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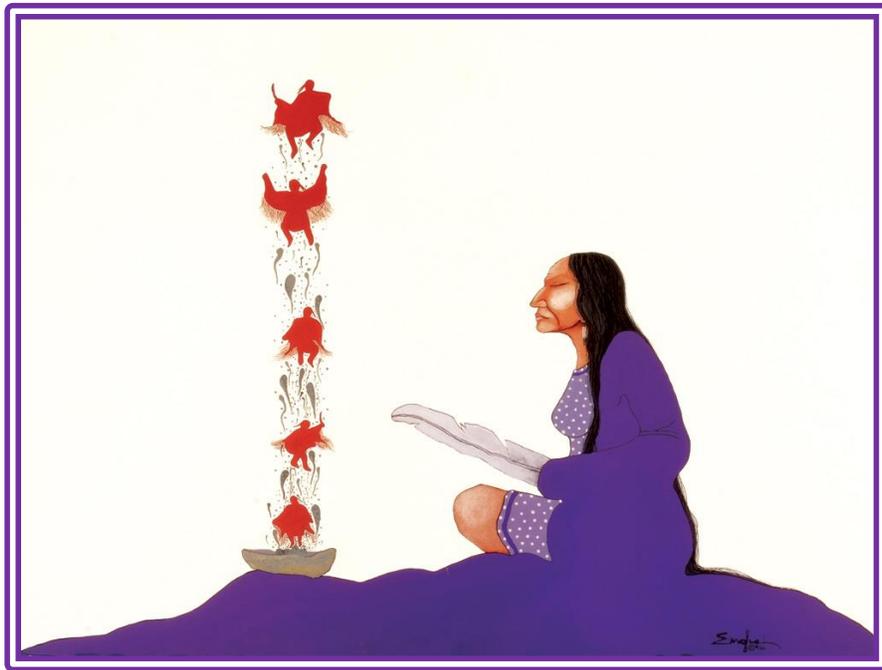
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## About This Resource

The *Sex Trafficking in Indian Country: Victim/Survivor Resource Book (Resource Book)* is intended to provide Tribal Coalitions with basic information on sex trafficking as it impacts Native people and to provide access to direct services that may assist victims/survivors of sex trafficking.

The need for this resource became evident when a Native victim/survivor from a tribal community attempted to escape her abuser and requested help from tribal advocates. The victim/survivor needed to relocate to another community thousands of miles away. So, the advocates needed to immediately locate resources and services needed: transportation, overnight lodgings along the route, food and snacks for her children, and clothing for her and her children.

Once those immediate resources were identified, the advocates realized the victim/survivor would still need lodging, legal assistance, and other support services upon her arrival at the final destination. Because the victim/survivor was relocating outside the advocate's service region and network—into an area where no tribal resources were available, the task seemed daunting. It quickly became evident that there was no single resource available to the advocates to sufficiently help this victim/survivor. The advocates reached out to their Tribal Coalition for assistance in identifying, locating, and coordinating the services needed for their client—services that would span many states.

Because the situation outlined in the preceding text is not uncommon for tribal advocates and Tribal Coalitions serving Native victims/survivors, the primary goal of this *Resource Book* is to provide an extensive list of holistic resources and services for victims/survivors. Each state with a Tribal Coalition is included in this *Resource Book*, seventeen states in total. E-copies of this *Resource Book* are available through the Tribal Coalitions website: [www.TribalCoalitions.org](http://www.TribalCoalitions.org).

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## Section 1: Sex Trafficking of Native People

### Sex Trafficking in Indian Country

Today, there are 567 federally recognized tribes speaking more than 250 languages and maintaining separate cultures, customs, and histories.<sup>1</sup> As mentioned in the preceding text, the sex trafficking of Native American women/girls in urban areas and Indian country<sup>2</sup> is disproportionately high as compared to the rest of the populations. For instance, the wide-range impact of a large population influx due to the oil fracking industries in North Dakota and Montana resulted in tribal victim service providers reporting a doubling and tripling of the numbers of sexual assaults, domestic violence, and human trafficking incidents since 2008.<sup>3</sup> However, according to the latest data<sup>4</sup> and anecdotal evidence, Alaska is perhaps experiencing the highest rates of Native sex trafficking victimization in the nation.<sup>5</sup>

### Sex Trafficking Elements

While each jurisdiction may have varying definitions, sex trafficking generally occurs when a commercial sex act is induced by force, fraud, or coercion or in a situation in which the person induced to perform such an act is under the age of eighteen years of age.<sup>6</sup> A commercial sex act can usually consist of any sex act(s) exchanged for food, shelter, money, or anything of value. Sex trafficking does not typically require the movement or transport of a victim.<sup>7</sup>

Sex traffickers frequently subject their victims to debt-bondage, an illegal practice in which the traffickers tell their victims that they owe money (often relating to the victims' living expenses)

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<sup>1</sup> *Federal and State Recognized Tribes*, NAT'L CONFERENCE OF ST. LEG., <http://www.ncsl.org/research/state-tribal-institute/list-of-federal-and-state-recognized-tribes.aspx> (last visited Sept. 14, 2016).

<sup>2</sup> "Indian Country" is defined in 18 U.S.C.A. § 1151 (1948) (categorizing Indian country as: (a) all land within the limits of a reservation, (b) all dependent Indian communities, and (c) all Indian allotments, the title which has not been extinguished).

<sup>3</sup> Written Testimony of Lisa Bruner, Hearing on *Combating Human Trafficking, Federal, State and Local Perspectives*, COMM. ON HOMELAND SEC. AND GOVERNMENTAL AFF. (Sept. 23, 2013), <http://www.hsgac.senate.gov/hearings/combating-human-trafficking-federal-state-and-local-perspectives> (last visited Sept. 12, 2016).

<sup>4</sup> Complicating this data is the fact that Alaska enacted a very broad antitrafficking law that resulted in Native people that would have previously been charged with prostitution instead being charged with trafficking.

<sup>5</sup> Eric Holder, Jr. et al., *Attorney General's Advisory Committee on American Indian/Alaska Native Children Exposed to Violence: Ending Violence So Children Can Thrive*, U.S. DEP'T OF JUST. 132 (Nov. 2014), [https://www.justice.gov/sites/default/files/defendingchildhood/pages/attachment/2015/03/23/ending\\_violence-so\\_children\\_can\\_thrive.pdf](https://www.justice.gov/sites/default/files/defendingchildhood/pages/attachment/2015/03/23/ending_violence-so_children_can_thrive.pdf).

<sup>6</sup> Alexandra (Sandi) Pierce, *Shattered Hearts: The Commercial Sex Exploitation of American Indian Women and Girls in Minnesota*, MINN. INDIAN WOMEN'S RESOURCE CENTER 21-23 (2009), [http://www.sdcedsv.org/media/sdcedsvfactor360com/shattered\\_hearts\\_full\\_report-web\\_version.pdf](http://www.sdcedsv.org/media/sdcedsvfactor360com/shattered_hearts_full_report-web_version.pdf).

<sup>7</sup> *Id.*

and that they must pledge their personal services to repay the debt.<sup>8</sup> Sex traffickers use a variety of methods to “condition” or manipulate and influence their victims including starvation, confinement, beatings, physical abuse, rape, gang rape, threats of violence to the victims and the victims’ families, forced drug use, and the threat of shaming their victims by revealing their activities to their family and their families’ friends.<sup>9</sup>

## Facts and Myths of Sex Trafficking

There is an unfortunate lack of reliable data on the problem of sex trafficking in Indian country. This lack of reliable data is tied to the limited amount of methodologically sound research, articles, and reports on the topic. As a result, many claims regarding sex trafficking are based on very limited information and should be understood within the context of their limitations. However, despite limited data, there are several “facts” that can be taken at face value and are helpful to keep in mind as long as the reader understands that they may not be applicable in every community. This short section will highlight some of those facts and will also address several myths about sex trafficking.

Sex trafficking operations are not always secretive and may take place in a variety of public venues including fake massage businesses; through escort services and residential brothels; and at truck stops, hotels, motels, casinos, spas, strip clubs, and other fronts for prostitution.<sup>10</sup> Victims may start off dancing or stripping in clubs and then be coerced into prostitution by a trafficker.<sup>11</sup>

The threat of prosecution for participation in sex industries can further traumatize victims/survivors of sex trafficking as well as leave them with a profound distrust of law enforcement, all of which can prevent them from seeking future assistance.<sup>12</sup> Furthermore, the criminal record that results from being convicted can act as a barrier to future employment, housing, and other opportunities.<sup>13</sup>

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<sup>8</sup> MHeffern, *ABC's of Human Trafficking: Debt Bondage, Exploitation, and Force*, RENEWAL FORUM (July 11, 2013), <http://renewalforum.org/abcs-of-human-trafficking-debt-bondage-exploitation-and-force/> (last visited Sept. 19, 2016).

<sup>9</sup> *Fact Sheet: Sex Trafficking*, OFF. ON TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS, <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/endtrafficking/resource/fact-sheet-sex-trafficking-english> (last visited September 20, 2016).

<sup>10</sup> *Id.* at 41.

<sup>11</sup> *Id.* 39–40.

