



YOUTH RESOURCE GUIDE



The Miami-Dade County Homeless Trust and HOMY

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Miami-Dade County Homeless Trust

Founded in 1993, the Miami-Dade County Homeless Trust organizes and directs the Miami-Dade County Homeless Plan, administers proceeds of a 1% food and beverage tax dedicated to homelessness, and serves in an advisory capacity to the Miami-Dade County board of County Commissioners on issues involving homelessness. The Trust's 27-member volunteer board includes representation from business, religious, educational, provider and civic communities, along with formerly homeless individuals. To learn more about the Homeless Trust, visit www.homelesstrust.org.

Miami-Dade County Homeless Trust Youth Homelessness Working Group

Created in 2016, the Homeless Trust Youth Homelessness Working Group is composed of key subject-matter experts in the areas of homelessness, behavioral healthcare, employment, education, youth and family services. The Working Group collaborates with the Miami-Dade community and The HOMY Collective to develop policies and procedures to implement a unified, collaborative response to prevent and end youth homelessness in Miami-Dade.

The HOMY Collective: Helping Our Miami-Dade Youth

The HOMY Collective is a collaborative of 100 organizations and youth leaders working to prevent and end youth homelessness in Miami-Dade County. Our vision is that every youth experiencing homelessness has access to immediate shelter. Youth homelessness in Miami-Dade County will be a rare occurrence and, when it does occur it will be a brief and one-time experience. Miami-Dade County is committed to ensuring that every youth experiencing homelessness has access to immediate shelter and that no youth spends a single night on the streets, in a car, or in any location not meant for human habitation. Our community is committed to equal access and equitable outcomes for youth of color, LGBTQ+ youth, and youth with disabilities. For a full list of our members and to learn more about HOMY, visit www.homycollective.org.

Miami Homes For All

Miami Homes For All (MHFA) believes that everyone deserves a place to call home. Since 1985, Miami Homes For All has worked to end and prevent homelessness in Miami-Dade County. We believe that everyone in Miami deserves to lead a dignified, healthy, and vibrant life. That includes everyone from those struggling to make ends meet to those experiencing homelessness. Armed with the best research available, and convinced that together we can accomplish more, we collaborate with people across the entire spectrum of our community to identify the best ideas and to turn our vision into reality: a Miami where everyone has a safe and stable home. To learn more about MHFA, visit www.miamihomesforall.org.

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YOUTH ACCESS POINTS + OTHER IMPORTANT NUMBERS

<p>Youth Access Points (YAPs) are agencies that are here for YOU regardless of race, gender, or sexual orientation. YAPs can help you get into housing programs and other services. If you do not have a safe and stable place to sleep, you are on your own, and you are between the ages of 13-24, please call one of the following organizations:</p>			
Youth Access Point Agency	Phone Number	Website	Hours of Operation and Services & Programs Provided
HOMELESS HELPLINE	Helpline: 1-877-994-HELP (4357)	www.homelesstrust.org	Monday – Friday 8:00 – 5:00 PM The Homeless Helpline provides services for individuals and families who are homeless or are about to be homeless.
CAMILLUS HOUSE <i>1603 NW 7th Ave, Miami, FL, 33136</i>	305-374-1065 ext. 109	www.camillushouse.org	Monday – Friday 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM Camillus House provides services for youth ages 18-24 experiencing poverty and homelessness, including behavior health treatment, housing, and health care.
CITRUS HEALTH NETWORK <i>8715 SW 81st St, Miami, FL, 33173</i>	786-271-7296	www.citrushealth.org	Monday – Friday 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM Citrus Health Network provides community-based wellness services including primary health care and behavioral health. As a Youth Access Point, Citrus Health Network can also provide emergency shelter for youth ages 18-24.
CITRUS FAMILY CARE NETWORK <i>401 NW 2nd Ave #S10, Miami, FL, 33128</i>	305-455-6206	www.citrusfcn.com	Monday – Friday 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM After hours Assistance on Weekends: Please call Helpline 1-866-572-9493 Citrus Family Care Network provides foster care and related services, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Child Abuse Prevention & Intervention ● Foster Parent Recruitment & Licensing ● Adoptions

<p>EDUCATE TOMORROW</p> <p><i>The Grand Doubletree, 1717 N Bayshore Dr. #203, Miami, FL, 33132</i></p>	<p>305-374-3751</p>	<p>www.educatetomorrow.org</p>	<p>Monday – Friday 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM</p> <p>Educate Tomorrow provides coaching services dedicated to youth and young adult development to improve academics, economic stability, access to stable and affordable housing, and physical/emotional well-being. Educate Tomorrow also supports students accessing State Tuition Waiver.</p>
<p>LOTUS HOUSE</p> <p><i>217 NW 15TH St Overtown, Miami, FL, 33136</i></p>	<p>954-401-8980</p>	<p>www.lotushouse.org</p>	<p>Monday – Saturday 10:00 AM – 7:00 PM</p> <p>Lotus House provides sanctuary, support, education tools, and resources for homeless women, youth, and children.</p>
<p>MIAMI BRIDGE</p> <p><i>Miami Central Campus 2810 NW South River Drive, Miami, FL, 33125</i></p>	<p>305-635-8953</p>	<p>www.miamibrIDGE.org</p>	<p>Emergency Services available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week for youth ages 10-17.</p> <p>Miami Bridge provides services for youth between the ages of 10 to 21, and includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Counseling ● Truancy Diversion Services ● Emergency Shelter Care
<p>PRIDELINES</p> <p><i>6360 NE 4th Ct, Miami, FL, 33138</i></p>	<p>305-571-9601 305-299-8488</p>	<p>www.pridelines.org</p>	<p>Monday – Friday 11:00 AM to 4:00 PM</p> <p>Pridelines provides a wide range of services such as counseling/support, civic advocacy, social groups, and HIV/AIDS services for all LGBTQ youth, adults, and allies.</p>
<p>M-DCPS Project UP-START</p> <p>(various locations)</p>	<p>(305) 995-7558</p>	<p>http://projectupstart.dadeschools.net/#/</p>	<p>Monday – Friday 8:30 AM to 3 PM</p> <p>M-DCPS Project UP-START is not a youth access point but can support K-12 students access shelter and other services. If you are a K-12 student currently attending any Miami-Dade County Public Schools (M-DCPS) who is without safe and stable housing, living without a parent/guardian, and are not in the foster care system, you can qualify for UP-START services. Services include</p>

			assistance with school enrollment, attendance support including transportation to your School of Origin (the school the student was attending before living in unstable housing), and academic support. We can help you while you are attending an M-DCPS high school to transition to college and university.
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COUNTY-WIDE SERVICES

The following are county and city agencies that support youth experiencing homelessness in different ways. For more information please call 3-1-1.

- **2-1-1/Jewish Community Services**, 305-576-6650, 735 NE 125th St, Miami, FL 33161, <https://jcsfl.org/about-us/>
- The City of North Miami Beach, 305-947-7581, 17011 NE 19th Ave, North Miami Beach, FL, 33162, www.citynmb.com
- Miami-Dade County Animal Services, 305-468-5900, 3599 NW 79th Ave, Doral, FL, 33166, www.miamidade.gov/animals
- Miami-Dade County Community Action and Human Services, 786-468-5900, Overtown Transit Village – North Building, 10th Floor, 701 NW 1st Court, Miami, FL, 33136, www.miamidade.gov/socialservices
- Miami-Dade County Elections, 305-499-2700 NW 87th Ave, #100, Doral, FL, 33172, www.miamidade.gov/elections
- Miami-Dade County Homeless Trust, General 305-375-1490; Outreach 305-960-4980, 111 NW 1st St, Suite 27-310, www.homelesstrust.org
- Miami-Dade County Juvenile Services Department, 305-755-6200, 275 NW 2nd St, 2nd Floor, Miami, FL, 33128, www.miamidade.gov/juvenileservices
- Miami-Dade County Parks, 305-755-7800, 275 NW 2nd St, Miami, FL, 33128, www.miamidade.gov/parks
- City of Miami Parks and Recreation Department Recreation Programs, 305-416-1300, 444 SW 2nd Ave, 8th Floor, Miami, FL, 33130,
- Miami-Dade County Public Library System, 305-375-5576, www.mdpls.org
- Miami-Dade County Transit, 305-891-3131, Safety Hotline 305-375-2700, www.miamidade.gov/transit
- Miami-Dade County Florida Highway Safety & Motor Vehicles and Affiliates, 305-229-6333, www.flhsmv.gov/locations/miami-dade
- Miami Dade County Elections, 3-1-1 OR 305-499-2700 NW 87th Ave, #100, Doral, FL, 33172, www.miamidade.gov/elections
- For voter information: www.miamidade.gov/elections/voter-information.asp
- Help with rental assistance, utilities, and housing needs. www.miamidade.gov/socialservices

U.S. SOCIAL SECURITY

Please call 800-772-1213 or visit www.ssa.gov for more information regarding U.S. Social Security.

