

# Berkeley County Shelter & Transitional Housing Call List

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## Primary county options

### *Fair Haven Home for Men - St. Stephen*

**Best for:** Men with homelessness/addiction/recovery needs who can enter a structured faith-based program.

**Phone:** 843-749-9622; online application/contact form available.

**Location:** 277 Hood St, Saint Stephen, SC 29479.

**Call / intake hours:** FindHelp listing: Mon-Fri 8:00 AM-5:00 PM; call before sending anyone.

**Men / women / children:** Men only; no children.

**Eligibility / fit:** Men facing addiction/homelessness/adversity who can follow program rules; 90-day and 1-year programs listed publicly.

**What they offer:** Housing, food/clothing, recovery/spiritual support; public review/business listing describes 90-day program and help with medical/dental/documents.

**Vacancy/usefulness note:** One of the few Berkeley County residential options. Call early and ask if they are accepting applications this week.

### *Callen-Lacey Center for Children / Landmarks for Families*

**Best for:** Children/youth in crisis, abuse/neglect/abandonment, placement instability, or child welfare-related shelter needs.

**Phone:** Landmarks for Families main 843-266-5200; older CYDC shelter resource lists show 843-266-5270. Confirm current intake path.

**Location:** Berkeley County campus in Moncks Corner area; exact placement/intake should be confirmed by phone/agency referral.

**Call / intake hours:** Residential shelter operates 24 hours/365 days per public descriptions; call business hours for non-emergency questions.

**Men / women / children:** Children/youth. Public pages reference newborn through 17 or up to 21 depending on program context.

**Eligibility / fit:** At-risk children/youth; often agency/referral-based, not an adult family shelter.

**What they offer:** Residential shelter/safe placement, counseling/support for children in crisis.

**Vacancy/usefulness note:** Use for child/youth crisis placements, not adult homelessness. Call/coordinate with DSS/appropriate agency.

### ***Trident United Way - Berkeley Center for Strong Families***

**Best for:** Berkeley residents needing navigation to shelter, housing, benefits, documents, and partner resources.

**Phone:** 843-761-6033.

**Location:** 500 S Live Oak Dr, Moncks Corner, SC 29461.

**Call / intake hours:** Call before coming; appointments recommended/required to ensure correct partner and documents.

**Men / women / children:** Adults/families; not an overnight shelter.

**Eligibility / fit:** Berkeley County residents needing resource navigation.

**What they offer:** Resource screening/referral through Berkeley Center for Strong Families and partners.

**Vacancy/usefulness note:** Important because Berkeley has few adult shelters. They can help route, but do not provide beds directly.

### ***Oxford House vacancy search - sober living openings***

**Best for:** Adults in recovery who need sober shared housing, not emergency shelter.

**Phone:** Use [oxfordvacancies.com](http://oxfordvacancies.com); individual houses list current contacts/vacancies.

**Location:** Multiple houses; search by county/city/ZIP.

**Call / intake hours:** Online vacancy search available anytime; call house contacts directly.

**Men / women / children:** Men or women depending on house; children generally not part of standard Oxford House placement.

**Eligibility / fit:** Recovery/sober-living fit; residents share expenses and house responsibilities.

**What they offer:** Self-run sober living housing.

**Vacancy/usefulness note:** This is one of the only resources with public vacancy-style listings. Not for non-recovery emergency shelter.

### ***Homeless Connection Line / One80 Place access point***

**Best for:** Central intake for people currently homeless in the Lowcountry; connects to emergency shelter, diversion, and housing resources when available.

**Phone:** 843-737-8357; One80 front desk 843-723-9477; veterans Lowcountry SSVF 843-212-8668.

**Location:** One80 Place: 35 Walnut St, Charleston, SC 29403. HCL is by phone; walk-in phone/access may be available through listed access points.

**Call / intake hours:** Call as early as possible. Public pages do not list guaranteed hotline hours; leave a callback number if not answered. One80 community lunch: Mon-Sun 1:00-1:30 PM at 35 Walnut St.

**Men / women / children:** Men, women, families, children with family, veterans; actual placement depends on bed availability and screening.

**Eligibility / fit:** Currently homeless or sleeping outside/in car/tent/abandoned building/park. At-risk renters should use 2-1-1/rental assistance instead.