<sup>12</sup> See Tara Burns, *People in Alaska's Sex Trade: Their Lived Experiences and Policy Recommendations 90-94* (May 2015) (unpublished M.A. thesis, University of Alaska Fairbanks) (on file with Tribal Law and Policy Institute; summary version also available at <http://sextraffickingalaska.com/pdfs/AKSWR.pdf>) (discussing, through interviews, experiences victims/survivors of sex trafficking have had with law enforcement including arrest and prosecution for sex trafficking and prostitution).

<sup>13</sup> *Id.* at 81 (discussing how some survey participants said “that they couldn’t leave the [sex trade] because of criminal convictions or pending criminal charges prevented them from obtaining other employment” and “[i]ronically, these convictions included prostitution charges”).

A common misconception is that sex trafficking is a new problem in tribal communities. However, colonists targeted Native women for rape, kidnapping, and trafficking since before the formation of the United States as nation. Colonial leaders argued that their men were simply yielding to temptation and assigned no moral or religious consequences to the perpetrators.<sup>14</sup> The National Human Trafficking Resource Center lists some other myths and misconceptions related to human trafficking, which includes both labor and sex trafficking:<sup>15</sup>

- Myth 1: Trafficked persons can only be foreign nationals or are only immigrants from other countries. **Fact:** The federal definition of *human trafficking* includes both U.S. citizens and foreign nationals.
- Myth 2: Human trafficking is essentially a crime that must involve some form of travel, transportation, or movement across state or national borders. **Fact:** Trafficking does not require transportation.
- Myth 3: Human trafficking is another term for human smuggling. **Fact:** Smuggling is a crime against a country's borders. Human trafficking is a crime against a person.
- Myth 4: There must be elements of physical restraint, physical force, or physical bondage when identifying a human trafficking situation. **Fact:** Trafficking does not require physical restraint, bodily harm, or physical force.
- Myth 5: Victims of human trafficking will immediately ask for help or assistance and will self-identify as a victim of crime. **Fact:** Victims of human trafficking often do not immediately seek help or self-identify as victims of crime.
- Myth 6: Human trafficking victims always come from situations of poverty or from small rural villages. **Fact:** Although poverty can be a factor in human trafficking because poverty is an indicator of vulnerability, poverty alone is not a single causal factor or a universal indicator of a human trafficking victim.
- Myth 7: Sex trafficking is the only form of human trafficking. **Fact:** The federal definition includes both sex trafficking and labor trafficking.
- Myth 8: Human trafficking only occurs in illegal underground industries. **Fact:** Trafficking can occur in legal and legitimate business settings as well as underground markets.
- Myth 9: If the trafficked person consented to be in their initial situation or was informed about what type of labor they would be doing or that commercial sex would be involved, then it cannot be human trafficking or against their will because they knew better. **Fact:** Initial consent to commercial sex or a labor setting prior to acts of force, fraud, or coercion (or if the victim is a minor in a sex trafficking situation) is not relevant to the crime, nor is payment.
- Myth 10: Foreign national trafficking victims are always undocumented immigrants or here in this country illegally. **Fact:** Not all foreign national victims are undocumented.

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<sup>14</sup> KRISTEN FISCHER, *SUSPECT RELATIONS: SEX, RACE, AND RESISTANCE IN COLONIAL NORTH CAROLINA* (2001).

<sup>15</sup> *What Is Human Trafficking: Myths and Misconceptions*, NAT'L HUMAN TRAFFICKING RESOURCE CENTER, <http://traffickingresourcecenter.org/what-human-trafficking/myths-misconceptions> (last visited Sept. 12, 2016).

## Sex Trafficking Risk Factors

While no one factor is determinate that a person will become a victim/survivor of sex trafficking, certain risk factors have been identified as indicators of vulnerability to sex trafficking, which include individuals that are exposed to child abuse (including child sexual abuse) and neglect, sexual assault, substance abuse, runaways, homelessness, extreme poverty, and those with a cultural disconnect.<sup>16</sup> Additionally, sex traffickers often target vulnerable populations subject to social discrimination such as Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Trans\*, Queer/Questioning, Intersex, and Two-Spirit (LGBTQ/2) individuals.<sup>17</sup>

While many characteristics are shared by other domestic sex trafficking victims/survivors, the risk factors for Native Americans come together in a “perfect storm,” rendering Native women and girls particularly vulnerable to the crime.<sup>18</sup> Native American women and girls’ sex trafficking risk factors include highest rates of physical and sexual violence in the United States,<sup>19</sup> sexual assaults at an early age,<sup>20</sup> drug and alcohol abuse,<sup>21</sup> and generational trauma.<sup>22</sup>

The Department of Justice has acknowledged that the overrepresentation of Native American women among sex trafficking victims is a national problem.<sup>23</sup> In order to grasp the context of this issue, one must recall that Native Americans have been subject to war, conquest, rape, and genocide, and were disconnected from their land.<sup>24</sup> The sexual exploitation and trafficking of Native American women and girls occurs at disproportionate rates. In 2011, *The Garden of Truth: The Prostitution and Trafficking of Native Women in Minnesota* (“The Minnesota Report”) was published and found that 85 percent of the women and girls trafficked in Minnesota were Native and concluded that gangs in the area specifically targeted Native girls because traffickers can represent Native girls as many different ethnicities, thus enhancing their “marketability.”<sup>25</sup>

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<sup>16</sup> Alexandra (Sandi) Pierce & Suzanne Koeplinger, *New Language, Old Problem: Sex Trafficking of American Indian Women and Children*, NAT’L ONLINE RESOURCE CENTER ON VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN (Oct. 2011), [http://www.vawnet.org/Assoc\\_Files\\_VAWnet/AR\\_NativeSexTrafficking.pdf](http://www.vawnet.org/Assoc_Files_VAWnet/AR_NativeSexTrafficking.pdf); see also *Understanding Sex Trafficking*, CTR. FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION, <http://www.cdc.gov/violenceprevention/sexualviolence/trafficking.html> (last visited Sept. 12, 2016).

<sup>17</sup> Pierce, *supra* note 6 at 111–112 (discussing how two-spirited, bisexual, and transgender “youth are much more likely than heterosexual-identifying youth to report having been kicked out of their homes or having run away, which makes them even more vulnerable to commercial sexual exploitation”).

<sup>18</sup> Andrea L. Johnson, *A Perfect Storm: The U.S. Anti-Trafficking Regime’s Failure to Stop the Sex Trafficking of American Indian Women and Girls*, 43 COLUM. HUM. RTS. L. REV. 617 (2012).

<sup>19</sup> Pierce & Koeplinger, *supra* note 16, at 8.

<sup>20</sup> Sarah Deer, *Relocation Revisited*, 36 Wm. Mitchell L. Rev. 621, 626 (2009–2010).

<sup>21</sup> *Id.* at 678.

<sup>22</sup> Pierce & Koeplinger, *supra* note 16, at 8.

<sup>23</sup> *Attorney General’s Annual Report to Congress and Assessment of U.S. Government Activities to Combat Trafficking in Persons in Fiscal Year 2009*, U.S. DEP’T OF JUST. 16 (2010).

<sup>24</sup> Deer, *supra* note 20, at 625.

<sup>25</sup> Sarah Deer et al., *Garden of Truth: The Prostitution and Trafficking of Native Women in Minnesota* (October 27, 2011) available at [http://www.prostitutionresearch.com/pdfs/Garden\\_of\\_Truth\\_Final\\_Project\\_WEB.pdf](http://www.prostitutionresearch.com/pdfs/Garden_of_Truth_Final_Project_WEB.pdf).

## Section 2: Examining the Intersections between Domestic Violence and Sex Trafficking

Because advocates working at domestic violence programs may encounter victims/survivors of sex trafficking presenting as a victim/survivor of domestic violence, it is critical that advocates understand nuances of both (sometimes co-occurring) forms of victimization in order to better identify and appropriately respond to trafficking victims/survivors. Victim-centered advocacy, confidentiality, and safety must be the foremost priorities to advocates and are critical to working with both domestic violence victims/survivors as well as victims/survivors of sex trafficking.<sup>26</sup>

*“Victims/survivors may experience multiple sexual assaults by clients— victims/survivors often find these experiences difficult to talk about. Consider the sex trafficking victim who is forced by her perpetrator to have sex with his friends or gang members. The feelings of shame and stigma that are common in sexual assault cases are often compounded for those who are, or once were, part of the sex industry and fear moral condemnation by the justice system or society at large. . . . Although advocates are accustomed to working with legal and social service systems, working with sex trafficked persons challenges the way advocates typically interact with systems and collaborate with other agencies or providers.”<sup>27</sup>*

Sex traffickers may also have children with their victims/survivors. Additionally, the trafficker may have threatened to or may have already used physical abuse as a mechanism to control and coerce the victim/survivor. Threats and physical abuse may also enforce silence when the victim/survivor comes into contact with the justice system.<sup>28</sup> Emotional harm can also be just as damaging to a victim as physical violence. For example, threatening to “out” an LGBTQ/2 individual to their community or family may mean the loss of social and economic support.<sup>29</sup> Furthermore, a trafficker who threatens to, or actually discloses a person’s engagement (forced or otherwise) in the sex industry may put that person at risk of losing their children or exacerbate emotional and economic instability, while continuing to tighten their power and control over that victim/survivor’s life.

