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1. Call **2-1-1** for a directory of social services in Oklahoma, or go online for the Community Resource Directory at www.referweb.net/hlok/
2. **Attorney & Legal Services**
 - a. Criminal defense attorney: *Jim Drummond*, Norman, OK, 310-4040
 - b. Drug charge specialist attorney: *Doug Parr*, OKC, 800-787-2415
 - c. Immigration law specialist: *Melissa Tipton*, OKC, 942-2269
 - d. Immigration law, pro bono: *Catholic Charities*, 1501 N. Classen Blvd., OKC, 523-3000
 - e. *Legal Aid*, call 488-6825 (No criminal, just civil, tax, bankruptcy, divorce, etc.)
 - f. *Trinity Legal Clinic* for the homeless, call "Cross and Crown Mission" in OKC, 232-7696
 - g. Help with Legal Fees (court costs, fines, etc.): *Still working on this one*
3. **Budget Spreadsheet:** See form on resource table (spreadsheet available on our website, www.h4hweb.org)
4. **Case Management:**
 - a. *C.A.R.E. for Change, Inc.*, 3621 N. Kelley Ave # 100, 524-5525, Gwen Lewis
 - b. *Family HOPE (program of Catholic Charities)*, 1501 N. Classen, 523-3028, Ashley Moore
 - c. *Salvation Army*, 311 SW 5th, 246-1060, Dee Watts
 - d. *Upward Transitions (formerly Traveler's Aid)*, 1033 N. Walker, Terri Womack, 232-5507
5. **Cell Phone & Service:**
 - a. *OKC Cellular*, 5730 NW 39th St., 942-2355, Sam Asseleh, owner
 - b. *TerraCom Wireless*, "Free Cell Phone", 877-351-4747 or www.terracomwireless.com
 - c. *USA Government Phone*, \$1 per month (if you are currently receiving government services), 855-872-6789 or www.usagovphone.com, 1,000 minutes or texts
6. **Child Support Issues:** OKDHS Child Support Enforcement (CSE), CARE Customer Service Center, 522-2922
7. **Clothing, Free or Almost Free:**
 - a. *Christian Service Center*, 115 SW 24th St., Jack Grimes, 236-5956
 - b. *Cross & Crown Ministries*, 1008 N. McKinley, Luke Whitmire, 232-7696
 - c. *Eastside Church of Christ*, 916 S. Douglas (Midwest City), Wanda, 622-2053, Mondays 9:00 to 11:00 AM
 - d. *Goodwill* (17 locations), nearest one to here is 2124 NW 23rd, just west of NW 23rd and Penn Ave.; returning citizens with prison paperwork can get \$40 in free products; main phone number, see above
 - e. *Heart and Hand Thrift Store*, NW 23rd & Council, 470-0431, Vicki Morris, Mon-Sat, 9:00AM to 7:00 PM
 - f. *Neighbor for Neighbor*, 300 SW 13th, 236-0473
 - g. *Redemption Church*, 1320 N. Penn, 528-0963
 - h. *Skyline Urban Ministries*, McKee Center, 500 S.E. 15th St., 632-2644, clothing Mon-Wed-Fri, 12:30 PM to 1:30 PM
 - i. *The Urban Mission*, 3737 N. Portland 946-1556
8. **Dental Care:** See the handout "**Resource for Dental Care**"
9. **Detox, Medical:** *The Referral Center "TRC"*, 1215 NW 25th, 525-2525, 10-14 day pgm. (men & women)
10. **Emergency Shelter Options** (NO Sex Offenders allowed; some Violent Offenders may be allowed, call for details)
 - a. *City Rescue Mission*, 800 W. California, 232-2709
 - b. *Grace Rescue Mission*, 2205 Exchange Ave., 232-5756
 - c. *Jesus House*, 1335 W. Sheridan, 232-7164
 - d. *Salvation Army*, 311 SW 5th, 246-1060
11. **Employment for ex-felons:**
 - a. See the handouts "**Roadmap to Employment in OKC**", "**Job Leads in OKC**" and "**Careers for Ex-Felons**"
12. **Eye Glasses & Optical Care:**
 - a. *Community Charity Eye Clinic* (located within Skyline Urban Ministry), 701 NW 8th St., 236-5212
 - b. *Crossings Community Clinic*, 2208 W. Hefner Road, 749-0800, By appointment only
 - c. *Ministries of Jesus*, 1100 E. I-35, Edmond, 340-7400
 - d. See the handout "**Healthcare Options for the Uninsured**"
13. **Furniture, Free or Low Cost:**

