

# Statewide Resource List



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## Legal Services Organizations

### RESOLUTION MASSACHUSETTS

(617) 287-4048

#### **Services:**

Mediation – can help at any stage before an eviction is filed or during the court process. There are 13 community center non-profits across the state.

**Website:** [www.resolutionma.org/housing](http://www.resolutionma.org/housing)

### COVID EVICTION LEGAL HELP PROJECT

1-866-584-0653

#### **Services:**

Legal representation in Housing Court; referrals; provide legal information and assistance. Support for tenants at risk of losing subsidized housing.

**Website:** [www.mass.gov/service-details/homebase](http://www.mass.gov/service-details/homebase)

### MASSACHUSETTS COMMISSION AGAINST DISCRIMINATION

(617) 994-6000

#### **Services:**

Legal services for housing discrimination – investigate and prosecute complaints of discrimination in housing and other areas.

**Website:** [www.mass.gov/orgs/massachusetts-commission-against-discrimination](http://www.mass.gov/orgs/massachusetts-commission-against-discrimination)

### MASSACHUSETTS ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE

(617) 727-8400

#### **Services:**

Application assistance - help with filing up rental application form (RAFT/ERMA).

Eviction prevention – if landlord tries to enforce eviction without a court order (fill out form below or call).

**Website:** [www.mass.gov/guides/resources-during-covid-19#-housing-](http://www.mass.gov/guides/resources-during-covid-19#-housing-)  
[www.mass.gov/forms/eviction-help-request](http://www.mass.gov/forms/eviction-help-request)

### MASS LEGAL HELP

(617) 287-4048

#### **Services:**

Legal Information website.

**Website:** [www.masslegalhelp.org/housing-homelessness](http://www.masslegalhelp.org/housing-homelessness)

### MASSACHUSETTS LEGAL RESOURCE FINDER

#### **Services:**

Directory of legal resource programs. No legal advice.

**Website:** [masslrf.org/en/home](http://masslrf.org/en/home)

## **Housing Stabilization**

### **DHCD EMERGENCY HOUSING**

#### **ASSISTANCE**

(866) 584-0653

#### **Services:**

Emergency shelter coordination for eligible families.

**Website:** [www.mass.gov/how-to/find-emergency-family-shelter](http://www.mass.gov/how-to/find-emergency-family-shelter)

### **HOMEBASE**

1-866-584-0653

#### **Services:**

Financial assistance - provide families who are in the emergency shelter assistance system an opportunity to overcome some of the financial barriers to ending their homelessness. (State's re-housing benefit).

**Website:** [www.mass.gov/service-details/homebase](http://www.mass.gov/service-details/homebase)

### **MASSACHUSETTS COALITION FOR THE HOMELESS**

(781) 595-7570 ext. 36

#### **Services:**

Provide a number of programs for those at risk of homelessness.

**Website:** [mahomeless.org](http://mahomeless.org)

## **Financial Assistance**

### **DEPARTMENT OF TRANSITIONAL**

#### **ASSISTANCE**

(877) 382-2363

#### **Services:**

Financial assistance - economic assistance (cash benefits and SNAP benefits) programs to help families and individuals meet basic needs.

#### **Email:**

**Website:** [www.mass.gov/orgs/departments-of-transitional-assistance](http://www.mass.gov/orgs/departments-of-transitional-assistance)

## **Food Resources**

### **Project Bread:**

1-(800) 645-8333 (Food Source Hotline)

[www.projectbread.org/get-help](http://www.projectbread.org/get-help)

## **Mutual Aid Societies**

### **COVID-19 Mutual Aid Network List:**

<https://www.massjwj.net/news/2020/3/17/cover-19-mutual-aid-networks>  
(links by location)

## **Other**

**Massachusetts Information and Referral Hotline:** Call 211

**Regional Admin Agency Finder:** [Click Here](#)