For those encountering victims/survivors of trafficking through the justice system, remember that the dynamics of control and coercion may affect their ability to use legal system resources effectively. Even if an individual was coerced, that does not necessarily reduce the real or

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<sup>26</sup> *What Are the Connections between Domestic Violence and Human Trafficking?*, NAT’L RESOURCE CENTER ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, <http://www.nrcdv.org/dvam/sites/default/files2/HumanTrafficking%26DV-TalkingPointsForm.pdf>.

<sup>27</sup> *Id.*

<sup>28</sup> *The Intersection of Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault and Human Trafficking*, CENTER ON CT. INNOVATION, [http://www.courtinnovation.org/sites/default/files/documents/UnderstandingHumanTrafficking\\_2.pdf](http://www.courtinnovation.org/sites/default/files/documents/UnderstandingHumanTrafficking_2.pdf).

<sup>29</sup> *Id.*

perceived blaming and stigma associated with sex trafficking. This results in sex trafficking victims/survivors being vulnerable to further trauma and less likely to seek help, especially from justice system participants whom they do not know or trust.<sup>30</sup>

Finally, it is very important that victims/survivors of sex trafficking understand all of their available legal and resource options, including possible immigration relief. In addition to possible access to public benefits, federal laws have several helpful options for those facing immigration issues, such as the T-visa for victims of trafficking and the U-visa for victims of designated crimes, including some that often happen in the context of sex trafficking.<sup>31</sup>

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<sup>30</sup> See Pierce, *supra* note 6 at 95–97.

<sup>31</sup> *Id.* See also the “Train-the-Trainer Curriculum: Legal Issues Related to Sex Trafficking in Indian Country” for more information on federal, state, and tribal sex trafficking laws.

## Section 3: Screening and Safety Concerns for Native Victims/Survivors

### Screening Tools

Screening tools are usually intended to be used as part of a regular intake process or as part of enrollment for specific programs. Because each agency's intake process is unique, agencies should determine how to best integrate screening tools with their other intake forms or procedures and screening timing may vary by discipline. In order for the results to be valid, the screening should be administered according to prearranged protocols, whether or not the client is believed to be a victim/survivor of sex trafficking. Currently, there is no tribal-specific sex trafficking screening tool in place. However, screening tools usually focus on information to address issues such as:

- Setting up the client interview;
- Developing client trust;
- Demonstrating respect;
- Maintaining client confidentiality; and
- Understanding effects of trauma and victimization.

Screening tools may also include additional resources such as sample questions for the victim/survivor's use.<sup>32</sup> It is very important to never begin by asking directly whether the person has been beaten or held against their will.<sup>33</sup>

Keep in mind that the trauma caused by a sex trafficker(s) can be so great that people may not identify themselves as victims or seek help.<sup>34</sup> Other barriers to requesting help are language barriers, fear of the trafficker(s), and/or fear of law enforcement. Whatever the timing and context of the interview, interviewers should begin and end with comfortable topics of conversation to minimize the client's discomfort.

### Safety Concerns

Victims/survivors are usually the best judges of the dangers their abuser(s) pose to them. However, an advocate can help a victim/survivor assess the risk and develop a practical plan to stay safe—a safety plan. A safety plan is a plan that identifies ways a person can protect

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<sup>32</sup> *Rescue and Restore Campaign Tool Kits: Office on Trafficking in Persons*, ADMIN. FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES (2012), <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/endtrafficking/resource/rescue-restore-campaign-tool-kits> (last visited Sept. 16, 2016).

<sup>33</sup> *Id.*

<sup>34</sup> Leah Kaylor, *Psychological Impact of Human Trafficking and Sex Slavery Worldwide: Empowerment and Intervention* (2015) (unpublished paper, American Psychological Association) available at <https://www.apa.org/international/pi/2015/09/leah-kaylor.pdf>.

themselves during a violent incident and reduce the risk of serious harm.<sup>35</sup> It is crucial that the victim advocate does not blame the victim/ survivor.<sup>36</sup> While evaluating risks and creating safety plans can help a victim/survivor, safety planning is not a guarantee that they will not be injured again.

The victim/survivor can then follow the plan if they are in immediate danger or leave (if possible) to preserve their safety. When working with a victim/survivor on the issue of safety, an advocate must discuss whether the victim/survivor plans to stay at their current location or intends to leave. If the person wishes to stay at their current location, they should prepare a safety plan to protect the individual if an incident occurs in order to increase their chances of avoiding injury or death.

An advocate *must* help a victim/survivor make other arrangements if they plan to leave. Relevant questions such as “Do they have money?,” “Is there a safe place they can stay?,” and “Have they considered that their trafficker may look for them?” are all important questions that should be asked. An advocate must also discuss different approaches with a victim/survivor because they may change their mind before fully implementing any safety plan.

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<sup>35</sup> See *Safety Planning and Prevention for Human Trafficking At-A-Glance*, NAT’L HUM. TRAFFICKING RESOURCE CENTER (2011),

<http://www.traffickingresourcecenter.org/sites/default/files/Safety%20Planning%20At%20A%20Glance.pdf>.

<sup>36</sup> *Human Trafficking in Indian Country*, NAT’L INDIAN COUNTRY CLEARINGHOUSE ON SEXUAL ASSAULT, <http://niccsa.org/human-trafficking/> (last visited Sept. 12, 2016).

## Section 4: Meeting the Nonlegal Needs of Native Victims/Survivors

### Types of Nonlegal Needs

The situations that sex trafficking victims/survivors face vary dramatically and the services offered to victims/survivors of sex trafficking will vary greatly across the United States and from one tribal community to another. Sex trafficking victims/survivors may require several emergency and long-term nonlegal services, which may include:

- Emergency response in life-threatening situations;
- Information;
- Access to safety;
- Crisis and support counseling;
- Victim advocacy;
- Shelter/housing;
- Food;
- Clothing;
- Medical care;
- Mental health treatment;
- Substance abuse treatment;
- Support groups;
- Interpretation/translation services;
- Legal assistance;
- Job training services; and
- Resources for the victim/survivor's children.

Services may also be needed to address issues such as:

- Drug and alcohol addiction;
- Physical injuries (broken bones, concussions, burns, etc.);
- Traumatic brain injury resulting in memory loss, dizziness, headaches, and/or numbness;
- Sexually transmitted infections (e.g., HIV/AIDS, gonorrhea, syphilis);
- Sterility, miscarriages, or menstrual problems;
- Forced or coerced abortions; and/or
- Posttraumatic stress disorder.

Victim/survivor assistance may also be provided by system-based victim/witness coordinators and victim specialists housed within federal agencies such as the Department of Justice's U.S.

Attorneys' Offices and the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI).<sup>37</sup> Victims/survivors of sex trafficking are also regularly identified and served by individuals working with related vulnerable populations such as child welfare systems, runaway and homeless youth programs, and domestic violence shelters.

Victims/survivors of sex trafficking from tribal communities may face unique challenges in accessing resources or seeking justice to address their victimization due to historical trauma, cultural issues, and Indian country jurisdictional issues. Generally, Tribal Coalitions are a good point of first contact in exploring available services for sex trafficking victims in Indian country.<sup>38</sup>

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<sup>37</sup> See *Services Available to Victims of Human Trafficking*, DEP'T OF HEALTH AND HUM. SERVICES (2012), pdf available at [https://www.acf.hhs.gov/sites/default/files/orr/traffickingservices\\_0.pdf](https://www.acf.hhs.gov/sites/default/files/orr/traffickingservices_0.pdf) for a listing of victim assistance services available within the U.S. Department of Department of Justice and FBI.

<sup>38</sup> See *Sex Trafficking Resources for Sexual Assault and Domestic Violence Tribal Coalitions*, TRIBAL COALITIONS, [www.tribalcoalitions.org](http://www.tribalcoalitions.org) (last visited Sept. 12, 2016) for a listing of Office on Violence Against Women funded Tribal Coalition programs.

## Section 5: Meeting the Legal Needs of Native Victims/Survivors

Sex trafficking is a crime in many jurisdictions; there are federal, state, and tribal trafficking laws that govern sex trafficking crimes. Aside from the complicated jurisdictional issues—determining which government is able to prosecute traffickers—victims/survivors of trafficking face a variety of legal challenges. For example, trafficking victims/survivors are vulnerable to prosecution under laws against prostitution and related crimes. While it is outside the scope of this resource to discuss the full breadth of legal issues,<sup>39</sup> this section will briefly flag some of the legal needs a trafficking victim/survivor may have. Advocates and others using this resource are encouraged to use other resources in order to learn more about the legal issues of sex trafficking in Indian country.

### Types of Legal Needs

Generally speaking, sex trafficking victims/survivors will face legal issues similar to those faced by individuals that have experience domestic violence and sexual assault and will have many of the same legal needs, including assistance with:

- Civil cases;<sup>40</sup>
- Criminal cases;<sup>41</sup>
- Protection orders;<sup>42</sup>
- Child custody issues;
- Court testimony;
- Legal advocacy; and/or
- Victim’s rights issues.

