

Oak Mountain Church Resource Guide

Food Pantries and Assistance:

For Woodlawn/Eastlake area residents, many who do not have transportation:

Grace Episcopal-Woodlawn: (205) 591-6697. Lunch is served 7 days a week at 12:45pm, 5712 First Avenue North. In addition, groceries and limited toiletries are distributed to the first 75 people beginning at 7am on the 2nd, 3rd and 4th Tuesdays, at the 58th Street entrance of the church. Must live in the area, no ID required.

Holy Rosary Catholic Church: (205) 595-0652. Canned goods, bread, tissues and meats are given away on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. Must prove Woodlawn residency, with a 35212 zip code. 7414 Georgia Road.

Jefferson County Dept. of Human Resources: (205) 599-2900. This is where some Woodlawn residents walk to get food stamps. 4500 5th Avenue North, B'ham, AL.

Assisting other area residents:

Oak Mountain Mission Ministries (205) 685-5757

Salvation Army: (205) 328-5656

The Christian Service Mission: (205) 252-9906. Monthly food assistance, some work for food programs that require a referral. 3600 3rd Avenue North.

Greater Birmingham Ministries: (205) 326-6821. Food on Fridays at 8:30am-call before Friday. Need ID and income verification. 2304 12th Avenue North, B'ham, AL

United Way Food Bank: (205) 323-0000. Located at 3600 8th Avenue South, B'ham, AL 35232. Calls only please!

Church of the Reconciler: (205) 324-6402. Tuesday-Friday Breakfast/snacks, 9:30am. Sunday Lunch at Noon. 112 14th Street North.

The Foundry: (205) 428-8449. Food boxes available, call for application information. 1804 6th Avenue South, Bessemer, AL.

Community Kitchens: St. Andrews Episcopal. (205) 251-6697. Mon.-Sat. hot lunch inside, Sunday: Sack lunch in UAB lot between 10th and 11st Street on 11th Avenue South.

First United Methodist Church of Hueytown (Only helps people who live in Hueytown)
(205) 491-3421

Garywood Assembly of God (Only helps people who live in Hueytown & Pleasant Grove)
(205) 744-8135

Clothing:

Salvation Army: (205) 328-5656. Tuesdays: 9:00am to 4:00pm. Need a photo ID. 2130 11th Avenue North, B'ham, AL

Greater Birmingham Ministries: (205) 326-6821. Clothing is available Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays, 9:00am to Noon. ID and income verification required. 2304 12th Avenue North.

Oak Mountain Mission Ministries (Clothing assistance) (205) 685-5757

Assistance League of Birmingham: Operation School Bell provides new clothing to school children. (205) 870-5555.

Church of the Reconciler Clothing Closet: (205) 324-6402. 112 14th Street North.

The Foundry: (205) 428-8449. Clothing for men and women as available. Call for application information.

The Old Firehouse Shelter: (205) 242-9571. Men only, Mondays and Wednesdays, 2:00-3:00pm. 1501 3rd Avenue North

United Way Information and Referral: (205) 323-0000 Located at 3600 8th Avenue South, B'ham, AL 35232. Calls only please!

Shelters:

For Women and Children:

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Jessie's Place: (205) 323-0170. 2305 5th Avenue North, B'ham, AL

First Light: (205) 323-4277. Women and children (boys under nine). 2230 4th Ave. North, B'ham, AL

Hannah Home: (205) 553-0045 or (205) 618-0300. Located in Chelsea and Tuscaloosa.

Safe House of Shelby County, Inc.: (205) 664-5930. Serves women and children who are victims of domestic violence.

Family Violence Center: (205) 322-4878. Serves women and children who are victims of domestic violence.

Bread and Roses | Southside (205) 324-5220 | Northside (205) 322-6854 | Woodlawn 595-6399

For Women only:

Pathways (formerly Bread and Roses): (205) 908-5943 or (205) 324-5220. Serves mothers and singles. 5325 Georgia Road, B'ham, AL 35212.

Lovelady Center: (205) 833-7410. Serves women recently released from prison.

For Teens:

Project Safe: (205) 942-5327. For homeless 16 to 21 year olds.

Hope House: (205) 252-4673. Day shelter for runaway you ages 13 – 21.

For Girls:

Grace House Ministries, Inc.: (205) 786-4663. Group home for girls, ages 6-16 years, Who have been abandoned or are victims of abuse. P.O. Box 547 Fairfield, AL 35212.

For Children:

Children's Village: (205) 925-0074. Residential facility for boys and girls ages 6 to 12 years who are the victims of neglect or abuse. P.O. Box 110501, B'ham, AL

King's Ranch: (205) 678-8331. Residential group home for abused, neglected and abandoned children, ages 10-18 years. P.O. Box 162, Chelsea, AL 35043

Utilities:

JCCEO (Jefferson County Committee for Economic Opportunity: 212-9603

Greater Birmingham Ministries: (205) 326-6821

American Red Cross: (205) 458-8282

United Way Information and Referral: (205) 323-0000 Located at 3600 8th Avenue South, B'ham, AL 35232. Calls only please!

Addictions: Alcohol, Drugs:

Drug and Alcohol Treatment Centers:

For Men and Women:

The Foundry: Rehabilitation program (no children). Applicants must commit to a 12 to 18 months of weekly inpatient meetings: Need referral letter with drug history. (205) 428-8449, (205) 424-7268. 1818 6th Avenue North, B'ham, AL 35020

Fellowship House: Residential Drug Treatment. Applicants must have assessment. (205) 933-2430. 1625 12th Avenue South, B'ham, AL 35205.