- 1251 NW 36th St, Miami, FL, 33142
- 1801 Alton Road, Miami Beach, FL, 33139
- 8345 Biscayne Blvd, Miami, FL, 33138
- 6101 Blue Lagoon Dr, #300, Miami, FL, 33126
- 16900 NW 12th Ave, Miami Gardens, FL, 33169

IMMIGRATION

The following are advocacy and service organizations for immigration services.

- Americans for Immigrant Justice, 305-573-1106, 3000 Biscayne Blvd, Suite 400, Miami, FL, 33137, www.ajjustice.org
- Catholic Legal Services – Archdiocese of Miami, Inc., Doral Office, 305-887-8333, 7855 NW 12th St, Suite 114, Miami, FL, 33126; Main Office, 305-373-1073, 28 W Flagler St, 10th Floor, Miami, FL, 33130, www.cclsmiami.org
- Centro Campesino Farmworker Center, 305-245-7738, 35801 SW 186th Ave, Homestead, FL, 33034, www.centrocampesino.org
- Church World Service, 305-774-6770, 1924 NW 84th Ave, Miami, FL, 33126, www.cwsglobal.org
- Legal Services of Greater Miami, Inc., 305-576-0080, 4343 W Flagler St, #100, Miami, FL, 33134, www.legalservicesmiami.org
- Redlands Christian Migrant Association, 305-242-2577, 13600 SW 312 St, Homestead, FL, 33090, www.rcma.org

SHELTERS & HOUSING

In order to access emergency shelter programs, please contact the Homeless Helpline. Call 877-994-4357 or 305-375-2273. You must be in the Homeless Helpline system to access an emergency shelter. Emergency Shelters are bolded. Low-cost housing is italicized.

Emergency Shelters	<i>Low-Cost Housing</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chapman Partnership, Miami- 305-329-3000, 1550 N Miami Ave, Miami, FL, 33136, Homestead- 305-329-3000, 28205 SW 124th Ct, Homestead, FL, 33033, www.chapmanpartnership.org 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Better Way of Miami Permanent Housing Program, 305-634-3409, 800 NW 28th St, Miami, FL, 33127, www.betterwaymiami.org</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Camillus House, 305-374-1065/Hearing Impaired 305-549-3019, 1603 NW 7th Ave, Miami, FL, 33136, www.camillus.org 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Camillus House/SRO Residence Inc., 305-374-1065 or Beckham Hall 305-634-1065, 2735 NW 19th Ave, Miami, FL, 33142, www.camillus.org</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Emergency Housing Opportunities for People with AIDS (HOPWA), 305-416-2080, www.miamigov.com/communitydevelopment/pages/housing/hopwaMain.asp 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Carrfour Supportive Housing, 305-371-8300, 1398 SW 1st St, #1201, Miami, FL, 33135, www.carrfour.org</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Lodge/Victim Response, 305-693-1170, 1901 SW 1st St, Miami, FL, 33135, www.thelodgemiami.org 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Casa Valentina, 305-444-0740, 2990 SW 35th Ave, Miami, FL, 33133, www.casavalentina.org</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lotus House/Sundari Foundation, General 305-438-0556; Help 305-438-0556, 1540 NW 1st Place, #2, Overtown, Miami, FL, 33136, www.lotushouse.org 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Centro Campesino Farmworker Center Self-Help Housing Program, 305-245-7738, 35801 SW 186th Ave, Florida City, FL, 33034, www.centrocampesino.org</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Miami Bridge Youth and Family Services, 24/7 Hotline 305-635-8953; Miami Central Campus, 2810 NW South River Drive, Miami, FL, 33125; Homestead Campus, 326 NW 3rd Ave, Homestead, FL, 33030, www.miamibridge.org 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Citrus Health Network/Supported Housing Services, 305-825-0300, 4175 W 20th Ave, Hialeah, FL, 33012, www.citrushealth.org</i>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Miami Rescue Mission, General 305-571-2273; for Women & Children 305-571-2250; for Men 305-571-2227, 2159 NW 1st Ct, Miami, FL, 33127, www.miamirescuemission.com 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Collaborative Development Corporation, 305-446-3095, 3628 Grand Ave, Coconut Grove, FL, 33133, www.cdc-florida.org/category/affordable-housing</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mother Teresa Mission of Charity, 305-545-5699, 724 NW 17th St, Miami, FL, 33136, www.miamiarch.org/CatholicDiocese.php?op=Missionaries_of_Chari 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>East Little Havana Community Development Corporation, 305-856-2547, 1699 Coral Way, Coral Gables, FL, 33145, www.eastlittlehavanacdc.com/5801.html</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New Life Shelter for Homeless Families, 305-573-3333, 3620 NW 1st St, Miami, FL, 33125, www.ccadm.org/our-ministries/housing-shelter-services/new-life 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Fellowship House, 305-667-1036, 5711 S Dixie Hwy, Miami, FL, 33143, www.fellowship.org</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Safespace, 305-758-2546, South, 305-247-4249, 24-hour Crisis Hotline 1-800-500-1119, www.safespacefoundation.org 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Greater Miami Habitat for Humanity, 305-634-3628, 3800 NW 22nd Ave, Miami, FL, 33142, www.miamihabitat.org Greater Miami Habitat for Humanity, 305-634-3628, 3800 NW 22nd Ave, Miami, FL, 33142, www.miamihabitat.org</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Salvation Army, 305-545-9164, 901 W Flagler St, Miami, FL, 33101, www.thesalvationarmyusa.org 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Hialeah Housing Program, 305-888-9744, 75 East 6th St, Hialeah, FL, 33010, www.hialeahhousing.org</i> • <i>Little Haiti Housing Association, 305-759-2542, 181 NE 82nd St, Miami, FL, 33138, www.haitianamericancdc.org</i> • <i>Lutheran Services Florida, 305-969-8700, 8532, SW 8th St, Miami, FL, 33144, www.lsfnet.org</i> • <i>Miami Behavioral Health Center/Housing, 305-774-3400, https://banyanhealth.org/services/</i> • <i>Miami Waiver Group Homes – Florida Mentor, 305-670-0729, 12955 SW 132nd St, Suite 103, Miami, FL, 33186, www.fl-mentor.com,</i> • <i>Miami-Dade County Public Housing & Community Development, 786-469-4100, 701 NW 1st Ct, 16th Floor, Miami, FL, 33136, www.miamidade.gov/housing</i> • <i>Neighborhood Housing Services of South Florida, 305-571-5511, 300 NW 12th Ave, Miami, FL, 33128, www.nhssf.org</i> • <i>PACE Center for Girls, 786-254-2460, 1400 NW 36th St, Miami, FL, 33142, www.pacecenter.org/locations/miami</i>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • • <i>Paragon Partnership, 786-505-7653, 10045 SW 213th Terr, Cutler Bay, FL, 33189, www.paragonpartnership.org</i>
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BASIC NEEDS

Clothing & Furniture

The following are locations that provide free or discounted clothing and/or furniture.

