

LOCAL SHELTERS

Father Carr's (Oshkosh)

- **Address:** 1062 N. Koeller St, Oshkosh
- **Phone:** (920) 231-2378
- **Office Hours:** M-F 9am-5pm, Sat 10am-2pm, Sun 12pm-4pm
- **Length of stay:** People are allowed to stay as long as necessary (typically 1-3 months).
- **Restrictions:** If there are any of the following offenses in the past 10 years there will be an automatic denial: manufacturing of drugs, domestic violence, or sexual offenses. No smoking on property. No alcohol or drug use in shelter. There is no "day of" emergency housing. The individual will need to come in themselves or call to complete an application. They will have an answer "yes" or "no" by the next day. No food or beverage is allowed to be brought in. No Sunday "check ins". Does not serve individuals who work 2nd or 3rd shift. Individual must be able to take care of themselves.
- **Handicap Accessible:** No, unless they have a walker and can walk up the stairs for both men and women.
- **Leave during the day?** Men need to leave during the day, women and children are allowed to stay during the day.
- **Who can stay there?** Men, women, and children. There is a separate house for men and women/children.

Day by Day Warming Shelter (Oshkosh)

- **Address:** 420 Ceape Ave, Oshkosh WI, 54901
- **Phone:** (920) 203-4865
- **Hours:** 6pm to 8am, nightly
- **Length of stay:** They take 50 individuals at 6 pm. 35 beds are for individuals on Monthly Programming plans and 15 beds are "lottery style".
- **Restrictions:** No children. Individual must 18 years of age or older and be able to take care of themselves.
 - **Intake hours are Mon-Thurs 3p-5p. You cannot be a guest here without the intake being completed. Completing an intake does not guarantee a bed, it just makes it so you are eligible to join the lottery.**
- **Handicap Accessible:** Yes.
- **Who can stay there?** Men and women – 18 years +.
- Programming is mandatory for individuals on the Monthly Plans however not required for those staying in the lottery beds on a rotating basis. Any one is able to take advantage of groups, classes and appts with a social worker, Health and Human Services Coordinator, counselors and more to gain self-sufficiency in regards to Basic Needs, Housing, Employment, Financial Stability, Health and Wellness, Social Connectedness, Sobriety, Education and Transportation. If enrolled in an LTS program (e.g. Lakeland Care, Community Care), DBD will not accept you.

COTS (Appleton and Oshkosh)

- **Addresses/Phone Numbers:**
 - 1003 W. College Ave, Appleton - (920) 843-7269 - (Women's and Young Adult Program)
 - 819 S. West Ave, Appleton - (920) 515-2808 - (Men's, Veteran's and Young Adult Program)
 - 1058 N. Koeller St, Oshkosh - (920) 205-6128 (Men's Program)
- **Length of stay:** Residents can live at COTS for up to two years.
- **Restrictions:** Individual must be able to care for themselves. Referrals are from crisis care facilities as COTS is the bridge to independent housing. The individual will need to complete a paper application

available online at www.appletoncots.org. We screen background histories. COTS will not take anyone who has these charges:

- a. **Violent charges, child abuse/neglect, arson, some severe theft cases (Oshkosh location-No Sex offender/sex related crimes) (Appleton location-can take sex offenders depending on severity)**
- **Who can stay there?** Men and woman 18years +.
 - **Important note:** Individuals who are staying at any of the COTS locations need to have some source of income. The monthly program fees are \$285/month, and \$385 to move in (one month's program fees + \$100 security deposit).

Pillars (Appleton)

Adult and Family Shelter (previously known as Homeless Connections)

- **Address:** 400 N Division Street, Appleton
- **Phone:** (920) 734-9192
- **Hours:** Open 24 hours per day.
- **Length of stay:** People are allowed to stay as long as necessary as long as they are working with a case manager and following the rules.
- **Restrictions:** No sexual or violent crime history, and no drug or alcohol usage. Individual must be able to take care of themselves.
- **Handicap Accessible:** Yes.
- **Leave during the day?** No, other than on some Tuesdays, they are asked to leave for bed checks and to clean from 9am-3pm.
- **Who can stay there?** There are programs for men and woman 18years + and children/families.