Pearson Hall: Short term residential inpatient drug treatment, (no children). Must have an assessment and be referred by a mental health agency. (205) 923-6552.

Saint Anne's Home: 90-day residential drug and alcohol treatment (no children). (205) 933-2402. 2772 Hanover Circle, B'ham, AL 35203

For Women Only:

Alethia House: Residential drug treatment (with or without children). (205) 252-4636, or (205) 324-6502. 201 Finley Avenue West, B'ham, AL 35204.

For Men Only:

The Salvation Army Rehabilitation Center: Drug and Alcohol treatment. (205) 252-8151. 1401 F. L. Shuttlesworth Drive, B'Ham, AL 35202.

Pregnancy Support:

Sav-A-Life: (205) 979-0302 Helps clients to make life-affirming decisions regarding pregnancy. 1480 McGuire Road, B'ham, AL 35216. lisahogan@savalife.org.

Alabama Medicaid-Pregnancy: (334) 242-5000 P.O. Box 5264 Montgomery, AL 36103. log on to medicalapplication.org/Alabama to apply, includes an analysis of prenatal care in your area, and alternatives if you don't qualify for Alabama Medicaid.

WIC: Hotline: 1-888-WIC-Hope. Providing positive prenatal birth outcomes with supplemental foods and special formulas for Alabama women, infants and children. Must meet income requirements.

Crisis Assistance:

Crisis Center Hotline: (205) 323-777. Telephone counseling for the suicidal and any other crisis.

Rape Response: (323) 323-7273. Forensic exam with a nurse present, victim advocacy, counseling.

Teen Link: (205) 328-5465. Teen issues, legal aid, referrals for teens.

Child Abuse/Child Protection: (205) 324-2135. Department of Human Resources-handles reports of abuse and neglect.

American Red Cross: (205) 458-8282. Disaster assistance, military communications. 2250 9th Avenue North, B'ham, AL.

Fires or Natural Disaster: Catholic Center for Concern. Provides food, clothing, furniture. (205) 786-4388. 712 Fourth Court West, B'ham, AL 35204.

Medical and Dental Services:

The Christ Health Center: 5720 First Avenue South, Birmingham, AL 35212
(205) 380-9455 General medical and dental services. Insured and non-insured patients, sliding scale income. Call to make an appointment.

Health Insurance Programs- Alabama. Medicaid, ALL Kids and Caring programs for Children: (800) 373 KIDS, 7am to 6pm Mon.-Fri. Eligibility based on family size and income. Web-based application system: www.insurealabama.org.

Jefferson County Health Department (205) 424-6001

Travelers Aid (Only gives assistance to people who need emergency transportation) (205) 322-5426

Positive Maturity, Inc. (205) 251-0296. Medication assistance for low-income seniors 60 plus. 3600 8th Ave. South, Suite 200.

Sight Savers of Alabama: 1-877-942-2627. Coordinates eye care for economically disadvantaged children. Includes eye exams, glasses, and surgeries.

Truth in Love Ministries: 5720 First Avenue South, B'ham, AL 35212 (205) 380-9455. Biblical counseling, discipleship and mentoring services.
(As of Jan. 2010 there was a 6 week waiting list for services)

Wellspring Christian Clinic (off 280 near the Colonnade)
(205) 977-3003

Dr. Trey Hill, Covenant Christian Counseling - for adults. (Lakeshore Drive near Samford)
(205)977-3003

Impact Family Counseling: (205) 916-0123. 1000 24th Street South, B'ham, AL. Counseling, anger and conflict management, play therapy. Sliding scale and DHR referrals.

Gateway: (205) 510-2600. Family counseling/residential program for adolescents, credit counseling. SSI and SSA, sliding scale. 1401 20th Street South.

Oasis: A Women's Counseling Center: (205) 933-0338. 1900 14th Avenue South, B'ham, AL 35205. Counseling services for women, couples, and families.

Day Care/After School/GED Programs:

Day Care:

YWCA Day Care for Homeless Children: (205) 322-9922. Day care services/after school program. 309 23rd Street North, B'ham, AL 35203.

Child Care Central: (205) 941-0115. Application point for Alabama subsidized childcare. 85 Bagby Drive, Suite 100, Homewood, AL 35209

Child Care Resources: (205) 795-2100. Child care program information, low-income financial assistance. 1904 1st Avenue North.

Birmingham City Schools Community Education Department: (205) 231-7995. Child care 5-12 years. Sliding scale fees.

Headstart JCCEO Child Development Services: (205) 327-7500. Various locations for programs (0-3 years, and 3-4 years old.)

After School:

YMCA: (205) 324-4563. Or (205) 322-9922 After-school care. Low-income scholarships for after school and summer programs.

Salvation Army: (205) 328-5656. After-school leaning lab, homework help, computer lab, No charge. 2130 11th Avenue North, B'ham, AL

GED Programs:

Birmingham Public Schools Even Start Program: (205) 929-8185. No fees. 812 18th Way southwest, B'ham, AL

Birmingham Urban League: (205) 326- 0162. 1229 3rd Avenue North, B'ham, AL.

M-Power: (205) 595-5959. 4022 4th Avenue South, B'ham, AL

Grace Episcopal-Woodlawn: (205) 591-6697. 5712 1st Avenue North, B'ham, AL 35212.