- Best Used Clothing, 305-499-4112, 1301 NW 89th Ct, Doral, FL, 33172, www.bestusedclothing.com
- Dis vintage, 305-633-1250, 5600 NW 32nd Ave, Miami, FL, 33142, <http://disvintage.com/>
- Goodwill, 305-85804583 or 305-672-2025, 2121 NW 21st Miami, FL, 33142, www.goodwillsouthflorida.org
- Lotus House Thrift Chic Boutique, 305-576-4112, 2040 NW 7th Ave, Miami, FL, 33127, www.lotushouse.org
- Matthews Clothes & Shoes Inc., 786-363-8773, 2480 NW 20th St, Miami, FL, 33142
- Miami Rescue Mission, 305-571-2217, 2159 NW 1st Court, Miami, FL, 33127, www.miamirescuemission.com/thrift-store.php
- Neat Stuff, Inc., 305-638-5878, 2624 NW 21st Terr, Miami, FL, 33142, www.neatstuffhelpskids.org

Food Services, Prepared Meals, & Food Pantries

The following are locations that provide food assistance.

- Camillus House, 305-374-1065, 336 NW 5th St, Miami, FL, 33128, www.camillushouse.org
- Central Christian Church, 305-446-6132, 222 Menores Ave, Coral Gables, FL, 33134, www.cccgables.org
- Community Food Distribution Center, 786-693-6639, 329 NE 166th St, Miami, FL, 33162 <https://bit.ly/2HbTcyX>
- Daily Bread Food Bank Reclamation Center, 305-474-8805, 1363 NW 155th Dr, Miami, FL, 33169
- Feeding South Florida, 954-518-1818, 2501 SW 32 Terrace, Pembroke Park, FL, 33023, <https://feedingsouthflorida.org/>
- Florida International University – Student Food Pantry, Modesto Maidique Campus 305-348-6995, 11200 SW 8th St, Miami, FL, 33199, DM 166; Biscayne Bay Campus 305-919-5307, 3000 NE 151st St, Miami, FL, 33181, WUC 307, <https://bit.ly/3o6Hh60>
- Food for Life Network, 305-576-3663, 3510 Biscayne Blvd, #209, Miami, FL, 33137, www.foodforlifenetowork.org
- Holy Comforter Episcopal Church, 305-643-2711, 150 SW 13th Ave, Miami, FL, 33135, www.hc-ec.org
- Miami Gardens Food Pantry, 305-610-4004, 18041 NW 22nd Ave, Miami Gardens, FL, 33056
- Miami Rescue Mission, 305-571-2273, 2159 NW 1st Court, Miami, FL, 33127, www.miamirescuemission.com
- Ministerio Internacional, 305-255-4407, 16300 SW 137th Ave, Miami, FL, 33177
- Ministerios Nueva Vision, 305-688-5126, 14881 SW 288th St, Homestead, FL, 33033
- The Missionaries of Charity of Mother Teresa, 305-545-5699, 724 NW 17th St, Miami, FL, 33136, www.moherteresa.org
- New Evangelical Missionary Church of God, 305-588-4904, 450 NW 82nd St, Miami, FL, 33150
- Pass It On Ministries Inc., 305-681-1594, 14617 NW 7th Ave, Miami, FL, 33168, www.passitonministries.net
- Shalom Community UMC, 305-892-9204, 900 NE 132nd St, North Miami, FL, 33161, www.shalomumc.net

- St. Andrews Episcopal Church, 305-238-2161, 14260 Old Cutler Road, Palmetto Bay, FL, 33158, www.standrewsmiami.org
- The True Deliverance Church of Christ, 305-254-2163, 18300 SW 109th Ave, Miami, FL, 33167

Animal Care

The following are organizations that provide animal services.

- Animal Welfare Society of South Florida, 305-858-3501, 2601 SW 27th Ave, Miami, FL, 33133, www.awsfl.com
- Born Free Shelter, 786-205-6865, www.bornfreeshelter.org
- The Cat Network, 305-255-3482, P.O. Box 347228, Miami, FL, 33234, www.thecatnetwork.org
- Humane Society of Greater Miami, 305-696-0800, 1601 W Dixie Highway, North Miami Beach, FL, 33160, www.humanesocietymiami.org
- Miami-Dade County Animal Services, 311, 3599 NW 79 Ave, Doral, FL, 33122, www.miamidade.gov/animals
- Paws 4 You Rescue, Inc., 786-242-7377, www.paws4you.org

LEGAL SERVICES

The following are organizations that provide legal services for children and youth.

- Americans for Immigrant Justice, 305-573-1106, 3000 Biscayne Blvd, Suite 400, Miami, FL, 33137, www.aijustice.org
- Lawyer for Children America, 305- 379- 8564, 200 S Biscayne Blvd, Miami FL. 33131, <https://www.lawyersforchildrenamerica.org/>
- Catholic Legal Services – Archdiocese of Miami, Inc., Doral Office, 305-887-8333, 7855 NW 12th St, Suite 114, Miami, FL, 33126; Main Office, 305-373-1073, 28 W Flagler St, 10th Floor, Miami, FL, 33130, www.cclsmiami.org
- Dade Legal Aid, 305-579-5733, Circuit of Florida Circuit Court/Probate Division, 305-349-7474, www.dadelegalaid.org
- Human Services Coalition, 305-576-5001, 260 NE 17th Terr, Suite 200, Miami, FL, 33132, www.hscdade.org
- Florida Guardian Ad Litem Program, 305-679-2222, 155 NW 3rd St, Miami, FL, 33128
- Legal Aid Society, 305-579-5733, 123 NW 1st Ave, Miami, FL, 33128, www.legal-aid.org
- Legal Services of Greater Miami, 305-576-0080, 3000 Biscayne Blvd, Suite 500, Miami, FL, 33137, www.lsgmi.org
- Miami-Dade State Attorney's Office, 305-547-0100, 1350 NW 12th Ave, Miami, FL, 33136, www.miamisao.com
- University of Miami Children & Youth Law Clinic, 305-284-3123, University of Miami School of Law 1311 Miller Drive, Suite F305, Coral Gables, FL, 33146, www.law.miami.edu/academics/clinics/children-and-youth-law-clinic

ADVOCACY GROUPS

The following are advocacy and service groups in Miami-Dade that work with or advocate for youth in different capacities. These organizations advocate for persons with disabilities, the environment, education, housing affordability, and social justice.

- Advocacy Center for Persons with Disabilities Information and Referral Unit, 800-342-0823, www.flspedlaw.com/Advocacy_Cntr.html
- American Red Cross, 305-644-1200, 335 SW 27th Ave, Miami, FL, 33145, www.redcross.org
- Catalyst Miami, Miami 305-576-5001, 3000 Biscayne Blvd, Suite 210, Miami, FL, 33137; Homestead, 786-414-1309, 151 NW 11 St, Suite 400, Homestead, FL, 33030, www.catalystmiami.org
- CBS Neighbors 4 Neighbors, 305-597-4404, 8900 NW 18th Terr, Miami, FL, 33172, www.neighbors4neighbors.org

- The Children’s Movement, 305-646-7230, 3250 SW 3rd Ave, Miami, FL, 33129, www.childrensmovementflorida.org
- The Children’s Trust, 305-571-5700, 3150 SW 3rd Ave, 8th Floor, Miami, FL, 33129, www.thechildrenstrust.org
- Church World Service, 305-597-0922 or 305-774-6770, 1924 NW 84th Ave, Doral, FL, 33126, www.cwsglobal.org
- Dream in Green, 786-574-4909, 425 NE 22nd St, Suite 401, Room 5, Miami, FL, 33137, www.dreaminggreen.org
- Disability Independence Group, 305-669-2882, 2990 SW 35th Ave, Miami, FL, 33133, <https://www.justdigit.org/>
- Engage Miami, 8325 NE 2nd Ave, Suite 111, Miami, FL, 33138, www.engage.miami
- The Florida Latina Advocacy Network (FL LAN), 212-422-2553, www.latinainstitute.org/en/florida
- Haitian Women of Miami, 305-756-8050, 100 NE 84th St, Miami, FL, 33138, www.fanm.org
- Miami-Dade Community Based Care Alliance, 305-577-1778, 401 NW 2nd Ave, S-926C, Miami, FL, 33128, www.miamicbcalliance.com
- Miami Homes for All, 305-209-2004, www.miamihomesforall.org
- Miami Workers Center, 305-759-8717, 8330 Biscayne Blvd, Miami, FL, 33138, www.miamiworkerscenter.org
- Mothers Against Drunk Drivers (MADD), 305-273-3744, 7700 N Kendall Dr, Suite 803, Miami, FL, 33156, www.madd.org/local-offices/fl/regions/south-florida
- NANAY - National Alliance to Nurture the Aged and the Youth, Inc., 305-981-3232, 659 NE 125th St, North Miami, FL, 33161, www.nanay.com, Filipino,
- Power U Center for Social Change, 305-576-7449, 745 NW 54th St, Miami, FL, 33127, www.poweru.org
- SMASH, 786-523-4734, 2103 Coral Way 2nd Floor, Miami, FL, 33145, <https://www.smash.miami/>
- United Way of Miami-Dade, 305-860-3000, 3250 SW 3rd Ave, Miami, FL, 33129, www.unitedwaymiami.org
- University of Miami Office of Civic and Community Engagement, 305-284-6636, 125 Dooly Memorial Classroom Building, 1111 Memorial Drive, Coral Gables, FL, 33146, www.miami.edu/index.php/civic
- The Women’s Fund, 305-441-0506, 1330 SW 22ND St, Suite 208, Miami, FL, 33145, www.womensfundmiami.org

