

Emergency Financial Resources

If your family is in need of emergency financial support, shelter/housing placement, please refer to the resources below.

Catholic Charities-Emergency Assistance Department

Phone: 312-655-7500

Address: [721 N. LaSalle, Chicago, IL 60610](#)

Services: Provides a full array of services for clients in need of urgent basic human needs. Coordinates the Catholic Charities Earn Fare and Food Stamp Employment Training Program. Provides intake for emergency shelter, emergency financial assistance, referral, advocacy, food pantry, clothing, short-term case management and benefits screening at the following locations:
[721 N. LaSalle St., Chicago](#), [1120 W. 79th St., Chicago](#)
[3129 W. Jackson, Chicago](#) (lower level, Our Lady of Sorrows Church)

Fees: Free

Neighborhood: Varied locations throughout the city

Website: http://www.catholiccharities.net/services/emergency_assistance

Consumer Credit Counseling Services

Phone: 866-889-9347

Address: 70 East Lake Street, Suite 1115, Chicago, IL 60601

Services: Non-profit organization that provides debt management and consolidation services. Provides free financial counseling

Fees: Free

Neighborhood: Services all of Chicago

Website: www.cccsgrchicago.org

Emergency Fund

Phone: 312-379-0301

Address: 208 S. LaSalle Street, Suite 1356, Chicago, IL 60604

Services: Provides financial assistance to the economically disadvantaged.

Fees: Free

Neighborhood: Services all of Chicago.

Website: <http://www.emergencyfund.org/services.html>

Department of Human Services

Phone: 312-746-8545

Helpline: (800) 843-6154

Address: 1615 West Chicago Avenue, 3rd Floor, Chicago, IL 60622

Services: Provides referrals for all emergency financial situations, including bill payment.

Fees: Free

Neighborhoods: All neighborhoods in Chicago served. Call helpline listed above.

Greater Chicago Food Depository

Phone: 773-247-FOOD (3663)

Address: 4100 West Ann Lurie Place
Chicago, IL 60632

Services: Food for people in need. Look up area pantry by zip code online.

Fees: None.

Website: www.chicagosfoodbank.org

Northwestern University Settlement House

Phone: 773-278-7471

Address: 1400 Augusta Blvd., Chicago, IL 60622

Services: Gas and light bill payment, food pantry, and other financial supportive services for families in need.

Fees: Free

Neighborhoods: West Town

Contact: Belna Reyes

Website: <http://nush.org/Programs/emergency.htm>