



Seeking Shelter

- Students/Families
 - Contact the Office of Homeless Services (OHS) Prevention, Diversion and Intake team to discuss available homeless assistance programs.
 - Call the Homelessness Prevention Hotline @ 215-686-7177 and follow the instructions.
 - Visit a City-funded [INTAKE CENTER](#).
 - Children are not required to be with the head of household when visiting one of the intake sites when requesting shelter placement assistance.
 - If a family needs immediate shelter after hours they can report to the designated after hours shelters.
- Unaccompanied Youth
 - Contact a Youth Designated Access Point
 - Valley Youth House @ 1880 JFK Blvd Suite 660
 - 1-888-468-7315 or 215-925-3180
 - Mon-Thurs 8:30am-5:30pm
 - Eddie's House @ 2321 North Broad Street
 - 215-921-8375 or 215-307-3273
 - Mon-Fri 10am-5pm
 - If a student is under 21, they can contact Covenant House PA directly (including pregnant/parenting youth) @ 215-951-5411.
 - If a student is under 18 and not involved in the foster care system, they can contact a federally funded [Basic Center](#) where they can reside for up to 21 days.
- Domestic Violence
 - Contact [Women Against Abuse](#).

For more information or for any questions please reach out to the Education for Children and Youth Experiencing Homelessness (ECYEH) team at ecyeh@philasd.org