In addition, sex trafficking victims/survivors may face specific legal issues related to their involvement in the sex industry and may need assistance with:

- Criminal defense;
- Expungements;
- Housing;
- Access to education; and/or
- Child welfare systems.

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<sup>39</sup> For an in-depth discussion of tribal, federal, and state trafficking laws, please read TLPI’s “Sex Trafficking in Indian Country: Legal Issues” available for free download through TLPI’s publications page: [www.home.tlpi.org/publications](http://www.home.tlpi.org/publications).

<sup>40</sup> See JUSTIN B. RICHLAND & SARAH DEER, INTRODUCTION TO TRIBAL LEGAL STUDIES 159 (Jerry Gardner et al., eds., 3rd ed. 2016) for a discussion of civil law and cases.

<sup>41</sup> See *Id.* at 158–159 for discussion of criminal cases.

<sup>42</sup> Please visit [www.TribalProtectionOrder.org](http://www.TribalProtectionOrder.org) for more information about protection orders.

Additionally, a victim/survivor of sex trafficking that has not been charged with a crime may have certain victim's rights that afford protection in the event that the perpetrator has been charged with a crime.

## **Additional Legal Issues for Minors**

On average, Native people are more likely to enter the sex industry, specifically prostitution, as minors.<sup>43</sup> These minors may have been abducted; others are at-risk youth, orphans, or runaways lured by traffickers who promise them security and a place to stay.<sup>44</sup> Minors may be trafficked by caregivers, intimate partners, or others who use violence, threats, debt bondage, and other manipulative tactics to victimize children.<sup>45</sup> Minors are not always treated as victims under criminal law, but many are treated as criminals and are prosecuted accordingly.<sup>46</sup> Recently, the trend among states is to enact "Safe Harbor Laws" that prevent the prosecution of minors for prostitution and related crimes based on the theory that minors cannot consent and should be treated as victims under criminal laws.

Sex trafficking of a minor often touches a variety of legal systems in both governmental and nongovernmental sectors—from the initial identification of a case to legal advocacy on behalf of a child trafficking victim/survivor. In addition to the legal concerns for adult victims/survivors of trafficking discussed in the preceding text; advocates should take the time to learn how the age of a minor interacts with local criminal laws related to trafficking and prostitution and look into safe harbor laws of the local government.

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<sup>43</sup> Andrea L. Johnson, *A Perfect Storm: The U.S. Anti-Trafficking Regime's Failure to Stop the Sex Trafficking of American Indian Women and Girls*, 43 COLUM. HUM. RTS. L. REV. 617, 626 (2012).

<sup>44</sup> See Burns, *supra* note 12 (discussing, through interviews with people involved in sex industries in Alaska, including why those who had been in the sex trade as minors decided to enter in the first place).

<sup>45</sup> *Child Trafficking and Child Welfare*, POLARIS PROJECT FREEDOM HAPPENS NOW, <http://www.polarisproject.org/human-trafficking/resources/child-trafficking-child-welfare> (last visited Sept. 12, 2016).

<sup>46</sup> Burns, *supra* note 12.

## Appendix A: Additional Suggested Readings

**Sex Trafficking in Indian Country: Legal Issues:** [www.Home.TLPI.org/publications](http://www.Home.TLPI.org/publications)

A curriculum that provides a comprehensive overview of tribal, federal, and state laws related to sex trafficking. “Designed for use by the Tribal Coalitions and tribal victim/survivor advocates. The purpose of the curriculum is to empower Tribal Coalitions and tribal advocates to train their staff and volunteers on advanced legal issues related to sex trafficking in Indian country. Once trained, the advocates can then teach others in tribal communities to identify and respond to the legal issues of sex trafficking with a victim-centered approach.”

**Shattered Hearts: The Commercial Sexual Exploitation of American Indian Women and Girls in Minnesota:** [www.sdcedsv.org/media/sdcedsvfactor360com/shattered\\_hearts\\_full\\_report-web\\_version.pdf](http://www.sdcedsv.org/media/sdcedsvfactor360com/shattered_hearts_full_report-web_version.pdf)

This report is one of the only comprehensive reports detailing the sexual exploitation of American Indian women and girls. With a focus on Minnesota the report includes, but is not limited to, sex trafficking. This resource provides a valuable, Native-specific view of the issues surrounding sex trafficking.

**Garden of Truth: The Prostitution and Trafficking of Native Women in Minnesota:**

[http://www.prostitutionresearch.com/pdfs/Garden\\_of\\_Truth\\_Final\\_Project\\_WEB.pdf](http://www.prostitutionresearch.com/pdfs/Garden_of_Truth_Final_Project_WEB.pdf)

Through interviews with 105 Native women in prostitution in Minnesota, this report assesses the specific needs of Native women and the extent to which these needs are not being met. Personal stories and accounts punctuate this report for an impactful account Native women in prostitution, and it provides valuable information for drafters of sex trafficking statutes and how they can better meet these needs.

**Relocation Revisited: Sex Trafficking of Native Women in the United States:**

<http://open.mitchellhamline.edu/cgi/viewcontent.cgi?article=1157&context=facsch>

This article discusses the historical and legal context of sex trafficking as it originated amongst the colonial predecessors of the United States. Specifically, the article uses this history to situate Native women’s experiences that include “generations of enslavement, exploitation, exportation, and relocation” and show that sex trafficking is an ongoing issue in the United States.

**The Nexus Between Domestic Violence and Trafficking for Commercial Sexual Exploitation:**

[http://www.americanbar.org/content/dam/aba/multimedia/trafficking\\_task\\_force/resources/Nexus\\_DV\\_TraffickingCommercialSexualExploitation.authcheckdam.pdf](http://www.americanbar.org/content/dam/aba/multimedia/trafficking_task_force/resources/Nexus_DV_TraffickingCommercialSexualExploitation.authcheckdam.pdf)

This article discusses the intersections of domestic violence and sex trafficking. The article also provides information for advocates interested in learning how to holistically respond to victims/survivors.

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## **Appendix C: Trafficking Victim/Survivor Services**



## Alaska

### **Tribal Coalitions Information**

#### **Yup'ik Women's Coalition**

The Yup'ik Women's Coalition (YWC) strives to promote safety of women through education and advocacy. The YWC is committed to organize community efforts to end violence against women and children within Yup'ik villages through strengthening the traditional Yup'ik beliefs and teachings that have guided our people for thousands of years. The YWC is dedicated to the safety of women and believe in all rights of all people to live without fear, threat, violence, and oppression. They are committed to developing culturally relevant prevention education and counseling for villages and Emmonak residents that they serve.

Lenora Hootch, Executive Director  
P.O. Box 207  
Emmonak, AK 99581  
Phone: (907) 949-6252  
Email: [lynn\\_ywc@yahoo.com](mailto:lynn_ywc@yahoo.com)

## Alaska Trafficking Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p><b><u>The Salvation Army Social Justice Program- Human Trafficking Abolition</u></b></p> <p>143 East 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue Anchorage, AK 99501 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 276-2515</p> <p><a href="http://www.salvationarmyalaska.org">www.salvationarmyalaska.org</a></p>	<p>The Salvation Army Social Justice program is seeking to end human trafficking through awareness, prevention, and as a provider <u>while working closely with local law enforcement and other agencies</u>. The Salvation Army raises awareness through presentations, walks, movie screenings, and trainings. Prevention includes work with vulnerable groups and providing education about human trafficking. The Salvation Army acts as a provider by making available resources such as shelter, clothing, food, and case management for trafficking victims.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of trafficking.</p>
<p><b><u>Covenant House Alaska</u></b></p> <p>Faith based service</p> <p>75 A Street Anchorage, AK 99501 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 272-1255</p> <p><a href="https://ak.covenanthouse.org">https://ak.covenanthouse.org</a></p>	<p>Provide clients with a variety of programs and services including: a crisis center, Rights of Passage program, Rights of Passage program for mothers and children, street outreach services, a community services center, a transitional housing program, health services, mental health services, a youth enrichment program, pastoral ministry, employment/education assistance, and housing services.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Homeless, at-risk, and trafficked youth.</p>

## Alaska Support Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p><a href="#"><u>Alaska Department of Health and Social Services- Division of Public Assistance: Food Stamp Benefits</u></a></p> <p>P.O. Box 110640 Juneau, AK 99811 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 465-3347</p> <p><a href="http://www.dhss.alaska.gov"><u>www.dhss.alaska.gov</u></a></p>	<p>The Alaska Food Stamp Program provides food benefits to low-income households. The federal government funds 100% of the Food Stamp benefit. The State pays half the costs of operating the Food Stamp Program in Alaska. The Division of Public Assistance issues Food Stamp benefits via the Alaska Quest card. The amount a household receives each month depends on the household's countable income and size of the household. Eligible households use the Food Stamp benefits to buy food products from authorized stores statewide.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Applicants living in the state of Alaska who pass income and assets tests. The gross monthly income test is based on 130% of the current Alaska poverty standard.</p>
<p><a href="#"><u>Alaska Department of Health and Social Services- Division of Public Assistance: Alaska Temporary Assistance Program (ATAP)</u></a></p> <p>P.O. Box 110640 Juneau, AK 99811 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 465-3347</p> <p><a href="http://www.dhs.alaska.gov"><u>www.dhs.alaska.gov</u></a></p>	<p>The Alaska Temporary Assistance Program (ATAP) provides cash assistance and work services to low-income families with children to help them with basic needs while they work toward becoming self-sufficient. This program is provided under the federal Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) block grant. ATAP changed the traditional focus of the state's public assistance program for needy families to an employment-focused program from an entitlement under the Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) program. Temporary Assistance stresses family self-sufficiency through employment.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Family must have less than \$2,000 in countable resources or \$3,000 if the family includes an individual who is 60 or older.</p>

