

## HOPWA (Housing Opportunities for People with AIDS) Funded Agencies City of Houston Housing and Community Development

The City of Houston's HOPWA Program offers several housing options for persons living with and affected with HIV. The agencies listed below receive HOPWA funds to provide Housing and Housing-related services.

**Scan the list of agency's below to find an agency that provides the service that you need.**

<b><u>A Caring Safe Place, Inc.</u></b> Administers and operates two community residences, which provides housing and supportive services for persons with chemical addiction and/or alcohol dependency problems. <b>713-225-5441</b>	<b><u>Avenue 360</u></b> Administers a short-term rent, mortgage and utility assistance and tenant-based rental assistance program with supportive services. <b>713-426-0027</b>
<b><u>Access Care of Coastal Texas, Inc.</u></b> Administers a short-term rent, mortgage and utility assistance and tenant-based rental assistance program with supportive services. <b>409-763-2437</b>	<b><u>Houston HELP, Inc.</u></b> Operates a community residence, and provides supportive services. <b>713-741-4070</b>
<b><u>AIDS Foundation Houston, Inc.</u></b> Operate four community residences, and provides supportive services. <b>713-623-6796</b>	<b><u>Houston SRO Housing Corporation</u></b> Operates community residence for individuals and couples, and supportive services for homeless veterans. <b>713-526-9470</b>
<b><u>AMMA</u></b> <b>Association for the Advancement of Mexican American</b> Administers a supportive services program. Administran programas de servicios de apoyo. <b>713-967-6700</b>	<b><u>Houston Volunteer Lawyers Program, Inc.</u></b> Operates a legal services program, which provides counsel and advice on civil matters including housing, family law, public benefits, disability, employment and discrimination. <b>713-228-0735 x 121</b>
<b><u>Brentwood Community Foundation</u></b> Administers a short-term rent, mortgage and utility assistance program, operates a community residence and provides supportive services. <b>713-852-1452</b>	<b><u>Montrose Counseling Center</u></b> Administers a short-term rent, mortgage and utility assistance and tenant-based rental assistance program with supportive services. <b>713-529-0037</b>
<b><u>Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston</u></b> Administers a short-term rent, mortgage and utility assistance and tenant-based rental assistance program with supportive services. <b>713-526-4611</b>	<b><u>SEARCH, Inc.</u></b> Provides childcare and early childhood education to children between the ages of 12 months and six years. Provides case management/education. <b>713-739-7752</b>
<b><u>Goodwill Industries of Houston</u></b> Administers a supportive services job training program. <b>713-692-6221</b>	<b><u>The Men's Recenter</u></b> Nonprofit striving to aid homeless men and woman with alcohol and drug addictions. <b>713-524-3682</b>

The eligibility requirements for HOPWA-funded services are very basic, but there are several housing options for HIV + persons living on a fixed income, as well as for those with special needs. Participants in the HOPWA Program must meet the following requirements to be eligible to receive services:

- Meet the definition of low income to medium income; for Tenant Based Rental Assistance and Community Resources must be at 50% or below;
- Have an HIV positive diagnosis; and
- Live in the Houston EMSA (Eligible Metropolitan Statistical Area) Principal Cities: Houston, The Woodlands, Sugarland, Baytown, Conroe Counties: Austin, Brazoria, Chambers, Fort Bend, Galveston, Harris, Liberty, Montgomery, Waller.

**Please check with the service provider for additional eligibility requirements, restrictions and limitations.**

**If you have any questions, please contact: Melody Barr at 832-394-6124**