LGBTQA+ FRIENDLY

The following are LGBTQA+ oriented or LGBTQA+ friendly organizations that support LGBTQA+ youth in different ways. They may help with scholarships, health services, civic advocacy, shelter services, social groups, and more.

- ABC’s for Success, 786-536-9714, 1550 S Dixie Hwy, #203, Coral Gables, FL, 33146, www.abcsforsuccess.com
- The Alliance for GLBTQ Youth, 305-899-8087, 1175 NEW 125th St, #510, North Miami, FL, 33161, www.glbtqalliance.com
- Aqua Foundation, 305-576-2782, 1951 NW 7th Ave, Miami, FL, 33136, www.aquafoundation.org
- Barry University – Family CARE Center, 786-536-9714, 11300 NE 2nd Ave, Miami Shores, FL, 33161, www.barry.edu/familycarecenter
- Care Resource, 305-576-1234, 3510 Biscayne Blvd, Miami, FL, 33137, www.careresource.org
- Equality Florida, 813-870-3735, www.eqfl.org
- FIU Multicultural Programs & Services, 305-348-2436, 10955 SW 15th St, Miami, FL, 33199, Graham Center Room 216, www.studentaffairs.fiu.edu/get-involved/lgbtqa/index.php
- Institute for Individual & Family Counseling (University of Miami), 305-284-6949, Max Orovitz Building 1507 Levante Ave, Suite 201, Coral Gables, FL, 33146, www.sites.education.miami.edu/umiifc
- Jewish Community Services of South Florida, 305-576-6550, 735 NE 125th St, North Miami, FL, 33161, www.jcsfl.org, Russian, Hebrew
- Latinos Salud, Miami Beach 305-397-8967, 555 Washington Ave, Suite 235, Miami Beach, FL, 33139; Kendall 786-801-1803, 9580 SW 107th Ave, Suite 202, Kendall, FL, 33176, www.latinossalud.org

- Miami-Dade County Public Schools – School Allies for Equity Network, Division of Student Affairs, Ask for Ms. Gladys Duran, Curriculum Support Specialist, 305-995-1778, 1450 NE 2nd Ave, Miami, FL, 33132, <http://studentservices.dadeschools.net/SMN/index.asp>
- Miami-Dade Gay & Lesbian Chamber of Commerce, 305-673-4440, 1130 Washington Ave, 1st Floor North, Miami Beach, FL, 33139, www.gaybizmiami.com
- Pridelines, 305-571-9601, 6360 NW 4th Court, Miami, FL, 33138, www.pridelines.org
- Project SAFE, 305-299-8488, 6360 NW 4th Court, Miami, FL, 33138, www.projectsafefl.org
- Safe Schools South Florida, 305-576-2126, www.safeschoolssouthflorida.org
- SAVE LGBT, 305-751-7283, 1951 NW 7th Ave, Suite 600, Miami, FL, 33136, www.save.lgbt
- Survivor's Pathway, 786-275-4364, 1801 Coral Way, Suite 200, Miami, FL, 33145, www.survivorspathway.org
- University of Miami LGBTQ Student Center, 305-284-3935, 1306 Stanford Dr, Coral Gables, FL, 33146, www.lgbtq.studentaffairs.miami.edu
- The YES Institute, 305-663-7195, 5275 Sunset Drive, Miami, FL, 33143, www.yesinstitute.org
- True Colors United, 212-461-4401, www.truecolorsunited.org

Therapists Specializing in Gender & Orientation

- Barbara Byrne, LCSW, Kendall / South Miami, 305-505-0869
- Jennie Coello, LMHC, Hialeah, 786-333-2975
- Heather Cherry, LCSW, CST, Aventura, 786-457-6788
- Pascale Denizé, LMHC, Coral Gables, 305-209-6175
- Dr. Jorge Hernandez-Chaple, Niklaus Children's Hospital, 305-663-8439
- Cesar Incera, LMHC, 305-670-0204, Français
- Noemi Marquez, LCSW, 786-346-0877
- Lauri Shannon, LCSW, Aventura, 786-423-6787
- Dr. Marilyn Volker, Coral Gables, 305-443-8850, American Sign Language
- Dr. Teri Wunderman, Kendall, 305-595-6633

Gender Transitioning/Medical Resources

- Dr. Alejandro Diaz, Pediatric Endocrinology, Nicklaus Children's Hospital, 305-662-8368
- Dr. Steven Santiago, Care Resource, 305-576-1234
- Dr. Neil Goodman, Endocrinologist, Kendall, 305-595-6855

LGBTQA+ Legal Services

- Charles "Chip" McGinley, Attorney at Law, 561-704-0052, mcginley.charles@gmail.com
- Legal Services of Greater Miami, Inc., 305-438-3809, 4343 W Flagler St, #100, Miami, FL, 33134, www.legalservicesmiami.org

HEALTH SERVICES

Federally Qualified Health Centers

The following are community-based health centers providing services including health, primary care, dental care, behavioral health, and other assistance for your holistic well-being at a sliding scale fee based on ability to pay. For more information please call the health care center's phone number or visit their respective website listed below.

- Banyan Health Systems, 305-774-3400, www.banyanhealth.org
- Borinquen Medical Centers, 305-576-6611, www.borinquenhealth.org
- Camillus Health Concern, 305-577-4840, www.camillushealth.org

- Care Resource, 305-576-1234, www.careresource.org
- Citrus Health Network, Inc., 305-825-0300, www.citrushealth.org
- Community Health of South Florida, Inc., 305-252-4820, www.chisouthfl.org
- Miami Beach Community Health Center, 305-538-8835, www.mbchc.org

Clinics

The following are healthcare facilities focusing on patients who do not need to stay in the hospital overnight. These clinics cover *primary healthcare needs*.

- Center for Family & Child Health Enrichment, 305-624-7450, 1825 NW 167th St, Miami Gardens, FL, 33056, www.cfcecares.org
- Center for Haitian Studies, Health, and Human Services, Inc., 305-757-9555, 8260 NE 2nd Ave, Miami, FL, 33138, www.centerforhaitianstudies.org
- Easter Seals South Florida, 305-325-0470, 1475 NW 14th Ave, Miami, FL, 33125, www.easterseals.com
- Empower U, 786-318-2337, 7900 NW 27th Ave E-12, Miami, FL, 33147, www.euchc.org
- Florida Department of Health in Miami-Dade, 305-324-2400, <http://miamidade.floridahealth.gov/>
- Florida International University Health, 305-348-3627, 800 SW 108th Ave, Suite 100, Miami, FL, 33174, www.hcn.fiu.edu
- Florida International University Herbert Wertheim College of Medicine – Green Family Foundation NeighborhoodHELP, 305-919-4183, 11200 SW 8TH St, AHC2, Miami, FL, 33199, www.medicine.fiu.edu
- Free Immunization at The Children’s Trust, 786-845-0550, (see Florida Department of Health in Miami-Dade County section below for list of clinics) www.thechildrenstrust.org/parents/health-connect/vaccinations
- Ronald McDonald House South Florida, 305-325-8369, 1145 NW 14th Terr, Miami, FL, 33136, www.rmhcsouthflorida.org
- St. John Bosco Clinic, 305-635-1335, 730 NW 34th St, Miami, FL, 33127, www.stjohnboscoclinicmiami.org
- University of Miami School of Medicine Division of Adolescent Medicine (ages 13-24), 305-243-2174, 1601 NW 12th Ave, Suite 1063, Miami, FL, 33136; Pediatric Mobile Clinic, 305-243-6407, Varying Locations, www.pediatrics.med.miami.ed