<p><b><u><a href="#">Alaska Department of Health and Social Services- Division of Public Assistance: Heating Assistance</a></u></b></p> <p>10002 Glacier Highway, Suite 200 Juneau, AK 99801 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 465-3058 (800) 470-3058</p> <p>(907) 269-5777 (In Anchorage) (888) 804-6330 (Outside Anchorage)</p> <p><a href="http://www.dhss.alaska.gov">www.dhss.alaska.gov</a></p>	<p>The State of Alaska Heating Assistance Program (HAP) can help eligible residents defray their winter heating costs. It is not designed to pay a household’s entire winter bill.</p> <p>The Subsidized Rental Housing Utility Deposit (SRHUD) helps pay a utility deposit when households are moving into Section 8 or subsidized rental housing, provided that heat is included in the rent. Applications for the Subsidized Rental Housing Utility Deposit are accepted throughout the year.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Individuals and families that need utility assistance that meet income guidelines.</p>
<p><b><u><a href="#">Alaska Department of Health and Social Services- Division of Public Assistance: General Relief Assistance (GRA)</a></u></b></p> <p><b>Fairbanks District Office</b> 675 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Station E Fairbanks, AK 99701 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 451-2850</p> <p><b>Nome District Office</b> 214 E. Front Street Nome, AK 99762 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 443-2237</p> <p><b>Kotzebue District Office</b> 240 5<sup>th</sup> Street Kotzebue, AK 99752 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 442-3451</p> <p><a href="http://www.dhss.alaska.gov/dpa/pages/gra/default.aspx">www.dhss.alaska.gov/dpa/pages/gra/default.aspx</a></p>	<p>Provides for shelter, utilities, food, and clothing. Limited funds for a dignified burial of a deceased needy person may also be provided. The GRA program is 100% state funded. Because state funds are limited, the program is used as a last resort in providing basic needs to an individual or household. GRA is only available if a household's emergency need cannot be met by any other programs or agencies. Except for burial assistance, payment is limited to a maximum of \$120 for each household member. Payments are always provided to a vendor; they are never provided directly to the GRA household.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> to be eligible the household must have an immediate and specific need for shelter (eviction notice), utilities (shut off notice), food, clothing, or burial. To be eligible must be an adult or eligible minor. Persons under the age of 18 may apply for GRA if they are married or living apart from their parent and managing their own financial affairs.</p>

<p><b><u>Department of Labor &amp; Workforce Development</u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 11149 Juneau, AK 99811</p> <p>1016 West Sixth Avenue, Suite 401 Anchorage, AK 99501 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 465-2700</p> <p><a href="http://www.labor.alaska.gov/jobseek">www.labor.alaska.gov/jobseek</a></p>	<p>Assist Alaska residents with job placement, training, and resources.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Alaska residents needing assistance with job placement and/or training.</p>
<p><b><u>Nine Star Education &amp; Employment Services</u></b></p> <p>730 I Street Anchorage, AK 99501 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 279-7827</p> <p>125 West 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue Anchorage, AK 99501 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 644-8259</p> <p><a href="http://www.ninestar.com">www.ninestar.com</a></p>	<p>Nine Star has established offices at seven sites throughout the Southeast Alaska-Mountain View, Midtown, four offices downtown Anchorage, and the newest outreach in Wasilla. Nine Star offers academic training and employment support. They assist in locating jobs, keeping jobs, and advancing opportunities on the job.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Alaska residents.</p>



**Far North Region**  
*(Including Barrow, Kotzebue)*

**Native Specific Services**

Organization	Services Provided
<p><b><u><a href="#">Native Village of Barrow</a></u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 1130                      Barrow, Alaska 99723  <b>Phone:</b> (907) 852-4411</p> <p><a href="http://www.nvbarrow.com">http://www.nvbarrow.com</a></p>	<p>Services provided are meant “to protect and promote Iñupiat rights, self-determination, and self-sufficiency, as well as preserve and strengthen Iñupiat culture/traditions for tribal members by providing quality services in a fair and accountable manner.” These include: housing services, social services such as foster care, tribal child protection, caregivers program for elders, and general assistance. Services also include: realty, tribal court, and workforce development.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Tribal members</p>
<p><b><u><a href="#">Arctic Slope Native Association</a></u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 1232                      Barrow, AK 99723  <b>Phone:</b> (907) 852-2762                      (800) 478-3033</p> <p><a href="http://www.articslope.org">www.articslope.org</a></p>	<p>Arctic Slope Native Association (ASNA) is a tribally operated, nonprofit health and social services organization based in the northernmost region of Alaska.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Both the people of the North Slope, as well as those who practice at Samuel Simmonds Memorial Hospital.</p>

<p><a href="#"><u>Inupiat Community of the Arctic Slope</u></a></p> <p>6986 Ahmaogak Street Barrow, AK 99723 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 852-4227</p> <p><a href="http://www.inupiatgov.com"><u>www.inupiatgov.com</u></a></p>	<p>Provides social services programs such as the general assistance program that provides financial assistance payments to an eligible Indian for essential needs that include food, clothing, shelter and utilities. Download: <a href="#"><u>Welfare Assistance Application</u></a>. Other services include: burial assistance that provides financial assistance and makes payment on behalf of an indigent Indian who meets the eligibility criteria to provide minimum burial expenses according to BIA payment standards established by the US Department of Interior Assistant Secretary. Download: <a href="#"><u>Burial Application &amp; Worksheet</u></a>. Provides emergency assistance that is financial assistance for essential needs to prevent hardship caused by burnout, flooding of homes, or other life threatening situations that may cause loss or damage of personal possessions. The program also provides scholarships and adult vocational training. To be eligibility people must be students with a ¼ or more degree Indian, Eskimo, Aleut, or enrolled members of a federal recognized tribe. Show financial need after other sources of funding have been considered. Must be enrolled in a four-year academic degree program. Must be accepted by an institution that is accredited by a national or regional accrediting agency or is a candidate for accreditation, or is a tribally controlled community college. Download: <a href="#"><u>ICAS Scholarship Application</u></a>.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Inupiat tribal community members, there may be additional eligibility requirements depending on the program.</p>
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**Emergency Services**

<b>Organization</b>	<b>Services Provided</b>
<p data-bbox="188 321 633 478"><b><u>Alaska Department of Health and Social Services- Division of Public Assistance: General Relief Assistance (GRA)</u></b></p> <p data-bbox="188 569 488 726"><b>Nome District Office</b> 214 E. Front Street Nome, AK 99762 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 443-2237</p> <p data-bbox="188 779 505 936"><b>Kotzebue District Office</b> 240 5<sup>th</sup> Street Kotzebue, AK 99752 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 442-3451</p> <p data-bbox="188 982 657 1056"><a href="http://www.dhss.alaska.gov/dpa/pages/grea/default.aspx">www.dhss.alaska.gov/dpa/pages/grea/default.aspx</a></p>	<p data-bbox="695 321 1435 888">General Relief Assistance (GRA) is designed to meet the basic needs of Alaskans in emergency situations. Basic needs include shelter, utilities, food, and clothing. Limited funds for a dignified burial of a deceased needy person may also be provided. The GRA program is 100% state funded. Because state funds are limited, the program is used as a last resort in providing basic needs to an individual or household. GRA is only available if a household's emergency need cannot be met by any other programs or agencies. Except for burial assistance, payment is limited to a maximum of \$120 for each household member. Payments are always provided to a vendor; they are never provided directly to the GRA household.</p> <p data-bbox="695 982 1435 1308"><b>Clients Served:</b> Individuals and families who meet eligibility requirements; the household must have an immediate and specific need for shelter (eviction notice), utilities (shut off notice), food, clothing, or burial. The person must be an adult or eligible minor. Persons under the age of 18 may apply for GRA if they are married or living apart from their parent and managing their own financial affairs.</p>
<p data-bbox="188 1360 475 1392"><b><u>Artic Women in Crisis</u></b></p> <p data-bbox="188 1444 488 1560">4470 North Star Street Barrow, AK 99723 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 852-0267</p>	<p data-bbox="695 1360 1435 1686">Artic Women In Crisis (AWIC) provides emergency shelter and counseling services to victims of domestic violence and sexual assault, and provides a Domestic Violence Education Program, parenting classes, and in school prevention education. AWIC is a facility with 24-hour staff and a 24-hour crisis line. Safe homes are available in each village and AWIC advocates travel to all villages on a regular basis.</p> <p data-bbox="695 1728 1435 1801"><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence and sexual assault.</p>

**North Slope Borough- Children & Youth Services**

2000 Ahkovak Street  
Barrow, AK 99723

**Phone:** (907) 852-0263

<http://www.north-slope.org/departments/health-social-services/behavioral-health-services/children-youth-services-cys>

Children & Youth Service (CYS) is, a 14-bed state-licensed facility, providing emergency shelter for any youth who are under age of 18. CYS is staffed 24/7, with mental health professionals available to youth and their families.

