

EMERGENCY SHELTERS

Limited Availability; Mandated Restrictions/Curfews and Length of Stay Policy

DOMESTIC ABUSE SHELTER

Family Services of Blair County
2022 Broad Avenue
Altoona, PA 16602
(814) 944-3585 [Shelter Hotline]
814 944-3583, ext 342

Protective housing for adult victims of domestic violence for up to 30 days in any 6-month period. May be longer if discharge would place resident in a life-threatening situation. All victims MUST call the 24-hour hotline or main office for services and other options including safety planning.

BRIDGE HOUSING

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Female victims of severe abuse who have utilized the domestic violence emergency shelter; whose needs cannot be met within 30 days and discharge would place her in danger. A fee for service is utilized, according to HUD , regulations, not to exceed 30% of income. Intensive case management provided to help overcome barriers that inhibit her from living a life free of violence

THE SALVATION ARMY

200 7th Avenue 516 Vine Street
Altoona, PA 16602 Johnstown, PA 15901
814-946-3645 814-539-3110

Provides lodging, meals, clothing, counseling and group activities for men with drug/alcohol, emotional or social problems and those who are homeless.

ALTOONA RESCUE MISSION

1308 9th Street
Altoona, Pa 16601
814-942-2170

No cost, gospel-based emergency shelter for men. Includes room and meals.

EMERGENCY SHELTER PROJECT, INC

2700 8th Avenue
Altoona, PA 16602
814-949-3778

Temporary emergency shelter for homeless or near-homeless families and individuals. Each individual or family is assigned a bedroom and has the use of common areas. Assists women and men, women with children and men with children and intact families.

AMERICAN RESCUE WORKERS

502 Mulberry Street
Hollidaysburg, PA 16648
814-695-0762

Provides meals and clothing for Blair County residents in crisis. Based on circumstances may assist with furniture.

TEEN SHELTER

Family Services of Blair County
3718 6th Avenue
Altoona, PA 16602
Hotline: 1-800-227-8336
Hotline for GLB: 1-800-942-8101
814-941-0975

Program provides counseling and emergency shelter services for runaway and homeless youth and counseling for their family members and friends. Shelter on a 24-hour basis and available for teens age 12-17 for up to 14 days. Separate hotline for gays, lesbian and bisexual teens.