Planned Parenthood

www.plannedparenthood.org

- Golden Glades – Miami Health Center, 305-830-4111, 585 NW 161st St, Suites 200-300, Miami, FL, 33169
- Jean Shehan Health Center, 305-285-5535, 3119A Coral Way, Miami, FL, 33145
- Kendall Health Center, 786-263-0001, 11440 SW 88TH St, Suite 109, Miami, FL, 33176

Hospitals

- Aventura Hospital and Medical Center, 305-682-7000, 20900 Biscayne Blvd, Miami, FL, 33180, www.aventurahospital.com
- Baptist Hospital, 786-596-1960, 8900 N Kendall Dr, Miami, FL 33176
- Hialeah Hospital, 305-693-6100, 651 E 25TH ST, Hialeah, FL, 33013, www.hialeahhosp.com
- Kendall Regional Medical Center, 305-223-3000, 11750 SW 40th St, Miami, FL, 33175, www.kendallmed.com
- Mercy Hospital, 305-854-4400, 3663 S Miami Ave, Miami, FL, 33133, www.mercymiami.com
- University of Miami Hospital, 305-689-5511, 1600 NW 10th Ave, Miami, FL, 33136, www.umiamihospital.com
- Mount Sinai Medical Center, 305-674-2121, 4300 Alton Rd, Miami Beach, FL, 33140, www.msmc.com
- Nicklaus Children’s Hospital, 305-851-6768, 3100 SW 62nd Ave, Miami, FL, 33155, www.nicklauschildrens.org

- North Shore Medical Center, 305-835-6000, www.palmettogeneral.com
1100 NW 95th St, Miami, FL, 33150,
www.northshoremedical.com
- Palmetto General Hospital, 305-823-5000,
2001 W 68th St, Hialeah, FL, 33016,

Jackson Health System

The following are all healthcare services provided by Jackson Health System, including but not limited to physical wellness, behavioral health, HIV/AIDS, and domestic violence. For general information please call at 305-585-1111 or visit their website at www.jacksonhealth.org.

- Holtz Children’s Hospital, 305-585-5437,
1611 NW 12th Ave, Miami, FL, 33136
- Jackson Memorial Hospital, 305-585-1111,
1611 NW 12th Ave, Miami, FL, 33136
- Jackson Behavioral Health Hospital, 305-
355-7000, 1695 NW 9th Ave, Miami, FL,
33136
- Jackson North Medical Center, 305-651-
1100, 160 NW 170th St, North Miami Beach,
FL, 33169
- Christine E. Lynn Rehabilitation Center, 305-
585-9600, 1611 NW 12th Ave, Miami, FL,
33136
- Jackson South Medical Center, 305-251-
2500, 9333 SW 152nd St, Miami, FL, 33157
- Jackson Community Mental Health Center,
786-466-2800, 15055 NW 27th Ave, Opa-
Locka, FL, 33054,
www.jacksonhealth.org/locations/jackson-community-mental-health-center-miami-gardens
- The Roxcy Bolton Rape Treatment Center –
Jackson Health System, 1611 NW 12th Ave,
1st Floor 116A, Miami, FL, 33136, 305-585-
7273, www.jacksonhealth.org/services/rape-treatment
- Downtown Medical Center, 786-466-7200,
111 NW 1ST ST, Suite 110, Miami, FL,
33128
- Jackson Memorial Perdue Medical Center,
786-466-3500, 19590 Old Cutler Road,
Miami, FL, 33157
- Jackson Medical Group – Health District,
786-466-8490, 1801 NW 9th Ave, 2nd Floor,
Miami, FL, 33136
- Jackson Medical Group – Jackson North,
305-654-6850, 100 NW 170th St, Suite 410,
Miami, FL, 33169
Jackson Prescribed Pediatric Extended
Care, 305-547-2500, 1477 NW 8th Ave,
Miami, FL, 33136

Dental Services

The following are affordable dental service providers. Please see Federally Qualified Health Centers for more dental providers.

- Caring for Miami – Project Smile, 786-430-1051, 8900 SW 168th St., Palmetto Bay, FL, 33157,
www.caringformiami.org/about/programs/smile
- Community Smiles Dade County, 305-363-2222, 750 NW 20th St., Building G-110, Miami, FL, 33127,
www.csmiles.org

HIV/AIDS Services & Programs

The following are services and programs dedicated to individuals who are HIV/AIDS positive and their support systems.

- AIDS Healthcare Foundation/Out of the Closet Thrift Store, 305-764-3773, 2900 Biscayne Blvd,
Miami, FL, 33137, www.aidshealth.org
- Care Resource Dade, 305-576-1234, 3801 Biscayne Blvd, Miami, FL, 33137, www.careresource.org
- Florida AIDS Hotline, Creole 1-800-AIDS-101 (243-7101), English 1-800-FLA-AIDS (352-2437),
Spanish 1-800-545-SIDA (545-7432), www.211bigbend.org/flhivaidshotline
- Jackson Health System – South Florida AIDS Network, 305-585-1111, 1611 NW 12th Ave, Miami, FL,
33136, www.jacksonhealth.org/services/hiv-aids/

- University of Miami School of Medicine Division of Adolescent Medicine, 305-243-6676, Programs and Services, 1580 NW 10th Ave, Miami, FL, 33136, <https://bit.ly/2TOumEH>

Counseling Resources & Support Organizations

The following are organizations and groups dedicated to assisting and supporting counseling needs.

- Agoraphobia Resource Center/Support Group, 305-448-8325, 111 Majorca Ave, Coral Gables, FL, 33134, www.miamicounseling.com/our-services/anxiety/agoraphobia-anxiety-resource-center
- The Alliance for GLBTQ Youth, Main Office 305-899-8087, Toll-Free 1-866-634-8087, 1175 NE 125th St, Suite 103, North Miami, FL, 33161, www.glbqtalliance.com
- Ayuda Miami, 305-864-6885, 7144 Byron Ave, Miami Beach, FL, 33141, www.ayudamiami.org
- Barry University/Dr. Maureen Duffy Family Enrichment Center, 305-899-3726, 11300 NE 2nd Ave, Miami Shores, FL, 33161, www.barry.edu/care-center/counseling-services
- Carlos Albizu University - Goodman Psychological Services Center, 305-592-7860, 2173 NW 99th Ave, Miami, FL, 33172, www.albizu.edu/clinic/goodman-psychological-services-center/
- Catholic Hospice/Bereavement Groups, 305-822-2380, 14875 NW 77th Ave, Suite 100, Miami Lakes, FL 33014 <https://www.catholichealthservices.org/catholic-hospice/services>
- Center for Family and Child Enrichment, 305-624-7450, 1825 NW 167th St, Suite 102, Miami Gardens, FL, 33056, www.cfcecares.org
- Children's Home Society of Florida – Miami-Dade, 305-755-6500, 800 NW 15th St, Miami, FL, 33136, www.chsfl.org/services/counseling
- The Children's Trust, 305-571-5700, 3150 SW 3rd Ave, 8th Floor Miami, FL, 33129, www.thechildrenstrust.org
- Dade Family Counseling, Inc., <https://www.dadefamilycounseling.com>
- Douglas Gardens Community Mental Health Center - 24-hr Crisis Residence, 866-711-8626 or 305-531-5341, 1680 Meridian Ave, Miami Beach, FL, 33139, www.dgcmhc.org
- Eckerd Connects, 305-705-4911, 18441 NW 2nd Ave, Suite 100, Miami, FL 33169 www.eckerd.org
- Family Counseling and Coaching of Miami, 305-640-5608, 305-772-2940, 75 Valencia Ave, Suite 301, Coral Gables, FL, 33134, www.familycounselingandcoaching.com
- Family Resource Center, 305-374-600, 1393 SW 1st St, Miami, FL, 33135, www.frclorida.org
- FIU Center for Children and Families, 305-348-0477, 11200 SW 8th St, AHC4 140, Miami, FL, 33199, www.ccf.fiu.edu
- Healthy Connections Community Mental Health Center, 305-646-0112 (24-Hour Crisis Hotline), 2780 SW 37th Ave, Suite 206, Miami, FL, 33133, www.healthyconnectionscommunitymentalhealth.org
- His House Children's Home, 305-430-0085, 20000 NW 47th Ave, Miami Gardens, FL, 33055, www.hhch.org
- New Horizons Community Mental Health Center, 305-635-7444, 1469 NW 36th St, Miami, FL, 33142 www.newhorizonscommunitymentalhealth.org
- Nicklaus Children's Hospital Department of Psychiatry, 305-663-8439, 3100 SW 62nd Ave, Miami, FL, 33155, www.nicklauschildrens.org/medical-services/pediatric-psychiatry
- Overeaters Anonymous, 305-791-7035, www.oamiami.org
- Passageway Adult Mental Health, 305-635-9106, 2255 NW 10th Ave, Miami, FL, 33127, www.passagewaycommunity.org