**What they offer:** Diversion/problem-solving, community resource connection, emergency shelter connection if available, housing pathways.

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### ***My Sister's House - domestic violence emergency shelter***

**Best for:** Domestic violence survivors and their children needing confidential safety shelter/services.

**Phone:** 24/7 hotline 843-744-3242; toll-free 800-273-4673; business 843-747-4069.

**Location:** Confidential shelter location; mailing office in North Charleston.

**Call / intake hours:** Hotline 24/7.

**Men / women / children:** DV survivors; public directory lists women, men, non-binary, individuals and families; children services listed.

**Eligibility / fit:** Victims/survivors of domestic violence, intimate partner violence, or related safety danger in Berkeley, Charleston, or Dorchester counties.

**What they offer:** Emergency DV shelter, safety planning, advocacy, support services; public directory lists 12 beds and max stay of 60 days.

**Vacancy/usefulness note:** Always call hotline first. Vacancy can change by the hour; safety risk may affect priority.

### ***The Navigation Center - housing navigation, not overnight shelter***

**Best for:** People who need help finding the right shelter/housing path, documents, benefits, employment, health or mental health support.

**Phone:** 855-355-1200.

**Location:** 425 N Hanover St, Charleston, SC 29403.

**Call / intake hours:** Client hours Tue-Thu 9:00 AM-3:00 PM; admin/staff days Mon & Fri 9:00 AM-5:00 PM.

**Men / women / children:** Adults/families needing housing navigation; not an overnight shelter.

**Eligibility / fit:** People experiencing or at risk of homelessness who need service navigation.

**What they offer:** Connection to housing, benefits, job readiness, health/mental health and other service providers.

**Vacancy/usefulness note:** Good backup when shelter calls are going nowhere; they may know current pathways but do not provide beds onsite.

## **Regional / tri-county backups**

### **Call script**

Hi, I am helping someone who is homeless or about to be homeless in Berkeley County. I need to know if you have any open beds or upcoming openings. They are [man/woman/family with children/youth/veteran/DV survivor], and they need [emergency shelter/transitional housing/recovery housing]. What is the best intake path and what documents do they need?

Documents to ask about: photo ID, Social Security card, proof of income/SSI, birth certificates for children, medications list, disability documentation, court/probation paperwork if relevant, and TB/test/medical requirements if required.

### **Sources checked**

Public details verified from agency/government/resource pages where available. Real-time bed availability is not publicly posted; call before sending someone.

- Fair Haven Home for Men official site/contact page; FindHelp listing with phone/hours; public business/review listings describing services.
- Berkeley County Sheriff/Coroner community outreach resources listing Fair Haven, One80, Magdalene House, Salvation Army, Trident United Way.
- Landmarks for Families / Callen-Lacey public pages and resource guides: residential shelter for Berkeley County children/youth, 24/7/365 descriptions.

- Trident United Way Berkeley Help Resources: Berkeley Center for Strong Families, 500 S Live Oak Dr, 843-761-6033, call-before-coming guidance.
- Oxford House vacancy resource listed by Berkeley County resources.
- Lowcountry CoC / One80 Place HCL pages; My Sister's House public pages; Navigation Center public page.

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**For domestic violence/safety danger:** call My Sister's House 24/7 hotline at **843-744-3242** or toll-free **800-273-4673**.

## Primary county options

### *Homeless Connection Line / One80 Place access point*

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**Location:** One80 Place: 35 Walnut St, Charleston, SC 29403. HCL is by phone; walk-in phone/access may be available through listed access points.

**Call / intake hours:** Call as early as possible. Public pages do not list guaranteed hotline hours; leave a callback number if not answered. One80 community lunch: Mon-Sun 1:00-1:30 PM at 35 Walnut St.

**Men / women / children:** Men, women, families, children with family, veterans; actual placement depends on bed availability and screening.

**Eligibility / fit:** Currently homeless or sleeping outside/in car/tent/abandoned building/park. At-risk renters should use 2-1-1/rental assistance instead.

**What they offer:** Diversion/problem-solving, community resource connection, emergency shelter connection if available, housing pathways.

**Vacancy/usefulness note:** Use first for official system access, but do not assume an immediate bed. This is the gatekeeper, not a vacancy guarantee.

