

LOCAL RESOURCES

Caldwell Food Pantry

8504 Caldwell Rd Waterford, WI 53185
262-662-2679

Love, Inc.

Provides a food pantry, clothing, school supplies, counseling, and information for rent assistance, energy assistance, and emergency lodging

780 S Pine Street, Burlington, WI 53105
262-763-6226
www.love-inc.net

Transitional Living Center (TLC) Shelter

Provides information and referral, short - term emergency shelter for women and children , transitional living services, and financial mentoring.

482 S. Pine Street, Burlington, WI 53105
(262) 767-1478
www.tlcburlington.com

Emergency Assistance

Financial assistance for families facing a current emergency due to fire, flood, natural disaster, or homelessness (including potential eviction) due to a financial crisis. Eligibility requirements apply, along with required documentation.

ResCare Inc., 2113 W. Wisconsin Street
Racine, WI (262) 637-9774

Call 211 for community resources

Impact in Milwaukee covers Racine County. If 211 does not work from your phone, call toll-free at 866-211-3380, and also report the issue. Searchable online database is available at: <http://www.impactinc.org/>

If you need further assistance, call the National Center for Homeless Education at the toll free Helpline: 1-800-308-2145

If you are personally aware of or are acquainted with any children who may qualify according to the above criteria, please contact Kelli Vogt, homeless liaison. See contact information below.

IT IS YOUR RIGHT TO APPEAL A SCHOOL'S DECISION

Parents, Guardians, and unaccompanied youth living in temporary housing have a right to appeal a school's decision. Please contact the Homeless Liaison to appeal.

WASHINGTON CALDWELL SCHOOL DISTRICT



INFORMATION FOR FAMILIES IN TRANSITION

8937 Big Bend Road
Waterford WI 53185
262.662.3466
www.washcald.com

WHAT IS THE MCKINNEY VENTO HOMELESS ASSISTANCE ACT?

A federal law that provides certain rights and protections for families experiencing homelessness

Students age 21 and younger may be eligible to receive help with the following services:

- School lunch
- School supplies
- Transportation
- Educational Support
- School Fees
- Opportunities to participate in extracurricular activities

DISTRICT CONTACT INFORMATION

Kelli Vogt
Washington Caldwell School District
Homeless Education Liaison
262-662-3466
kvogt@washcald.com

If you know or suspect a student is homeless, notify the Washington Caldwell School District Homeless Liaison.

MCKINNEY VENTO ACT EDUCATIONAL RIGHTS FOR EVERY STUDENT

- Attend school, no matter where they live now or how long they've lived there. You don't need a permanent address to enroll in school.
- Not be denied school enrollment just because school records or other enrollment documentation are not immediately available.
- Enroll and attend classes in the parents' school of choice even while the school and parents seek to resolve a dispute over enrollment.
- Continue in the school they attended before they became homeless, if that is the parents' choice and is feasible.
- Receive transportation to and from the school the child last attended prior to becoming homeless, if the parent/guardian requests it.
- Attend a school and participate in school programs with children who are not homeless.
- Participate in extracurricular activities and all federal, state, or local programs for which he/she is eligible.

WHO IS HOMELESS?

Children and youth who lack fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence including children and youth who are:

Doubling Up or Sharing the housing of another person due to loss of housing or economic hardship.

Living in motels, hotels, trailer parks, cars, public spaces, abandoned buildings, substandard housing, bus or train stations, or campgrounds.

Living in emergency or transitional shelters.

Migratory children who are living in circumstances described above.

Unaccompanied youth, including youth who are not in the physical custody of a parent or guardian, such as runaway or youth who have been denied housing by their family.