Substance Abuse Services

The following are organizations providing services and assistance to individuals suffering from substance abuse issues.

- Agape Network, 305-235-2616, 22790 SW 112th Ave, Miami, FL, 33170, www.theagapenetwork.org
- Institute of Social and Personal Adjustment - Camillus House, 305-374-1065, 1603 NW 7th Ave, Miami, FL, 33136, www.camillus.org/services/comprehensive-healing/#.WYH8o4TyvIU
- Concept House, 305-751-6501, 162 NE 49th St, Miami, FL, 33137, www.concepthouse.org

- Here's Help, Inc., 305-685-8201, 9016 SW 152nd St, Miami, FL, 33196, www.hereshelpinc.com
- Informed Families, 305-856-4886, 2490 Coral Way, Miami, FL, 33145, www.informedfamilies.org
- Miami VA Healthcare Center, 305-575-7000, 1201 NW 16th St, Miami, FL, 33125, www.va.gov/directory/guide/facility.asp?id=87
- St. Luke's Center, 305-795-0077, 7707 NW 2nd Ave, Miami, FL, 33150, www.ccadm.org

Addiction and/or Substance Abuse Hotlines

- Jackson Community Mental Health Center, 786-466-2800
- Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) / Hotline, 305-461-2425
- Co-Dependents Anonymous, 888-444-2359
- Families Anonymous Support Groups Hotline, 800-736-9805
- Florida Council Compulsive Gambling Hotline, 888-236-4848
- Florida International University Division of Student Affairs – Emergency Crisis Line 305-348-2277
- Gambling Resource Referral Hotline, 800-426-7711
- Narcotics Anonymous Helpline North, 8008-711-6375, 305-620-3875; South, 305-265-9555
- National Drug and Alcohol Treatment Referral, 800-662-HELP
- Miami-Dade County's Women's Residential Addiction Program, 786-878-6480

Advocacy and Services for Persons with Disabilities

The following are organizations that advocate and provide services for persons with disabilities.

- The Advocacy Network on Disabilities, 305-596-1160, 7990 SW 117th Ave, Suite 135, Miami, FL, 33183, www.advocacynetwork.org
- Agency for Persons with Disabilities, 305-349-1478, 401 NW 2nd Ave, Suite South 811, Miami, FL, 33128, www.apd.myflorida.com/region/southern
- Association for Development of the Exceptional Miami, North-Dade 305-573-3737, 2801 North Miami Ave, Miami, FL, 33127, www.ademiami.org
- The Arc of South Florida, 305-759-8500, 15280 NW 79th Ct, Suite 251, Miami Lakes, FL, 33016, <https://arcsofla.org/contact-us/>
- Best Buddies in Florida, 305-374-2233, 100 SE 2nd St, Suite 2200, Miami, FL, 33131, www.bestbuddies.org/florida/programs
- Carrie Brazier Center for Autism, 305-271-8790, 7530 Sunset Dr, Miami, FL, 33143; South Dade Campus, 305-234-0490, 16905 SW 100th Ave, Miami, FL, 33157 www.cbc4autism.org
- Children's Home Society of Florida, 305-755-6500, 800 NW 15th St, Miami, FL, 33136, www.chsfl.org
- City of Miami Beach Success University, 305-673-7491, <https://bit.ly/37e3tp0>
- City of Miami Parks and Recreation Department – Sandra DeLucca Developmental Center, 305-960-4970 Ask for Rafael Abreu, 4560 NW 4th Ter, Miami, FL, 33126 <http://archive.miamigov.com/parks/specialpopulation.html>
- The WOW Center, 305-279-7999, 11450 SW 79th St, Miami, FL, 33173, www.wowcentermiami.org
- Dave and Mary Alper Jewish Community Center, Shirley & Chester Paul Special Needs Program, 305-271-9000 ext. 273, 11155 SW 112th Ave, Miami, FL, 33176, www.alperjcc.org/childrenfamily/special-needs
- Department of Education/Vocational Rehabilitation Services, 305-442-6885, 8700 W Flagler St., Suite 210, Miami, FL, 33174, www.rehabworks.org
- Disability Independence Group (DIG), 305-669-2822, 2990 SW 35th Ave, Miami, FL, 33133, www.justdigit.org
- Disability Rights Florida, Information and Referral Unit, 800-342-0823, www.disabilityrightsflorida.org
- Miami Lighthouse for the Blind, 305-856-2288, 601 SW 8th Ave, Miami, FL, 33130, www.miamilighthouse.org
- Center for Independent Living, 305-751-8025, 4770 Biscayne Blvd, Ste 150, Miami, FL, 33137, www.cilsf.org

Women's Health Programs and Services

The following are health services and programs dedicated to serving women in Miami-Dade County.

- Baptist Health South Florida Women's Health Resource Center, 786-596-5981, 8950 N Kendall Dr, #105, Miami, FL, 33176, www.baptisthealth.net/en/health-services/womens-health/pages/women-s-health-resource-center.aspx
- Hialeah Women's Health Center, 305-836-9701, 952 E 25th St, Hialeah, FL, 33013, www.ahialeahwomanscarecenter.com
- The Women's Center at Jackson South, 305-256-2150, 9380 SW 150th St, Suite 200, Miami, FL, 33176, <https://maternity.jacksonhealth.org/locations/the-womens-center-jackson-south/>
- Women and Teens Healthcare Center, 305-895-5555, 16876 NE 19th Ave, North Miami Beach, FL, 33162, www.womenandteens.com
- YWCA of South Florida, 305-377-9922, 351 NW 5th St, Miami, FL, 33128, www.ywca-miami.org

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE & SEXUAL VIOLENCE – SUPPORTIVE SERVICES

- Florida Domestic Violence 24-Hour Crisis Hotline, 1-800-500-1119
- Florida Department of Children and Families Abuse Hotlines, 1-800-962-2873
- Miami-Dade County Coordinated Victims Assistance Center, 305-285-5900
- Inn Transition Program – North, 305-899-4600
- Inn Transition Program – South, 786-293-3394
- Advocates for Victims/Safespace Hotline – Central, 305-693-0232
- Advocates for Victims/Safespace Hotline – South, 305-245-5011
- Advocates for Victims/Safespace Hotline – North, 305-758-2546, www.safespacefoundation.org
- Coordinated Victim's Assistance Center (CVAC), 305-463-7468 Ext 101, 10300 SW 72nd Street, Suite 387, Miami, FL, 33173, www.casa-us.org
- Kristi House, 305-547-6800, 1265 NW 12th Ave, Miami, FL, 33136, www.kristihouse.org
- The Lodge/Victim Response, Crisis 305-693-0232, Administrative 305-693-1170, www.thelodgemiami.org
- Lotus House, 305-438-0556, 217 NW 15th St, Miami, FL, 33136, www.lotushouse.org
- M.U.J.E.R. – Men and Women in Justice, Education, and Reform, Help Line 305-763-2459, Main Office 305-247-1388, 27112 S Dixie Highway, Naranja, FL 33032, www.mujeerfla.org

EDUCATION, COACHING, AND CAREER READINESS PROGRAMS AND SERVICES

The following are comprehensive organizations and groups that assist young people in education, coaching, and employment through supportive programs and services.

