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| Addressing Homelessness The Scott-Carver Housing Coalition was formed in 1990 to focus on issues and resources needed to curb homelessness in Scott & Carver Counties. In 2010, the Coalition formed the Heading Home Scott-Carver work group to develop a 10-year plan to end homelessness. The plan has five broad goals:   1. Prevent Homelessness 2. Increase Housing Opportunities 3. Increase Outreach 4. Increase Service Delivery 5. Increase Community Awareness and Involvement in Ending Homelessness   In 2015, members of the Housing Coalition adopted a Coordinated Entry System to increase outreach and improve service delivery to those who are experiencing homelessness. This system uses housing assessments to match the needs of people experiencing homelessness with resources in the community. Data gathered through this process helps raise community awareness and involvement in ending homelessness, which leads to increased support for additional housing resources. | Rental Assistance If you are seeking assistance with past due housing expenses to keep your current housing or need some financial assistance to cover a damage deposit or first month’s rent, please contact the Greater Twin Cities United Way – 211 to learn more about how to access the available resources.  Call **211** or **(651) 291-0211**  **Emergency Assistance**  **Carver County:** Call (952) 361-1600 or (888) 966-6379 for more information on how to apply  **Scott County:** Call (952) 496-8686 for more information on how to apply  **Shelter**  **Youth:** Please visit <https://ysnmn.org/#/home> and/or contact Launch Ministry <https://www.launchministry.org/get-help/>  **Families:** Please call **Families Moving Forward** (952) 767-0708  **Survivors of Domestic Violence:** Please call **DayOne Services** 1-866-223-1111 and/or **Southern Valley Alliance** (952) 873-4214  **Single Adults:** Please call the **CAP Agency** 952-496-2125 (option 4) for assistance identifying shelter options and/or for access to a shelter waitlist. | Homeless?  Matching Needs with Resources. For Youth/Single Adults/Families in the Scott/Carver Region who do not have a safe & stable place to live |
| *Housing Assessment* If you are experiencing homelessness you may be eligible for a housing assessment.  This assessment determines if you are eligible to be added to the Suburban Metro Area Continuum of Care Coordinated Entry Priority List. Many of the local programs that offer housing for households experiencing homelessness, both families & single adults, take their referrals directly from this list.  To find out if you are eligible to receive an assessment, contact the agency most appropriate for you using the ‘*Coordinated Entry Access Points*’ listings provided in this brochure. | **While we can’t promise that we’ll be able to meet your housing needs immediately, completing a Housing Assessment gets the process started. The assessment is used to match your housing needs with resources available in the community** | Coordinated Entry Access Points **Scott County Single Adults & Families**:  **CAP Agency**  *738 1st Ave E, Shakopee, MN 55379*  Families of any age and adults over the age of 25 who are experiencing homelessness and living in Scott County should contact the CAP Agency for Coordinated Entry  Call: **(952) 496-2125 x4**  Email: [**info@capagency.org**](mailto:info@capagency.org)  Visit: [**https://capagency.org/contact-us/**](https://capagency.org/contact-us/)  **Carver County Single Adults & Families:**  **His House Foundation**  *115 E 4th St, Chaska, MN 55318*  Families of any age and adults over the age of 25 who are experiencing homelessness and living in Carver County should contact His House Foundation for Coordinated Entry  Call: (**612) 325-4693**  Email: [**infohhfabundance@gmail.com**](mailto:infohhfabundance@gmail.com)  Visit: [**https://www.hhfabundance.com/book-online**](https://www.hhfabundance.com/book-online)  **Scott & Carver County Youth** (*Ages 18-25*):  **Launch Ministry**  *110 W 2nd St., Chaska 55318*  Youth ages 18-25 living in Scott or Carver Counties who are experiencing homelessness should contact Launch Ministry for Coordinated Entry  Call: **(952) 236-7141**  Email: [**admin@launchministry.org**](mailto:admin@launchministry.org)  Visit: [**https://www.launchministry.org/get-help/**](https://www.launchministry.org/get-help/) |