

## ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

### City of Austin Health and Human Services

Contact: 972-6840  
Mon.–Fri. 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

### El Buen Samaritano

Description: Helps with ESL classes, citizenship classes, GED classes, Adult Basic education classes, computer literacy classes, health clinic, and short-term counseling.

Contact: <http://www.elbuen.org/>  
Phone: 439-0700

### The Housing Authority of the City of Austin

Description: Referrals to housing programs.  
Contact: <http://www.hacanet.org/resources/DentalClinic>  
Contact: 1201 E. Cesar Chavez, Austin, TX 78702  
Phone: 477-2319

### 2-1-1 Texas

Description: Provides assistance in areas of food, shelter, rent assistance, counseling, senior services, child care, disaster relief and after-school programs. This service is available 24 hours/ 7 days a week.  
Phone: dial 211  
Phone (alternate): 1-877-541-7905

For access to internet, visit any public Austin library.  
Contact: Reference Phone Number: 974-7400

# Amos Guild SOCIAL SERVICES GUIDE

Purpose: To provide information about social services available to people who need assistance.

How to Use this Guide:

1. Find the section for the area of need, i.e. clothing, food, healthcare, etc.
2. Select one of the church ministries or external organizations from that section's list. For church ministries, please make sure that you meet any requirements as mentioned in the "Serves" statement.
3. Contact that church ministry or external organization for assistance.

## CLOTHING

### Church Ministries

#### Trinity Center

Serves: Single- and two-parent families, foster parents, or families with a pregnant mother  
Contact: Melanie Behrends at 610-3515

#### Next to New

Women's Clothing  
Contact: Pam O'Conner at 926-0498

### External Organizations

**Family Thrift Store (Low-cost)**  
208 E. Oltorf, Austin, TX 78704  
Phone: 443-3338

**Salvation Army Thrift Store**  
4216 S. Congress Ave, Austin, TX 78745  
Phone: 447-4044

**South First Community Center**  
2529 South First Street, Austin, TX 78704  
Phone: 972-6840  
TDD: 972-4733

**St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Shop**  
1327 S. Congress, Austin, TX 78704  
Phone: 442-5652

## EMPLOYMENT

### Church Ministries

#### Job Groups

Serves: Members of St. David's unemployed and underemployed  
Contact: Rev. Ron Smith, 610-3500

### External Organizations

**Capital Metro – Job Line**  
Phone: 389-7450

#### Goodwill

Phone: 480-0772

**Self Help and Advocacy Center (S.H.A.C.)**  
3205 South 1st St., Austin, TX 78704  
Phone: 442-3366

**Texas Workforce Commission**  
Employees Hotline: 1-800-832-2829

**Texas Workforce Commission – Project RIO**  
(for formerly imprisoned people)  
Employees Hotline: 1-800-832-2829

**WorkSource – East Career Center**  
ACC Eastview Campus  
3401 Webberville Road, Bldg. 1000, Austin, TX 78702  
Phone: 223-5400

**WorkSource – South Career Center**  
4175 Freidrich Lane, Suite 200, Austin, TX 78744  
Phone: 381-4200



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## FURNITURE

### Church Ministries

Next to New  
For beds contact Pam O’Conner at 926-0498.  
Main Contact: 459-1288

### External Organizations (No-cost/ Low-cost)

**Austin Furniture Consignment**  
Phone: 218-1888

**Catholic Charities of Central Texas**  
1817 E. 6th St., Austin, TX 78702  
Phone: 651-6102

**Salvation Army Thrift Store**  
4216 S. Congress Ave, Austin, TX 78745  
Phone: 447-4044

## FINANCIAL

### Church Ministries

Serves: Members of St. David’s parishioners  
Contact: Rev. Ron Smith at 610-3500

### External Organizations

**Caritas of Austin**  
611 Neches St, Austin, TX 78701-3324  
Phone: 479-4610

## FOOD

### External Organizations

**Abiding Love Lutheran Church**  
7210 Brush Country Rd, Austin, Texas 78749  
Phone: 512-892-4040

**Caritas of Austin**  
611 Neches, Austin, TX 78704  
Phone: 472-4135  
Community/Soup Kitchen Hours:  
Mon - Fri: 11 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