Adult Shelter (previously known as The Fox Valley Warming Shelter)

- **Address:** 1928 W. College Ave, Appleton
- **Phone:** (920) 734-9192
- **Hours:** 4:30pm-8am
- **Length of stay:** A new individual needs to call daily to reserve a spot. They will either get a call back or can show up at the shelter at 4:30pm to see if a spot opened up. Otherwise individuals who have been staying there can reserve a spot for that night before they leave for the day.
- **Restrictions:** Individual must be able to take care of themselves. No children.
- **Handicap Accessible:** Yes.
- **Leave during the day?** Yes at 8am Monday-Saturday, 9am on Sunday.
- **Who can stay there?** Men and women 18years +.

Christine Ann - Domestic Violence Shelter (Oshkosh)

- **Address:** 240 Algoma Blvd, Oshkosh
- **Phone:** (920) 235-5998
- **Hours:** Their hotline hours are available 24/7; their general business hours are 8am-4pm.
- **Length of stay:** People are allowed to stay as long as necessary and as long as domestic abuse is involved; they will do whatever they need to help.
- **Restrictions:** No bed bugs. Individual must be able to take care of themselves.
- **Handicap Accessible:** Yes.

- **Leave during the day?** No.
- **Who can stay there?** There are programs for men and woman 18 years + and families who are victims of domestic abuse. *Advocacy services are available outside of shelter for men and women.

Harbor House - Domestic Violence Shelter (Appleton)

- **Address:** 720 W. 5th St, Appleton
- **Phone:** (920) 832-1666
- **Hours:** Their hotline hours are available 24/7; their general business hours are 8am-4pm.
- **Length of stay:** People are allowed to stay as long as necessary and as long as domestic abuse is involved they will do whatever they need to help.
- **Restrictions:** No bed bugs. No current use of alcohol or drugs. Individual must be able to take care of themselves.
- **Handicap Accessible:** Yes.
- **Who can stay there?** Women and children who are victims of domestic abuse. *Advocacy services are available outside of shelter for men and women.

St. Katherine Drexel's – Homeless Shelter and Domestic Violence Shelter (Fond du Lac)

- **Address:** 358 N. Peters Ave Fond Du Lac, WI
- 75 W. Division St, Fond du Lac (domestic abuse shelter)
- **Phone:** (920) 922-8122 (homeless shelter) and (920) 923-2880 (domestic abuse shelter)
- **Hours:** Shelter is open 24 hours per day.
- **Length of stay:** People are allowed to stay as long as necessary based on their needs.
 - In domestic abuse situations: Can stay as long as needed.
 - Homeless shelter: 60-90 days.
- **Restrictions:** They do background checks and decide based on findings. Individual must be able to take care of themselves.
- **Handicap Accessible:** No (homeless shelter) Yes (domestic abuse shelter)
- **Leave during the day?** No.
- **Domestic Abuse Shelter - Who can stay there?** Men, women, and children who are victims of domestic abuse. *Advocacy services are available outside of shelter for men and women.
- **Homeless Shelter - Who can stay there?** Men, women, children.

Advocap: Offers a homeless program with several sub-programs (Rapid Rehousing, Permanent Supportive Housing, Tenant Based Housing, and Prevention). An individual can call to be screened for their homeless program at (920) 426-0150. Note that they have wait lists that are about 6 months-2 years long. Their wait list is prioritized by who has the greatest need. There is no immediate housing offered and they are not able to pay for a motel/hotel voucher. This is for individuals who are: 1) Literally homeless either in shelter/ on motel voucher or sleeping in a place not meant for human habitation (car, storage unit, park bench). 2) Doubled up (sleeping at night in someone else's home) AND must be out within 14 days. 3) Doubled up (sleeping at night in someone else's home) AND have a sustainable income. 4) Have a 5-day eviction. 5) Fleeing domestic violence.