OTHER GOOD NUMBERS TO KNOW:

1. Celebrate Recovery: (918) 231-0655
2. County Health Dept.: (800) 522-0203
3. Goodwill: (800) GOODWILL
4. Oxford House: (800) 689-6411
5. Salvation Army: (405) 246-1100
6. Tobacco Quit-Line: (800-784-8669)

SPECIALTY SHELTERS IN OKC:

1. For women fleeing domestic violence: *YWCA Passageway*, 917-9922
2. For homeless teens: *Family Junction*, 201 NE 50th St., 235-7537
3. For children: *Pauline E. Mayer Shelter*, 5909 N. Classen Blvd., 521-3646
4. For the elderly and medically frail: *Sunbeam Family Services*, 528-7721
5. For homeless adults: *WestTown Day Shelter*, NW 3rd & Virginia, 415-8410

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- a. *The Furniture Bank of Oklahoma City* - Inquiries to receive furniture must go through a partnering agency, which is either Skyline Ministries at 632-2644 or Catholic Charities at 523-3000. They will provide the necessary referral.
- b. Also, see #34, Thrift Stores
14. **Haircuts:** \$5 haircut, *Pat & Debbie's*, corner of W. Commerce (SW 25th) & Robinson
15. **Health, Wellness, Exercise & Work-Out Facilities:**
 - a. Most YMCA's offer free memberships to the unemployed or those in low income: Ask about the "starter membership" and then request to fill out a financial assistance form.
 - b. *The CUBE*: free gym facility, 7903 NW 30th, 495-2727 (A ministry of Council Road Baptist Church)
16. **Health Insurance:** *SoonerCare* (through OKDHS) (800) 987-7767 (Oklahoma Medicaid)
17. **HIV/AIDS Support & Treatment:** *RAIN Oklahoma*, 600 NW 23rd St., 232-2437, www.rainoklahoma.org
18. **Homeless Showers:**
 - a. *The CUBE*: free shower facility, 7903 NW 30th, 495-2727, M-F 7-to-7, closed Sat. & Sun.
19. **Housing Assistance**
 - a. *Community Action Agency*, 319 SW 25th St., 232-0199, Hazel Poplin, Social Services Coordinator
 - b. *Neighborhood Services Organization (NSO)*, 431 SW 11th St., 236-0413, Zelda Davis
 - c. *Oklahoma City Housing Authority (Public Housing, Section 8, etc.)*, 239-7551, 1700 NE 4th St.
 - d. *Oklahoma Housing Finance Agency*, 100 NW 63rd St., Suite 200, 848-1144, homeless program, rental assistance, home ownership programs
 - e. *The Homeless Alliance*, 1729 NW 3rd St., 632-2293, Dan Straughn
20. **Housing for Sex Offenders:**
 - a. *Hand Up Ministries*, SE 59th & Eastern, Rev. David Nichols, 232-5871 (men's & women's programs), residential program, waiting list, thorough screening
 - b. *Hope for the Hopeless*, 615-6648, Steve Gordon, housing options for RSO's with income and transportation
21. **Identification:**
 - a. *OK State Health Dept. Vital Records*, NE 10th & Stonewall, 271-4040 (birth certificates)
 - b. *Dept. of Public Safety*, 2480 W. I-240 Service Rd., 681-5489 (state ID's and drivers licenses)
 - c. *Social Security Office*, 2615 N. Villa (Shepherd Mall, west door), 866-331-2207 (S.S. cards, etc.)
 - d. Where to write for vital records: www.cdc.gov/nchs/w2w.htm (individual state and territory information)
 - e. Financial Assistance for ID's:
 - i. *Guild of St. George*, 117 NW 7th St., 235-3436
 - ii. *Fairview Baptist Church*, 1700 NE 7th St., Donna Thompson, 209-6750
 - iii. *Northeast Resource Center*, 3401 NE 16th St., Marilyn Long, 602-1532
 - iv. *Upward Transitions (formerly Traveler's Aid)*, 1033 N. Walker, Terri Womack, 232-5507
22. **Meals & Food:**