**Clients Served:** Provides services to North Slope residents and their families. Emergency shelter for youth 18 years and younger.

## Shelter and Housing Assistance Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p><b><u>Artic Women in Crisis</u></b></p> <p>4470 North Star Street Barrow, AK 99723 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 852-0267</p>	<p>Artic Women In Crisis (AWIC) provides emergency shelter and counseling services to victims of domestic violence and sexual assault, and provides a Domestic Violence Education Program, parenting classes, and in school prevention education. AWIC is a facility with 24-hour staff and a 24-hour crisis line. Safe homes are available in each village and AWIC advocates travel to all villages on a regular basis.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence and sexual assault.</p>
<p><b><u>Maniilaq Family Crisis Center</u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 38 Kotzebue, AK 99752 <b>Phone:</b> (888) 478-3869</p> <p><a href="https://www.facebook.com/maniilaqfamilycrisiscenter/">https://www.facebook.com/maniilaqfamilycrisiscenter/</a></p>	<p>Maniilaq Family Crisis Center (MFCC) is a safe haven providing free and confidential services to victims of domestic violence, or sexual assault. MFCC supports victims of domestic abuse and sexual assault in a variety of ways. They help with protective orders, explain court processes, victims’ rights, safety planning, referrals, and resources in the community. MFCC has a 24-hour crisis line with an advocate available.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence, sexual assault</p>
<p><b><u>North Slope Borough- Children &amp; Youth Services</u></b></p> <p>2000 Ahkovak Street Barrow, AK 99723 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 852-0263</p> <p><a href="http://www.north-slope.org/departments/health-social-services/behavioral-health-services/children-youth-services-cys">http://www.north-slope.org/departments/health-social-services/behavioral-health-services/children-youth-services-cys</a></p>	<p>Children &amp; Youth Services (CYS) is a 14-bed, state-licensed facility, provides emergency shelter for any youth under the age of 18. CYS is staffed 24/7, with mental health professionals available to youth and their families.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Provides services to North Slope residents and their families. Emergency shelter for youth under the age of 18.</p>

**Legal Services**

Organization	Services Provided
<p><b><u>Maniilaq Family Crisis Center</u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 38 Kotzebue, AK 99752 <b>Phone:</b> (888) 478-3869</p> <p><a href="https://www.facebook.com/maniilaqfamilycrisiscenter/">https://www.facebook.com/maniilaqfamilycrisiscenter/</a></p>	<p>Maniilaq Family Crisis Center (MFCC) is a safe haven providing free and confidential services to victims of domestic violence, or sexual assault. MFCC supports victims of domestic abuse and sexual assault in a variety of ways. They help with protective orders, explain court processes, victims’ rights, safety planning, referrals, and resources in the community. MFCC has a 24-hour crisis line with an advocate available.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence and sexual assault.</p>
<p><b><u>Artic Women in Crisis</u></b></p> <p>4470 North Star Street Barrow, AK 99723 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 852-0267</p>	<p>Artic Women In Crisis (AWIC) provides emergency shelter and counseling services to victims of domestic violence and sexual assault, and provides a Domestic Violence Education Program, parenting classes, and in school prevention education. AWIC is a facility with 24-hour staff and a 24-hour crisis line. Safe homes are available in each village and AWIC advocates travel to all villages on a regular basis.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence and sexual assault.</p>

**Children, Youth, and Family Services**

Organization	Services Provided
<p><b><u>Maniilaq Family Crisis Center</u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 38 Kotzebue, AK 99752 <b>Phone:</b> (888) 478-3869</p> <p><a href="https://www.facebook.com/maniilaqfamilycrisiscenter/">https://www.facebook.com/maniilaqfamilycrisiscenter/</a></p>	<p>Maniilaq Family Crisis Center (MFCC) is a safe haven providing free and confidential services to victims of domestic violence, or sexual assault. MFCC supports victims of domestic abuse and sexual assault in a variety of ways. They help with protective orders, explain court processes, victims' rights, safety planning, referrals, and resources in the community. MFCC has a 24-hour crisis line with an advocate available.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence and sexual assault.</p>
<p><b><u>North Slope Borough- Children &amp; Youth Services</u></b></p> <p>2000 Ahkovak Street Barrow, AK 99723 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 852-0263</p> <p><a href="http://www.north-slope.org/departments/health-social-services/behavioral-health-services/children-youth-services-cys">http://www.north-slope.org/departments/health-social-services/behavioral-health-services/children-youth-services-cys</a></p>	<p>Children &amp; Youth Services (CYS) is a 14-bed, state-licensed facility, provides emergency shelter for any youth under the age of 18. CYS is staffed 24/7, with mental health professionals available to youth and their families.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Provides services to North Slope residents and their families. Emergency shelter for youth under the age of 18.</p>
<p><b><u>North Slope Borough- Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)</u></b></p> <p>579 Kingosak Street Barrow, AK 99723 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 852-0410</p> <p><a href="http://www.north-slope.org/departments/health-social-services/community-health-services/women-infants-and-children">http://www.north-slope.org/departments/health-social-services/community-health-services/women-infants-and-children</a></p>	<p>Women, Infants and Children (WIC) is a supplemental nutrition program for women, infants, and children (5 years and younger) that provides nutrition education, breastfeeding support and education, and healthy foods to eligible participants. WIC personnel travel to all villages on a regular basis.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Provides WIC services to North Slope women and their children.</p>

## Physical and Mental Healthcare Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p><b><u><a href="#">Maniilaq Health Center</a></u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 43 Kotzebue, Alaska 99752 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 442-7440</p> <p><u><a href="http://www.maniilaq.org">www.maniilaq.org</a></u></p>	<p>The Maniilaq Health Center (MHC) is an acute care hospital with 17 beds, 24 hour emergency care, pediatric, psychiatric, labor, delivery, and cardiac monitoring via telemetry services. Ambulatory services include general medical, dental, optometry, audiology, physical therapy, respiratory therapy, endoscopy, and chemotherapy. MHC provides social services, including 24-hour mental health crisis intervention based at the F.R. Ferguson Building in Kotzebue. MHC operates a residential assisted living facility (Kotzebue Senior Center), a pre-maternal home (The Prematernal Home), residential care for the developmentally disabled (Lake Street House), a detox center (Maniilaq Recovery Center), and a family recovery camp (Mavsigviq). MHC provides traditional medicine and home health care services in the Kotzebue Cultural Center. The specialty and tertiary referral location is the Alaska Native Medical Center in Anchorage.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Native American and non-Natives Alaska residents.</p>
<p><b><u><a href="#">Samuel Simmonds Memorial Hospital</a></u></b></p> <p>7000 Uula Street P.O. Box 29 Barrow, AK 99723 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 852-2762</p> <p><u><a href="http://www.articslope.org">www.articslope.org</a></u></p>	<p>Samuel Simmonds Memorial Hospital is a licensed 14-bed critical access hospital, also certified as a Level IV Trauma Center and features: 14 outpatient exam rooms, ten single inpatient rooms, including two labor and delivery rooms, four emergency beds, physical therapy, and provides cat scans. They also provide specialty outpatient clinics and services including: Audiology, Ear, nose, and throat, Gynecology, Orthopedics, Pediatrics</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Native American and non-Natives Alaska residents.</p>

**North Slope Borough- Integrated Behavioral Health**

5200 Karluk Street  
Barrow, AK 99723  
**Phone:** (907) 852-0366

<http://www.north-slope.org/departments/health-social-services/behavioral-health-services/integrated-behavioral-health>

Integrated Behavioral Health (IBH) provides counseling services for adults and children, across the North Slope of Alaska. They offer support with mental health, substance and alcohol abuse, relationship issues, domestic violence, sexual abuse, early intervention and many other concerns. IBH provides individual assessments to assist with residential treatment centers and outpatient services. IBH conducts individual and group sessions at their locations in Barrow or by video teleconferencing with other North Slope locations.

