www.novatransit.org)

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