Miami-Dade County Public Schools Project UP-START

Project UP-START assists schools with the identification, enrollment, and attendance of students that might not have a permanent place to stay. Students enrolled in this program have access to free lunch, transportation (if they live over 2 miles from school), school supplies, counseling, workshops, advocacy, and tutoring services.

<http://projectupstart.dadeschools.net/#/>

- Main Office, 305-995-7318 or 305-995-7558
- Transportation Requests, 305-995-7583
- School-related Issues, 305-995-7558

Florida International University

Florida International University (FIU) offers career readiness programs, academic and support services, and community resources for their students and alumni. For more information go to www.fiu.edu.

- Fostering Panther Pride, 305-348-3445, 11200 SW 8th St, SASC 205, Miami, FL, 33199

Educate Tomorrow / Miami-Dade College – Single-Stop Offices

www.mdc.edu/main/singlestop

- Carrie P. Meek Entrepreneurial Education Center, 305-237-1903, 6300 NW 7th Ave, Miami, FL, 33150, Room 1211
- Kendall Campus, 305-237-0712, 11011 SW 104th St, Miami, FL, 33176, Building R, Room R200
- Medical Campus, 305-237-1444, 950 NW 20th St, Miami, FL, 33127, Student Life, Room 1171-03
- North Campus, 305-237-1056, 11380 NW 27th Ave, Miami, FL, 33167, Room 1119-B Building 1, First Floor
- Wolfson Campus, 305-237-3338, 300 NE 2nd Ave, Miami, FL, 33132, Room 3115-8, Building 3, First Floor

Early Childhood Education

The following are organizations and groups that provide services for early childhood development.

- Hands In Action, 305-883-5355, 240 East 1st Ave, Suite 115, Hialeah, FL, 33010, www.cap4kids.org/miami/182038128
- Smart Start Day School, 786-476-1704, 9945 Sunset Drive, Miami, FL, 33173, www.smartstartdayschool.com
- The YMCA of South Florida – Downtown Miami, 305-779-9622, 200 S Biscayne Blvd., Suite 15A, Miami, FL, 33131, www.ymcasouthflorida.org/locations

Early Learning Coalition of Miami-Dade/Monroe & Childcare Financial Assistance

Miami-Dade County's Department of Human Services provides financial assistance for child-care to parents with low-income. For more information please call 305-646-7220 or visit their website www.elcmdm.org.

Higher Education Financial Aid Services & Programs

The following are organizations that help students access financial aid and attend a higher education institution. **Please note that you may be eligible for the State tuition waiver if you are a former foster youth or if you are currently experiencing homelessness. If you are currently experiencing homelessness, you must be verified with the Homeless Helpline and/or Youth Access Points. You can reach out to Educate Tomorrow if you have any questions by calling 305-374-3751 or visiting their website at www.educatetomorrow.org.**

- FIU Fostering Panther Pride, 305-348-3445, 11200 SW 8th St, SASC 205, Miami, FL, 33199, www.sas.fiu.edu/fpp
- MDC Educate Tomorrow at Single-Stop, 305-237-1514, 300 NE 2nd Ave, Miami, FL, 33132, www.mdc.edu/main/singlestop/educate_tomorrow_at_single_stop.aspx
- American Education Services, 1-800-233-0557, www.aessuccess.org/contact/
- Federal Student Aid Information Center, 1-800-433-3243, www.studentaid.ed.gov/sa/contact

Miami-Dade County Public Schools Adult Education & Technical Colleges

MDCPS Adult Education and Technical Colleges are institutions offering various courses, certifications, and vocational/technical opportunities. For general information and locations, please call at 305-558-8000 or visit their website at www.at-mdcps.com. MDCPS Adult and Education and Technical Colleges accept the State tuition waiver mentioned in the previous section, "Higher Education Financial Aid Services & Programs". Please read the previous section regarding how to access the State tuition waiver, if eligible.

Special Education and Tutoring Services

The following are organizations and programs that provide special education and/or tutoring services.

- Breakthrough Miami, 305-646-7210, 3250 SW 3rd Ave, 6th Floor, Miami, FL, 33129, www.breakthroughmiami.org
- Easter Seals Society, 305-325-0470, 1475 NW 14th Ave, Miami, FL, 33125, www.easterseals.com/southflorida
- FIU Center for Children and Families, 305-348-0477, 11200 SW 8th St, AHC4 140, Miami, FL, 33199, www.ccf.fiu.edu
- Miami-Dade County Public Schools Adults with Disabilities Program, 305-995-1856, 1450 NE 2nd Ave, Miami, FL, 33132, <http://adultswithdisabilities.dadeschools.net>
- The On It Foundation (Technology, laptop access), 305-244-6454, 18520 NW 67th Ave, Suite 186, Miami, FL, 33015, www.theonitfoundation.org
- Upward Bound – Florida International University, 305-348-1742, 11200 SW 8th St, University Park, Graham Center 331, Miami, FL, 33199, www.ubs.fiu.edu/program

Leadership Development Programs and Services

The following are coaching programs and services dedicated to youth and young adult leadership development.

- The Alternative Programs, Inc., 305-758-4187, 3300 NW 27th Ave, Miami, FL, 33142
- American Children's Orchestras for Peace, Inc., 305-285-2303, 2150 Coral Way, Suite 3C, Miami, FL, 33145, www.americanchildrensorchestras.org
- Federation of Families, 786-802-3448, 111 NW 183rd St, Suite 110, Miami Gardens, FL, 33169, <https://fofmiami.org/>
- Big Brothers/Sisters of Miami, 305-644-0066, 550 NW 42nd Ave, Miami, FL, 33126, www.bbbsmiami.org
- Branches, 305-442-8306, 11500 NW 12th Ave, Miami, FL, 33168, www.branchesfl.org
- Boy Scouts of America - South Florida Council, 305-364-0020, 15255 NW 82nd Ave, Miami Lakes, FL, 33016, www.sfcbsa.org
- Cuban American National Council, 305-642-3484, 1223 SW 4th St, Miami, FL, 33135, www.cnc.org
- Empowered Youth, 786-317-4160, 20 NE 29th St, Wynwood Miami, 33137 www.empoweredyouthusa.org
- Girl Power Rocks!, 305-756-5502, 1600 NW 3rd Ave, #100, Miami, FL, 33136, www.girlpowerrocks.org
- Girl Scouts of Tropical Florida, 305-253-4841, Camp Choee 11347 SW 160th St, Miami, FL, 33157, www.girlscoutsfl.org
- Honey Shine, Inc., 305-349-1204 Ext 252, 100 Biscayne Blvd Way, Floor 3, Miami, FL, 33131, www.honeyshine.org
- Mentoring Valuable Proteges, Inc., 305-749-6090, <http://mentoringvaluableproteges.com/>
- Overtown Youth Center, 305-349-1204, 450 NW 14th St, Miami, FL, 33136, www.overtownyouth.org
- Power U Center for Social Change, 305-576-7449, 745 NW 54th St, Miami, FL, 33127, www.poweru.org
- The Motivational Edge, Inc. (Arts and Life Skills), 786-637-2143, 1550 NW 36th St, Miami, FL, 33142, <http://www.themotivationaledge.org>
- Shake-A-Leg, 305-858-5550, 2620 S Bayshore Dr, Miami, FL, 33133, www.shakealegmiami.org
- Up2Us – Coach Across America, 786-401-6299, 550 NW 42nd Ave, Suite 415, Miami, FL, 33126, www.up2us.org/contact
- Year Up, 305-577-6809, 25 NE 2nd St, Bldg. 5, Miami, FL, 33132, www.yearup.org
- Youth Co-Op, 305-643-6730, 3525 NW 7th St, Miami, FL, 33125, www.ycoop.org
- YMCA of South Florida, 305-357-6622, 730 NW 107th Ave, Suite 200, Miami, FL, 33172, www.ymcasouthflorida.org
- YWCA of Greater Miami-Dade Inc., 305-377-9922, 351 NW 5th St, Miami, FL, 33128, www.ywcamiami.org
- Youth MOVE – The Youth & Family Center, 786-802-3448, 111 NW 183rd St, Suite 110, Miami Gardens, FL, 33169, www.yfcenter.org/youth-move

Employment Programs and Services

The following are programs and services dedicated to helping youth and young adults connect with employment opportunities.