**Clients Served:** Provides counseling services for adults and children, across the North Slope of Alaska.

## Employment Assistance

Organization	Services Provided
<p><b><u><a href="#">Unemployment Career Center Office</a></u></b></p> <p>1078 Kiogak Street Barrow, AK 99723 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 852-4111</p> <p><a href="http://www.unemploymentoffice.us/alaska-unemployment-offices/barrow-ak-unemployment-career-center-office/">http://www.unemploymentoffice.us/alaska-unemployment-offices/barrow-ak-unemployment-career-center-office/</a></p>	<p>Barrow AK Unemployment Career Center Office provides individuals seeking employment all the latest tools to find and keep a job. Employers will find assistance in recruiting new employees including a national job listing network, applicant screening, and space in the centers to conduct testing and employment interview.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Individuals seeking assistance for employment.</p>
<p><b><u><a href="#">Inupiat Community of the Arctic Slope</a></u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 1610 3210 Brower Street Barrow, AK 33723 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 852-2448</p> <p><a href="http://www.inupiatgov.com">www.inupiatgov.com</a></p>	<p>The ICAS Vocational Rehabilitation Program serves Inupiat, Alaska Natives, and American Indians whose disabilities impede their ability to get a job, maintain a job, or get back to subsistence activities. The program may be able to assist eligible individuals, who live in Anaktuvuk Pass, Atqasuk, Barrow, Kaktovik, Nuiqsut, Point Lay, or Wainwright (Point Hope is served by the Maniilaq Vocational Rehabilitation Program). Services include providing employment counseling and guidance, referrals for medical and psychiatric services, assistance with obtaining training, finding employment, creating self-employment opportunities, as well as possible assistance with tools, licenses, equipment, and other items required for going to work. The program is for those who are 16 years of age or older.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Inupiat tribal community members, Alaska Native, and American Indians with disabilities impeding their ability to get a job. Clients must be 16 years or older.</p>

## **Financial and Utilities Assistance**

<b>Organization</b>	<b>Services Provided</b>
<p data-bbox="188 319 600 352"><b><u><a href="#">Arctic Slope Native Association</a></u></b></p> <p data-bbox="188 403 529 554">P.O. Box 1232 Barrow, AK 99723 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 852-9153 1-800-478-3033- in Alaska</p> <p data-bbox="188 604 444 638"><u><a href="http://www.articslope.org">www.articslope.org</a></u></p>	<p data-bbox="695 319 1429 756">Arctic Slope Native Association (ASNA) is a tribally operated, nonprofit health and social services organization based in the northernmost region of Alaska. ASNA provides BIA general assistance that assists eligible families who need help with basic essential needs such as food, clothing, shelter, and utilities. All services are provided using traditional Iñupiat values of love and respect for one another, compassion, and sharing. Eligibility for BIA Financial Assistance Service Programs is a secondary or residual resource and must not be used to supplement or supplant other programs.</p> <p data-bbox="695 848 1396 957"><b>Clients Served:</b> Both the people of the North Slope, as well as those who practice at Samuel Simmonds Memorial Hospital.</p>

## Violence Prevention and Intervention Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p><b><u>Artic Women in Crisis</u></b></p> <p>4470 North Star Street Barrow, AK 99723 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 852-0267</p>	<p>Artic Women In Crisis (AWIC) provides emergency shelter and counseling services to victims of domestic violence and sexual assault, and provides a Domestic Violence Education Program, parenting classes, and in school prevention education. AWIC is a facility with 24-hour staff and a 24-hour crisis line. Safe homes are available in each village and AWIC advocates travel to all villages on a regular basis.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence and sexual assault.</p>
<p><b><u>Maniilaq Family Crisis Center</u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 38 Kotzebue, AK 99752 <b>Phone:</b> (888) 478-3869</p> <p><a href="https://www.facebook.com/maniilaqfamilycrisiscenter/">https://www.facebook.com/maniilaqfamilycrisiscenter/</a></p>	<p>Maniilaq Family Crisis Center (MFCC) is a safe haven providing free and confidential services to victims of domestic violence, or sexual assault. MFCC supports victims of domestic abuse and sexual assault in a variety of ways. They help with protective orders, explain court processes, victims’ rights, safety planning, referrals, and resources in the community. MFCC has a 24-hour crisis line with an advocate available.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence and sexual assault.</p>

## Interior Region

(Including Fairbanks, Nome)

### Native Specific Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p><b><u><a href="#">Norton Sound Health Corporation</a></u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 966 Nome, Alaska 99762 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 443-3311</p> <p><u><a href="http://www.nortonsoundhealth.org">www.nortonsoundhealth.org</a></u></p>	<p>Norton Sound Health Corporation (NSHC) is a tribally owned and operated, independent, not-for profit health care organization, founded in 1970 to meet the health care needs of the Inupiat, Siberian Yup'ik, and Yu'pik people of the Bering Strait region. A 24-member board of directors who represent all communities and areas of the Bering Strait region govern NSHC.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Provide health care needs to the Inupiat, Siberian Yup'ik and Yu'pik people of the Bering Strait region.</p>
<p><b><u><a href="#">Fairbanks Native Association</a></u></b></p> <p>315 Wendell Street Fairbanks, AK 99701 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 452-5225</p> <p><u><a href="http://www.fairbanksnative.org">www.fairbanksnative.org</a></u></p>	<p>Provides human and social services while recognizing human dignity in a culturally relevant, sensitive, and empathic manner through coordinated programs. Services include: housing/shelter, weekly food boxes, financial services for vulnerable adults, referrals for clothing/household items, outreach/advocacy activities, and adult protective services. Elder services include: transportation, home visiting, information and referrals for frail or elderly clients, onsite nutritious hot meals five days a week, and elder abuse awareness and prevention services. Other support services include: clothing distribution, weekly food box distribution, donation site for clothing and other items, advocacy support, assistance with applications for housing, energy assistance, employment, other welfare programs, grandparents raising grandchildren program, and funeral and burial assistance.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Alaska Natives.</p>

**Emergency Services**

Organization	Services Provided
<p><a href="#">Alaska Department of Health and Social Services- Division of Public Assistance: General Relief Assistance (GRA)</a></p> <p><b>Fairbanks District Office</b>                      675 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Station E                      Fairbanks, AK 99701  <b>Phone:</b> (907) 451-2850</p> <p><a href="http://www.dhss.alaska.gov/dpa/pages/gra/default.aspx">www.dhss.alaska.gov/dpa/pages/gra/default.aspx</a></p>	<p>General Relief Assistance (GRA) is designed to meet the basic needs of Alaskans in emergency situations. Basic needs include shelter, utilities, food, and clothing. Limited funds for a dignified burial of a deceased needy person may also be provided. The GRA program is 100% state funded, because state funds are limited, the program is used as a last resort in providing basic needs to an individual or household. GRA is only available if a household's emergency need cannot be met by any other programs or agencies. Except for burial assistance, payment is limited to a maximum of \$120 for each household member. Payments are always provided to a vendor; they are never provided directly to the GRA household.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Individuals and families who meet eligibility requirements: The household must have an immediate and specific need for shelter (eviction notice), utilities (shut off notice), food, clothing, or burial. The person must be an adult or eligible minor. Persons under the age of 18 may apply for GRA if they are married or living apart from their parent and managing their own financial affairs.</p>

<p><b><u>Fairbanks Youth Advocates</u></b></p> <p>132 10<sup>th</sup> Avenue (Mail) Fairbanks, AK 99701</p> <p>The Door (Youth shelter) 138 10<sup>th</sup> Avenue Fairbanks, AK 99701 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 374-5678</p> <p><a href="http://www.fairbanksyouthadvocates.org">www.fairbanksyouthadvocates.org</a></p>	<p>Fairbanks Youth Advocates (FYA) provides assistance at critical times in the lives of young people. FYA’s purpose is to provide homeless, near homeless and other marginalized youth, support to help them move towards stability, health in all its forms, and self-sufficiency and to provide professional accredited counseling through Clearwater Counseling. Shelter services are available for youth aged 12-18. FYA provides its services to ALL youth regardless of race, color, creed, national origin, gender, disability, religion, or sexual orientation. They respect and honor the human dignity of all people, under no circumstance is it required or expected that an individual believe a certain way to access or receive services.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Homeless, near homeless, and other marginalized youth, ages 12-18 years old.</p>
<p><b><u>Fairbanks Rescue Mission</u></b></p> <p>723 27<sup>th</sup> Avenue Fairbanks, AK 99701 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 452-5343</p> <p><a href="http://www.fairbanksrescuemission.org">www.fairbanksrescuemission.org</a></p>	<p>Fairbanks Rescue Missions (FRM) serves those that have temporarily lost a roof over their heads and those that have been homeless for a while.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Homeless individuals and families.</p>
<p><b><u>Salvation Army: Fairbanks</u></b></p> <p>1602 10th Avenue Fairbanks, AK 99701 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 452-5005</p> <p><a href="http://www.salvationarmyalaska.org/alaska">www.salvationarmyalaska.org/alaska</a></p>	<p>The Salvation Army provides comprehensive emergency services for people in need. Services include food boxes, clothing and household goods, utility assistance, literacy services, disaster relief and casework services.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Individuals and families in need.</p>

### **Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner Services**

<b>Organization</b>	<b>Services Provided</b>
<p data-bbox="188 319 571 352"><b><u>Fairbanks Memorial Hospital</u></b></p> <p data-bbox="188 394 487 508">1650 Cowles Street Fairbanks, AK 99701 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 452-8181</p> <p data-bbox="188 550 506 583"><a href="http://www.bannerhealth.com">www.bannerhealth.com</a></p>	<p data-bbox="695 319 1429 625">Services provided include: rapid nurse triage, expedited five-bed “Fast Track” care for minor illnesses and injuries, acute medical care with private rooms, injury and trauma care with 2 fully equipped trauma bays, forensic nursing to assess and meet the unique needs of victims of assault, social services to assist in obtaining necessary resources, and psychiatric assessment and stabilization of psychiatric emergencies.</p> <p data-bbox="695 709 1221 743"><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of sexual assault.</p>