(*Regional Food Bank* website directory of food programs: www.regionalfoodbank.org, then 'search for help' online to find a program in your neighborhood or call 972-1111)

 - a. *Christian Service Center*, 115 SW 24th St., Jack Grimes, 236-5956, food pantry
 - b. *Love Link Ministries*, food pantry, Tuesdays & Fridays, 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM, 1122 Linwood Blvd. (SW corner of NW 6th, Linwood Blvd & N. Western), 239-6219
 - c. *Salvation Army Emergency Food Pantry*, 501 S. Harvey, 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM (noon) and 1:00 – 4:00 PM Monday – Thursday. Friday, they are open from 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM (noon) for clients that receive disability benefits and/or seniors 62 years of age and older.
 - d. *Sister BJ's Pantry*, 819 NW 4th, 837-7068, Breakfast, Fri & Sat
 - e. *West Town Day Shelter*, 1729 NW 3rd, Andrew Waymire, 415-8500, Breakfast & Lunch, Mon-Fri
23. **Medical Clinics**
 - a. SOONER SUCCESS HOTLINE: (800) 426-2747 (medical and special needs hotline)
 - b. *Healing Hands Clinic* (for the homeless): walk-ins and appointments; 411 NW 11th St., 272-0476
 - c. See the handout "Healthcare Options for the Uninsured"
24. **Mental Health Community Service Centers and Other Resources:**
 - a. REACH OUT HOTLINE: (800) 522-9054