### *Star Gospel Mission - transitional housing*

**Best for:** Men experiencing homelessness; newer transitional housing for women and children may be available by screening.

**Phone:** 843-722-2473; info@stargospelmission.org.

**Location:** 474 Meeting St, Charleston, SC 29403.

**Call / intake hours:** Call during weekday business hours; exact intake hours not publicly posted.

**Men / women / children:** Men; women and children transitional housing listed publicly, with recent reporting of 12 beds opened for women and children.

**Eligibility / fit:** People ready for structured transitional housing, faith-based support, case management, and self-sufficiency goals. Ask about fees/program requirements.

**What they offer:** Housing, food/shelter, case management, spiritual care, wraparound social-service support.

**Vacancy/usefulness note:** Better than a pure emergency-shelter referral for people who can enter a structured program. Call to ask about openings/wait list.

### ***Neighbors Together - Families in Transition / housing connection***

**Best for:** Families needing case management and possible residential transition support; also a strong housing-referral stop.

**Phone:** 843-747-1788.

**Location:** 2105 Cosgrove Ave, North Charleston, SC 29405.

**Call / intake hours:** Weekdays 9:00 AM-12:00 PM; case management Mon-Thu by appointment 9:00 AM-12:00 PM; rent/utility applications reviewed Mon, Tue, Thu 10:00 AM-1:00 PM by appointment.

**Men / women / children:** Families; children accepted when family is chosen for residential program.

**Eligibility / fit:** Families in need; residential portion is limited and selected. Call/visit for screening.

**What they offer:** Housing resource connection, Families in Transition training/counseling, limited financial assistance, groceries/clothing/case management depending on program.

**Vacancy/usefulness note:** Not a general walk-in shelter, but useful for families and may know pathways. Do not send without appointment/call.

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**Best for:** People who need help finding the right shelter/housing path, documents, benefits, employment, health or mental health support.

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**Location:** 425 N Hanover St, Charleston, SC 29403.

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**Men / women / children:** Adults/families needing housing navigation; not an overnight shelter.

**Eligibility / fit:** People experiencing or at risk of homelessness who need service navigation.

**What they offer:** Connection to housing, benefits, job readiness, health/mental health and other service providers.

**Vacancy/usefulness note:** Good backup when shelter calls are going nowhere; they may know current pathways but do not provide beds onsite.

### ***Shield Ministries - men's re-entry/transitional program***

**Best for:** Men coming out of incarceration, addiction, homelessness, or reentry barriers who can follow a structured Christian program.

**Phone:** 843-860-6462; info@shieldministries.org.

**Location:** 5519 Woodbine Ave, North Charleston, SC 29406.

**Call / intake hours:** Call weekdays; application required. Official application page says it is not a temporary shelter.

**Men / women / children:** Men only; no children.

**Eligibility / fit:** Men appropriate for re-entry education/transitional programming, not emergency overnight shelter.

**What they offer:** Faith-based reentry education, life-skills/community support, transitional housing/program structure.

**Vacancy/usefulness note:** Use only for men who fit reentry/recovery structure; not for same-night emergency shelter.

### ***A Second Chance Resource Center - Phoenix Transitional Housing / re-entry resource***

**Best for:** Transitional housing/reentry and supportive services; details require screening.

**Phone:** Main 843-212-3866; older/public reentry lists may show 843-926-2808.

**Location:** Admin: 3255 Landmark Dr, Ste 301, North Charleston, SC 29418; outreach services Suite 303.

**Call / intake hours:** Mon-Fri 9:00 AM-5:00 PM.

**Men / women / children:** Call to confirm current program gender/eligibility; reentry/transitional housing focus.

**Eligibility / fit:** People needing transitional/reentry supports; exact criteria not fully public.

**What they offer:** Phoenix Transitional Housing, Re-Link program, youth development/staffing/supportive resources listed by agency.

**Vacancy/usefulness note:** Call first; include as backup, not emergency-bed guarantee.

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- Lowcountry CoC Homeless Connection Line: 843-737-8357 entry point for homelessness services; One80 Place Get Help and FAQ pages.
- One80 Place public pages: 35 Walnut St, 843-723-9477; community lunch Mon-Sun 1:00-1:30 PM; HCL referral.
- Star Gospel Mission public program/contact pages and 2026 reporting on added women/children beds.
- Neighbors Together public pages: 2105 Cosgrove Ave, 843-747-1788, hours and Families in Transition description.
- The Navigation Center public page: 425 N Hanover St, 855-355-1200, client/admin hours.
- DomesticShelters.org and My Sister's House public pages: 24/7 hotline, tri-county service, shelter/service details.