**Meals on Wheels**  
Phone: 476-6325

**South Austin Church,Angel Food Box & Food Pantry**  
6711 Manchaca Rd, Austin TX 78745  
Phone: 442-8476

## HEALTHCARE

### Church Ministries

**Parish Nurse**  
Serves: Members of St. Davids; monthly blood pressure reading and seasonal flu shots  
Contact: Church Office at 610-3500  
Hours of Service: 2nd Sunday of each month from 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. in Sumners Hall

### External Organizations

**D.A.R.S.**  
(TX Dept. of Assistive & Rehabilitative Services)  
2416 A South Lamar Blvd., Austin, TX 78704  
Phone: 383-7040

**El Buen Samaritano**  
7000 Woodhue Dr, Austin TX 78745  
For appointment at clinic: 512-439-0701  
General Phone: 439-0700

**People’s Community Clinic**  
2909 N. IH 35, Austin, TX 78722  
Phone: 478-4939

**Respite Care**  
ARC of the Capital Area  
2818 San Gabriel, Austin, TX 78705  
Phone: 476-7044

**Seton South Clinic**  
Seton South Community Health Center  
3706 S. First St, Austin, TX 78704  
Phone: 324-4940

**South Austin Community Health Center**  
2529 South First Street, Austin, TX 78704  
Phone: 972-4722  
TDD: 972-4733

**St. David’s - South Austin Hospital**  
901 W. Ben White Blvd, Austin, TX 78704  
Phone: 447-2211

**Texas Department of Aging and Disability Services**  
701 W. 51st St. Austin, Texas 78751  
Phone: 438-3011

**University Medical Center at Brackenridge Hospital**  
601 East 15th Street, Austin, TX 78701  
Phone: 324-7000

## LEGAL

### External Organizations

**Catholic Charities – Immigration Legal Services**  
1817 E. 6th St., Austin, TX 78702  
Phone: 651-6110

**Lawyer Referral Service**  
Phone: 472-8303

**State Attorney Generals Office**  
Phone: 1-800-252-8011

**Texas Law Help**  
<http://www.texaslawhelp.org/>

**Texas Rio Grande Legal Aid, Inc.**  
a) Austin Office  
4920 N. IH-35  
Phone: 707-0733  
b) Legal Aid, Inc.  
4920 N. IH-35  
Phone: 374-2700

**Volunteer Legal Services of Central Texas**  
816 Congress Ave., Suite 701, Austin, TX 78701  
Phone: 512-476-5550 or 1-800-707-5550

## SPIRITUAL/EMOTIONAL

### Church Ministries

**Parish Clergy**  
Serves: Anyone requesting services  
Contact: Ron Smith at 610 - 3500

### External Organizations

**Annunciation Home in Georgetown**  
3610 Shell Road, Georgetown, TX 78628  
Phone: 512-864-7755 or 1-877-714-2836

**Austin Resource Center for the Homeless (ARCH)**  
500 East 7th St. (at Neches), Austin, TX 78701  
Phone: 305-4100

**Caritas of Austin**  
611 Neches, Austin, TX 78704  
For appointment to get services: 472-4135  
Main Phone: 479-4610  
Front Desk & Community Access Hours:  
Mon, Wed, Thurs: 8 a.m. - 4:45 p.m.  
Tues: 8 a.m. – 6:45 p.m.  
Fri: 8 a.m. - 11:45 a.m

**Salvation Army Thrift Store**  
Locations:  
a) 4216 S. Congress Ave, Austin, TX 78745  
Phone: -447- 4044  
b) 501 E. 8th St., Austin, TX 78701  
Phone: 476-1111  
**Marywood**  
510 W. 26th St., Austin, TX 78705  
Phone Number: 1–800–251–5433

## TRANSPORTATION

### External Organizations

**Capital Metro**  
Phone Numbers:  
TDD (people with hearing impairments): 385-5872  
Information Center (Ticket & passes): 389-7475  
GO Line: 512-474-1200  
Toll-free GO Line: 1-800-474-1201 (from any local phone booth)

## UTILITIES

### External Organizations

**Travis County Human Services**  
Phone: 854-4100

**Caritas of Austin**  
Phone: 472-4135

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