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- b. *Hope Community Services*, 105 S.E. 45th, 634-4400
 - c. *North Care*, 1140 N. Hudson, 272-0660
 - d. *Red Rock*, 4400 N. Lincoln, 424-7711
 - e. *OK County Crisis Intervention Center*, 1200 NE 13th St., 522-8100
 - f. *NAMI Oklahoma*, support groups & more, 4200 Perimeter Center Dr. Suite 150, 230-1900
25. **Native American Resources:**
- a. *United Urban Indian Council*: 4801 N. Classen Blvd., Suite 200, Tina, 810-9202, job search assistance, GED classes, tuition assistance; only helps Oklahoma County residents – www.uuic.org - call for an appointment
 - b. *Cheyenne-Arapaho Employment Program* – Holly Sheridan (405) 262-0345 ext. 27490
 - c. *Chickasaw Nation Prisoner Reentry Program* – Cynthia Mose (580) 222-2842, ext. 61120
 - d. *Citizen-Potawatomi Nation Prisoner Reentry Program* – Burt Patadal (405) 598-0797 (helps any tribe)
 - e. *Comanche Nation Prisoner Reentry Program* – Alicia Wilson (580) 492-3341
 - f. *Muscogee (Creek) Nation Prisoner Reentry Program* – Tony Fish (918) 652-2676
 - g. *Seminole Nation Prisoner Reentry Program* – Andrea Alexander (405) 220-5672
26. **Prescriptions/Pharmacy:**
- a. *Oklahoma County Pharmacy*, 7401 NE 23rd St., 713-1893, must have current prescription
 - b. *RX for Oklahoma* at 1-877-RX4-OKLA (877-794-6552)
 - c. See the handout “**Healthcare Options for the Uninsured**”
27. **Prison Aftercare Ministries (MUST APPLY FROM PRISON, NOT THE STREET)**
- a. *Exodus House*, 433 NW 25th, Robin Wertz, 525-2300 (men’s & women’s programs)
 - b. *Fitting Back In*, Main # (in Tulsa) 918-592-3500 – has OKC satellite location (men & women)
 - c. *Hand Up Ministries*, SE 59th & Eastern, Rev. David Nichols, 232-5871 (men’s & women’s programs)
 - d. *Living Faith Ministries*, 1404 E. I-44 Service Road, David McBride, 607-0928 (men only)
 - e. *Living Hope Ministries*, www.livinghopeok.org, Janet Sherry, 535-8328 (women only)
28. **Rental Assistance:**
- a. *Community Action Agency*, 319 S.W. 25th St., 232-0199
 - b. *Good Shepherd Ministries*, 1201 N. Robinson, Cathy Manuel, 232-8631
 - c. *NSO – Neighborhood Service Organization*, call 604-9453 ON TUESDAYS starting at 9:00 a.m. *Calls left on the answering machine will not be returned.*
 - d. Or call 2-1-1
29. **Residential Recovery Programs** (all are Christian discipleship and/or housing programs for addicts)
- a. *Adult Rehabilitation Center “ARC”*, 2041 N.W. 7th Street, Captain Greg Davis, 236-3677 (men only)
 - b. *Bridge to Life*: 10-month program at City Rescue Mission (see contact info above), (men & women)
 - c. *My Brother’s Keeper*, 897 NW 95th, 286-5303, Pastor Phillip Castillo
 - d. *CityCare’s Pershing Center*: 2400 General Pershing Blvd., 609-2400, (men & women), awesome long-term program, must be homeless and have 90 days sobriety
 - e. *Teen Challenge (Men 18+)*: 2212 SW 55th St., 600-7417
30. **Sex Offender Treatment Provider:** *Dr. Richard Kishur*, Behavioral Therapy, 848-3373
31. **Sober Living Houses & Programs** (partial list)
- a. *Oxford House*, many locations in OKC (men, women, women w/ children), www.oxfordhouseok.org
 - b. *Providence Sober Living Apartments*, 2425 NE 10th St., Reva Coby, 424-2547 (men & women)
 - c. *Serenity Outreach Recovery Community*, Pastors Ronald & Wilma Scott, 557-1910 (men & women)
 - d. *SOS Sober House for Women (“Amethyst House”)*, James Patterson, 205-8251 (women only)
 - e. *Turning Point*, 2425 NE 10th St., 424-2547, Mon. & Wed. 11-7, Tue., Thu., Fri. 8-5 (men & women)
 - f. *Ubuntu Living*, Kenny Fikes, apply online at www.ubuntuliving.org (men only)
32. **Substance Abuse Treatment (Outpatient):**
- a. See the handout “**A Roadmap to Treatment & Recovery in OKC**”
 - b. *C.A.R.E. for Change, Inc.*, 3621 N. Kelley Ave # 100, 524-5525, Gwen Lewis
 - c. *Specialized Outpatient Services (SOS)*: 5208 Classen Circle, 810-1766, Linda Williams
 - d. *Turning Point*, 319 SW 25th, 232-0199, ext. 2306
33. **Support Groups**

