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INDIVIDUAL SHELTERS FOR WOMEN

BRISTOL LODGE WOMEN'S SHELTER

205 Bacon Street

Waltham, MA 02451

(781) 893-0108: 9am sharp Mon.-Fri. – pre-screening only if openings are available

(781) 894-1225: evening number only

Capacity: 12 beds

Length of Stay: 3 months in/ 1 month out

Services: Counseling, 1 meal per day, clothing by referral, lockers

Restrictions: Sober women (drug/alcohol testing); need photo ID; out of shelter from 7:45am-6pm, 7pm curfew

Referral: Self

FATHER BILL'S PLACE

39 Broad Street

Quincy, MA 02169

(617) 770-3314

Length of stay: 3 days, line up at 3:00, intake at 4:00

Services: offer housing, counseling, meals

Restrictions: 18 or older

Referral: Self

HARVARD SQUARE HOMELESS SHELTER/ UNIVERSITY LUTHERN SHELTER

(Closed for the summer)

66 Winthrop Street

Cambridge, MA 02138

(617) 547-2841 or 1(855) 367-2353 (to enter housing lottery)

Capacity: 19-20 men, 4-5 women

Length of Stay: 2 weeks at a time (may change)

Services: Advocacy, breakfast and dinner

Restrictions: Sobriety, seasonal (open from Nov. 15 – Apr. 15)

Referral: Self (call at 7:30am to enter lottery)

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HEADING HOME

*103-109 School Street
Cambridge, MA 02139*

(617) 547-1885

Capacity: 15 men, 6 women

Length of Stay: 1-3 nights, extensions available

Services: Case management, 2 meals per weekday, 3 meals per weekend, clothing, referrals

Restrictions: clean, sober, cooperative

Referrals: Human Service Agency (call at 10am)

PINE STREET INN- WOMEN'S

*363 Albany Street
Boston, MA*

(617) 892- 9100

Capacity: 100+ beds

Length of Stay: Unlimited

Services: Counseling, 2 meals a day, Spanish, handicap accessible, medical clinic, emergency clothing, washing machines

Restrictions: Women only, 8:15pm curfew

Referrals: Self (submit name from 2pm-3pm for daily lottery)

ROSIE'S PLACE

*889 Harrison Avenue
Boston, MA 02118*

(617) 442-9322

Capacity: 20 women

Length of Stay: 21 nights

Services: Advocacy, nurse and doctors, day programs, workshops, lockers, mail services, food pantry, showers, laundry, lunch and dinner

Restrictions: Sobriety, must be 18 or older, 9pm curfew

Referral: Self (8am lottery Mon. to Fri, 10am lottery Sat. and Sun.)

SANCTA MARIA

*11 Waltham Street
Boston, MA 02118*

(617) 423-4366

Capacity: 10 women

Length of Stay: 7 nights a month

Services: Breakfast and snacks, clothing, access to translators, shower, toiletries, laundry

Restrictions: Sobriety, open 8am-7pm, 10pm curfew, call at 7-8am

Referral: Another shelter, social worker, SSA, priest, police officer

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SHATTUCK SHELTER (PINE STREET)

170 Morton Street

Jamaica Plain, MA 02130

(617) 892-9100 (Hospital)

(617) 892-7917 (Shelter)

Capacity: 97 men, 23 women

Length of Stay: Unlimited, one-time or permanent

Services: Counseling, 3 meals per day, emergency clothing, mental health services, medical clinic and care, Spanish, Haitian, Portuguese, handicap accessible, transportation, lockers

Restrictions: must be 18 or older, organization for transition

Referral: Show up between 3:30 and 6pm for 6pm lottery.

ST. PATRICK'S SHELTER

270 Washington Street

Somerville, MA 02143

(617) 628-3015

Capacity: 35

Length of Stay: Variable

Services: Advocacy and counseling by referral, medical care by referral, 2 meals per day, lockers

Restrictions: Women only, sobriety, out by 7:30am. Must be at the shelter for lottery at 3pm.

QUEEN OF PEACE

401 Quincy Street

Dorchester, MA 02125

(617) 288-4182

Capacity: 11

Length of Stay: 3 weeks

Services: Meals

Restrictions: Out by 8:30am and back by 4pm, must be 21 and older. Closed to admissions on Fridays.

Referral: Not necessary

WOODS MULLEN SHELTER

784 Rear Massachusetts Avenue

Boston, MA 02118

(617) 534-7100

Capacity: 124 men, 66 women

Length of Stay: Unlimited

Services: Advocacy and counseling, nurse with referral, 3 meals per day, clothing, Spanish

Restrictions: Sobriety

Referral: Self (first come, first serve – names are taken starting at 1pm)