- Shield Ministries public pages: address, phone, men's re-entry program and not-a-temporary-shelter warning.
- A Second Chance Resource Center public pages and SC PPP transitional housing lists.

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## Primary county options

### *Keys to Change - Anchor House Men's Center*

**Best for:** Men experiencing homelessness in Dorchester/Summerville area who can participate in a structured program.

**Phone:** Men's Center 843-469-8858; admin 843-900-4315; info@keystochangesc.org.

**Location:** 9924 Jamison Rd, Ladson, SC 29456.

**Call / intake hours:** Call weekdays/business hours; online application available. Exact intake hours not publicly posted.

**Men / women / children:** Men only; no children.

**Eligibility / fit:** Men needing shelter/support who can work toward goals, employment, and independence with staff.

**What they offer:** Safe shelter, resources, support services; public page describes up to 16 guests at a time.

**Vacancy/usefulness note:** Good Dorchester-specific call-first option. Newer permanent facility and defined 16-bed capacity, but openings must be confirmed.

### *Keys to Change - Light House Women's Center*

**Best for:** Women experiencing homelessness/displacement in Summerville/Dorchester area.

**Phone:** 843-771-2094; admin 843-900-4315.

**Location:** 700 Central Ave, Summerville, SC 29483.

**Call / intake hours:** Call weekdays/business hours; exact intake hours not publicly posted.

**Men / women / children:** Women. Call to confirm whether women with children can be accepted; public pages mainly describe women's center.

**Eligibility / fit:** Women needing shelter/support who can follow program requirements.

**What they offer:** Women's shelter/support services; partner counseling has been described for current/past guests.

**Vacancy/usefulness note:** Small capacity; call as early as possible and ask best callback time. News reported first-come openings when launched.

### ***Magdalene House of Charleston - women's recovery housing***

**Best for:** Women seeking structured recovery housing related to addiction, not general family shelter.

**Phone:** 843-834-6771.

**Location:** Summerville/Ladson area; public listings show 1013 W Richardson Ave, Summerville, SC 29483. Call before sending anyone.

**Call / intake hours:** Call weekdays; exact intake hours not publicly posted.

**Men / women / children:** Women only; no children listed for residential program.

**Eligibility / fit:** Women ready for screened, structured recovery program; sobriety/recovery focus.

**What they offer:** Longer-term structured recovery housing, employment/life skills, spiritual/emotional/health support.

**Vacancy/usefulness note:** Good if addiction/recovery fit. Not an emergency family shelter; screen first.

### ***Tri-County Warming Center - seasonal cold-weather shelter***

**Best for:** Any person/family outside, in a car, or in an unheated place during severe cold.

**Phone:** Site-specific numbers are announced when activated; Dorchester County information page lists program details.

**Location:** Rotating/announced sites across tri-county when activated.

**Call / intake hours:** Only opens when temperatures reach 35°F or below; admission 7:00-9:00 PM unless announced otherwise; guests leave 7:00 AM.

**Men / women / children:** Men, women, and children welcome; no pets.

**Eligibility / fit:** People residing outside, in cars, or in unheated houses during eligible cold-weather activation.

**What they offer:** Bed, meals, clothing, and basic needs overnight during activation.

**Vacancy/usefulness note:** Only useful during official activation. Good emergency seasonal backup, not year-round shelter.

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- Keys to Change public pages: Anchor House address/phone, Light House address/phone, admin contact, 16-guest men's center description.
- Live5 News 2025 report on Keys to Change men's shelter new facility/16-bed capacity.
- ABC News 4 2019 report on Hope's House first-come women's shelter openings; public contact number.
- Magdalene House of Charleston public program pages and public listings.

- Dorchester County Tri-County Warming Center page: 35°F activation, admission 7-9 PM, exit 7 AM, men/women/children/no pets.
- Lowcountry CoC / One80 Place HCL pages; My Sister's House public pages; Navigation Center public page.