CareerSource South Florida

CareerSource South Florida (CSSF) offers programs to assist youth and adults to continue their education and training to advance their skills and pursue the best jobs possible. For more information visit their website at www.careersourcesfl.com/youth-services or to find your nearest center.

- Adults Mankind Organization, 305-445-8655, 4343 W Flagler St, Coral Gables, FL, 33134, www.amoservices.org
- Association for Development of the Exceptional, Miami 305-573-3737, 2801 North Miami Ave, Miami, FL, 33127; South Dade 305-257-2600, 12700 SW 216th St, Goulds, FL, 33172, www.ademiami.org
- City Year Miami, 786-406-7916, 44 W Flagler St, Miami, FL, 33130, www.cityyear.org/miami
- CNC Employment & Training Refugee/WAGES, 305-631-0038, 300 SW 12TH Ave, Suite 3268, Miami, FL, 33130, www.cnc.org
- Community Coalition, Inc., Miami 305-854-2882, 2100 Coral Way #402, Miami, FL, 33145; Hialeah 305-887-4140, 300 East 1st Ave, Suite 201, Hialeah, FL, 33010, www.communitycoalition.info
- Concerned African Women, 3056-621-3700, 1505 NW 167th St, Suite 101, Miami, FL, 33169, www.concernedafricanwomen.org
- Eckerd Project & Workforce Development, 305-705-4911, 18441 NW 2nd Ave, Suite 100, Miami, FL, 33169, www.eckerd.org
- Equal Employment Opportunities, 1-800-669-4000, 2 South Biscayne Blvd, Suite 2700, Miami, FL, 33131, www.miamidade.gov/humanrights/equal-employment.asp
- FIU Career & Talent Development Services, Modesto Maidique Campus 305-348-2423, 11200 SW 8th St, SASC 305; Biscayne Bay Campus 305-348-1281, 3000 NE 151st St, WUC 255, North Miami, FL, 33181, www.career.fiu.edu
- Get Hired Miami – Resume Building, <https://goo.gl/JQqfbb>
- Greater Miami Service Corps, 305-638-4672, 810 NW 28th St, Miami, FL, 33127, www.gmscmiami.com
- Miami Job Corps Center, 305-620-3100, 3050 NW 183rd St, Miami, FL, 33056, www.miami.jobcorps.gov
- OIC of South Florida, 305-638-4880, 5120 NW 24th Ave, Miami, FL, 33142, <https://oicsfl.org/>
- PeaceMakers, 786-888-4776, PO Box 680100, North Miami, FL, 33168, www.peacemakers.com
- Suited for Success, Inc., 305-444-1944, 1600 NW 3rd Ave, #111, Miami, FL, 33136, www.miami.dressforsuccess.org
- Transition Inc., 305-571-2001, 1550 NW 3rd Ave, Building C, Miami, FL, 33136, <https://transitioninc.org/>
- Women in Transition of South Florida, Inc., 786-477-8548, 6600 NW 27th Ave, Annex #A3, Miami, FL, 33147 www.womenintransitionmiami.org
- Youth Co-Op, 305-643-6730, 5040 NW 7th St, Ste 300, Miami, FL, 33126, www.ycoop.org

Foster Care Services and Centers

The following are organizations that advocate for and assist youth in foster care or who are exiting the foster care system.

- Advocates for Children and Families Adoption Services, 1-800-348-0467, 16831 NE 6th Ave, North Miami Beach, FL, 33162, www.adoptionflorida.org
- CBC Alliance, 395-694-3839, 700 NE 90th St, Miami Shores, FL, 33138 <https://mdcbcarealliance.org/>
- Children's Home Society of Florida Supported Foster Care Program, 305-573-2141, www.chsfl.org/services/child-welfare/foster-care
- Citrus Family Care Network, 305-455-6206, 401 NW 2nd Ave #S10, Miami, FL, 33128
- Florida Foster Care Review, 305-679-2746, 155 NW 3rd St, #4338, Miami, FL, 33128, www.fostercarereview.org
- Florida Youth Shine, 954-796-0860, 1401 N University Dr, Suite 408, Coral Springs, FL, 33071, www.floridayouthshine.org

- Guardian Ad Litem, 305- 679-2222, 155 NW 3rd St 6th floor, Miami, FL 33128, <https://guardianadlitem.org/get-involved/find-local-program-2/>
- Voices for Children, 305- 324-5678, 601 NW 1st Ct #10, Miami, FL 33136, <http://beavoice.org/>

FAITH-BASED ORGANIZATIONS

The following are faith-based organizations in Miami-Dade County that provide services and aid to youth.

Jewish Community Services of South Florida

The Jewish Community Services of South Florida offers a wide range of services including employment assistance, counseling and behavioral health, programs for LGBTQIA+ clients, and many more. For a complete list of what JCS offers, please visit their site at www.jcsfl.org or call 305-576-6550. For 24/7 information and resources for all health and human services within Miami-Dade county please call the 2-1-1 hotline.

- Agape Family Ministries, 305-235-2616, 22790 SW 112th Ave, Miami, FL, 33170, www.theagapenetwork.org
- Central Christian Church, 222 Menores Ave, Coral Gables, FL 33134, 305- 446-6132, www.cccgables.org
- Concept Health Systems, 305-751-6501, 162 NE 49th St, Miami, FL, 33137, www.concepthouse.org
- Hosanna Community Foundation, (305) 637-4404, 2171 NW 56th St, Miami, FL 33142, <http://hosannacommunitybc.org/>
- MCCJ (formerly Miami Coalition of Christians and Jews), 305-755-6096, 150 SE 2nd Ave, Suite 914, Miami, FL, 33131, <https://miamiccj.org/>
- Salvation Army, 305-573-4200, 2236 NW Miami Ct, Miami, FL, 33127, www.thesalvationarmyusa.org
- St. Luke's Center, 305-754-2444, 1505 NE 26th St, Wilton Manors, FL, 33305, www.ccadm.org
- Touching Miami with Love, Overtown 305-416-0435, 711 NW 6th Ave, Miami, FL, 33136; West Homestead – 305-242-1418, 1350 SW 4th St, Homestead, FL, 33030, www.touchingmiamiwithlove.org
- Trinity Church, 786-888-5533, 17801 NW 2nd Ave, Miami, FL, 33169, www.trinitychurch.tv

Frequently Asked Questions

- I want to go back to school, how do I start?
Please go to page 17 for a list of education programs and services. You can go to Educate Tomorrow www.educatetomorrow.com or contact MDCPS Project UP-START <https://bit.ly/35ehwrM>, if you are enrolled in M-DCPS.
- I don't have a permanent place to stay, what do I do? What if I don't have a place to sleep?
You can go to a listed Youth Access Point (YAP) on page 2 (pink table). A YAP is an agency that is here to help you regardless of your race, gender, and/or sexual orientation. They can directly refer you to shelter and/or other housing programs.
- What if my parents are incarcerated or are about to be and I won't have a place to stay?
If you are **under the age of 18, please call Miami Bridge at 305-635-8953**. If you are **over the age of 18, please call the Homeless Helpline at 877-994-4357 or call a YAP**.
- Where do I go for food?
Please go to page 7 to see information on food banks other food services.
- I need a job, who do I go to?
Please go to page 20 for a list of employment agencies. Please note that most of these agencies only service young people over the age of 18. You can also go to www.careersourcesfl.com.
- I need to access free and/or affordable healthcare, where do I go?
Please go to www.healthcare.gov for information on affordable federal healthcare insurance. Afterwards, you can go to page 10 for a list of healthcare providers.

For any urgent questions or concerns, please contact the Homeless Helpline at 1-877-994-4357 or 305-375-2273.

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