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- a. **AA Hotline:** 524-1100.....**NA Hotline:** 524-7068
 - b. **OCARTA:** 2808 NW 31st, OKC, 848-7555, addiction recovery support, peer-led groups, reentry help & more!
 - c. **Mental Illness Support Group**, through *NAMI Oklahoma*: 230-1900, namiok@coxinet.net, www.ok.nami.org, Executive Director: Ms. Traci Cook
 - d. **MONDAY NIGHT: Celebrate Recovery @ Western Oaks Church of the Nazarene**, 7901 NW 16th, dinner at 6:00 PM, worship at 7:00 PM, share group at 8:00 PM, coffee at 9:00 PM, 787-2042
 - e. **TUESDAY NIGHT: Celebrate Recovery @ Crossroads Church 8901 S. Shields, 634-1495; CR Contact: Debra Jones; 6:00pm Meal 7:00pm Large Group 8:00pm Small Groups 9:00pm Solid Rock Café**
 - f. **THURSDAY NIGHT: Celebrate Recovery @ Crossings Community Church**, 14600 N. Portland, dinner at 5:45 PM, worship at 6:30 PM, share group at 7:30 PM, coffee at 8:30 PM, 302-1262
 - g. **FRIDAY NIGHT: Share Your Care @ Council Road Baptist Church**, 2900 N. Council Road, 6:00 PM, dinner included, 234-6335
34. **Thrift Stores:** (Online Directory: www.thethriftshopper.com/city/Oklahoma_City/OK/1.htm)
- a. *Heart and Hand Thrift Store* (NW 23rd & Council in the DeVille Shopping Center), 470-0431, Vicki
 - b. *Love Link*, 1122 Linwood Blvd., Marilyn or Dave, 239-6219
 - c. *Presbyterian Urban Mission*, 3737 N. Portland, 946-1556
 - d. *R.O.C. (Reaching Our City Thrift)*, NW 10th and Rockwell, Laurie, 440-0174
35. **Transportation**
- a. Source for bicycles: *Backyard Bikes*, Mark Adamson, 232-1281, 1604 NW 30th (prices starting at \$35)
 - b. Metro Transit System bus routes – to view online: www.gometro.org, then click Schedules, then System Map, or call 235-RIDE
 - c. Free City Bus Passes (for the Metro Transit system):
 - i. *Catholic Charities*, 1501 N. Classen Blvd., 523-3000
 - ii. *Goodwill*, 316 S. Blackwelder, Linda Wilson, 278-7152
 - iii. *Guild of St. George*, 117 NW 7th St., 235-3436
 - iv. *Salvation Army*, 311 SW 5th, Dee Watts, 246-1060
 - v. *Upward Transitions (formerly Traveler's Aid)*, 1033 N. Walker, Terri Womack, 232-5507
 - vi. *Urban League*, 3900 N. Martin Luther King Ave., Beverly Leflore-Woodson, 424-5243
 - d. 30-day Bus Pass: \$50, *Bus Station Transit Center*, NW 5th & Hudson (\$25 for “special patrons”)
 - e. On weeknights and Sundays, METRO Link provides transportation in a defined area of Oklahoma City. Anyone can use METRO Link - simply hop-on at any stop. A limited number of reservations for curb-to-curb service are available. With reservations, METRO Link will pick up and drop off at any house or business located within the service area. Call 688-6552 for details.
 - f. Work Trucks: *Pick-up trucks* for \$1,000 & up, Jerry Scalf, 640-4242
 - g. *SoonerRide*, 877-404-4500, non-emergency transportation service to SoonerCare medical appointments
36. **Veterans' Services:**
- a. See the hand-out “**Roadmap to Veterans' Services in OKC**”
 - b. Prison reentry and transition services for veterans: Tony Kirksey, VA Med. Ctr., 456-1762
 - c. Employment for homeless veterans: Reva Sweetin, VA Med. Ctr., 694-1350
 - d. Employment for veterans: Bill Jobe, WorkForce, 713-1890
37. **Women's Ministries**
- a. *Agape Connection*: classes, recovery from abuse & trauma, mentoring, Laronda Alexander RN, 306-4524
 - b. *Bethel Foundation* (single working moms only): temporary housing, education assistance, life skills training, on-going parenting support, baby stuff, kids' events and more, Lynda Powell, 286-3700
 - c. *Healthy Start*: resources for parents of babies and more!, Marguerita Shaw, 210-1003, www.chciokc.org
 - d. *Heart & Hand Homes*: victims of domestic abuse, 9 houses in OKC, Kathy Pauwell, 528-0171
 - e. *Raising The Standard Ministries*: transitional housing for ex-offenders, Ilinda Jackson, 228-4042
 - f. *The Sanctuary*: Women's Development Center, 2133 SW 11th, Lisa Chamberlain, 526-2321, safe haven + resources
 - g. *YWCA Transitional Housing*: 2460 W. I-44 Service Road, 948-1770, 2-year program

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