## Shelter and Housing Assistance Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p><b><u><a href="#">Interior Alaska Center for Non-Violent Living</a></u></b></p> <p>726 26<sup>th</sup> Ave. #1 Fairbanks, AK 99701 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 452-2293</p> <p><a href="http://www.iacnvl.org">www.iacnvl.org</a></p>	<p>Interior Alaska Center for Non-Violence Living offers a wide range of advocacy and support services to all of Interior Alaska, including: safety planning, emergency shelter, crisis intervention, referrals and help with housing and public assistance, children’s services, parenting classes and much more. Their services are free and confidential. They offer support all day, every day and have a 24-hour hotline.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, and child sexual abuse.</p>
<p><b><u><a href="#">South Peninsula Haven House</a></u></b></p> <p>3776 Lake St. Homer, AK 99603 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 235-7712</p> <p><a href="http://www.havenhousealaska.org">www.havenhousealaska.org</a></p>	<p>South Peninsula Haven House (SPHH) offers a variety of services to families in the lower Kenai Peninsula. Including shelter services and additional programs addressing other comprehensive needs of families. Other services provided are advocacy, the Child Advocacy Center, crisis line, prevention, Child Care Food Program, Car Seat Program, and domestic violence intervention.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence</p>
<p><b><u><a href="#">Bering Sea Women’s Group</a></u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 1596 Nome, AK 99762 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 443-5491</p> <p><a href="http://www.beringseawomensgroup.org">www.beringseawomensgroup.org</a></p>	<p>The Being Sea Women’s Group’s Mission is to “provide a safe haven for women and children who are victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, or other violent crimes while promoting a safe, healthy, and violence-free community.” Services include emergency housing, 24-hour crisis line, and advocacy.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence, sexual assault.</p>

<p><b><u>Fairbanks Youth Advocates</u></b></p> <p>132 10<sup>th</sup> Avenue Fairbanks, AK 99701</p> <p>The Door (Youth shelter) 138 10<sup>th</sup> Ave. Fairbanks, AK 99701 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 374-5678</p> <p><a href="http://www.fairbanksyouthadvocates.org">www.fairbanksyouthadvocates.org</a></p>	<p>Fairbanks Youth Advocates (FYA) provides assistance at critical times in the lives of young people. FYA’s purpose is to provide homeless, near homeless and other marginalized youth, support to help them move towards stability, health in all its forms, and self-sufficiency and to provide professional accredited counseling through Clearwater Counseling. Shelter services are available for youth aged 12-18. FYA provides its services to ALL youth regardless of race, color, creed, national origin, gender, disability, religion, or sexual orientation. They respect and honor the human dignity of all people, Under no circumstance is it required or expected that an individual believe a certain way to access or receive services.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Youth ages 12-18 years of age. Youth advocates provide its services to all youth regardless of race, color, creed, nation origin, gender, disability, religion, or sexual orientation.</p>
<p><b><u>Ralph Perdue Center</u></b></p> <p>3100 S. Cushman Street Fairbanks, AK 99701 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 452-6251</p> <p><a href="http://www.fairbanksnative.org/our-services/behavioral-health/ralph-perdue-center">www.fairbanksnative.org/our-services/behavioral-health/ralph-perdue-center</a></p>	<p>The Ralph Perdue Center provides a residential alcohol and drug rehabilitation program, short term with an average length stay of 45 days. Treatment is a combination of education to remain drug and alcohol free by providing individual counseling, process groups and having consumers identify issues which led them to substance abuse and unhealthy lifestyles. Services include: individual psychotherapy, group and family therapy, alcohol/drug education, anger management, and case management.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Adult Male and Female Alaska Residents.</p>

**Legal Services**

Organization	Services Provided
<p><b><u>Alaska Legal Services Corporation</u></b></p> <p>1648 Cushman, #300 Fairbanks, AK 99701 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 452-5181</p> <p>P.O. Box 1651 1264 Agui Street, #7 Barrow, AK 99723 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 855-8998</p> <p>P.O. Box 1429 110 Front Street, Suite 204A Nome, AK 99762 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 443-2230</p> <p><a href="http://www.alsc-law.org">www.alsc-law.org</a></p>	<p>Alaska Legal Services Corporation assists clients who are facing critical civil legal issues ranging from consumer law, family law, housing problems, public benefits, healthcare complications, Alaska Native law, and other areas specific to veterans or the elderly. All areas of law include: consumer, domestic violence, elder advocacy, family law, housing, health, public benefits, Alaska native law, and veterans.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Low-income Alaskans.</p>
<p><b><u>Interior Alaska Center for Non-Violent Living</u></b></p> <p>726 26<sup>th</sup> Ave. #1 Fairbanks, AK 99701 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 452-2293</p> <p><a href="http://www.iacnvl.org">www.iacnvl.org</a></p>	<p>Legal Advocacy includes: (non-attorney) advocates assisting with understanding the legal process, assistance completing paperwork for protective orders, divorce, dissolution, some child custody, and attending court with the victim to provide support.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, and child sexual abuse.</p>

**Children, Youth, and Family Services**

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<p><b><u>Fairbanks Counseling &amp; Adoption</u></b></p> <p>912 Barnette Street P.O. Box 71544 (Mailing address) Fairbanks, AK 99701 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 456-4729</p> <p><a href="http://www.fcaalaska.org">www.fcaalaska.org</a></p>	<p>Fairbanks Counseling &amp; Adoption (FC&amp;A) is a professional family service agency whose purpose is to support the sanctity of all life by strengthening families, promoting healthy parenting, and advocating for children. The agency is committed to empowering individuals to make informed, responsible, personal decisions. FC&amp;A provides services that include individual and family counseling, adoption services, family services, street outreach, and pregnancy services.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Assist individuals and families to strengthen their families.</p>

**Street Outreach Advocacy Program (SOAP)**

530 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
Fairbanks, AK 99701  
**Phone:** (907) 374-9913

[www.facebook.com/SOAPfca](http://www.facebook.com/SOAPfca)

The Street Outreach & Advocacy Program (SOAP) staffs people dedicated to reaching out to 10 to 21 year olds who are at high risk of becoming homeless, or who are currently homeless or have run away from home. The goals of SOAP are to protect youth from abuse, sexual exploitation, and assault, and to help prevent involvement in criminal activity due to their lack of money, support and resources. SOAP supports homeless youth to find a way off the streets and move towards stability. Services include: education to protect youth from physical harm and sexual exploitation, get back into school, and provide individuals and families with counseling and/or meditation to help resolve conflicts. SOAP offers transportation to resources and shelter, survival packs, youth activities, connections to a choice of counseling and education programs, peer groups & support, mediation and conflict resolution and referrals to community resources.

**Clients Served:** Youth ages 10 to 21.

## Physical and Mental Healthcare Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p><b><u><a href="#">Clearwater Counseling</a></u></b></p> <p>132 10<sup>th</sup> Avenue Fairbanks, AK 99701 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 457-6002</p> <p><a href="http://www.clearwatercounselingak.org">www.clearwatercounselingak.org</a></p>	<p>Clearwater Counseling is part of the nonprofit agency Fairbanks Youth Advocates. Created in 2006 to provide quality therapeutic counseling services to Fairbanks, Alaska, specializing in relationship issues, marriage counseling, sex addictions, anger management, depression, and anxiety. Licensed professional therapist facilitates healing for couples and families by strengthening interpersonal relationships with an emphasis on men’s issues. Services include anger management, sex therapy, sex addiction, marriage counseling, anxiety and depression.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Serving the Fairbanks community, facilitating healing for couples &amp; families.</p>
<p><b><u><a href="#">Fairbanks Community Mental Health Center</a></u></b></p> <p>3830 S. Cushman St. Fairbanks, AK 99701 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 371-1300</p> <p><a href="http://www.acmhs.com/fairbanks-community-mental-health-services">www.acmhs.com/fairbanks-community-mental-health-services</a></p>	<p>Services include: crisis intervention; assessment and treatment planning/coordination; individual, group and family therapy; case management; skill development; school based services; home and community based services; ssycho educational services; specialized complex trauma treatment services; psychological evaluations; and psychiatric services.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Adults and youth.</p>
<p><b><u><a href="#">Samuel Simmonds Memorial Hospital</a></u></b></p> <p>7000 Uula Street P.O. Box 29 Barrow, AK 99723 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 852-2762</p> <p><a href="http://www.articslope.org">www.articslope.org</a></p>	<p>Samuel Simmonds Memorial Hospital is a licensed 14-bed critical access hospital, also certified as a Level IV Trauma Center and features: 14 outpatient exam rooms, ten single inpatient rooms, including two labor and delivery rooms, four emergency beds, physical therapy, and provides cat scans. They also provide specialty outpatient clinics and services including: Audiology, Ear, nose, and throat, Gynecology, Orthopedics, Pediatrics.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Native American and non-Natives Alaska residents.</p>

## **Employment Assistance**

<b>Organization</b>	<b>Services Provided</b>
<p><b><u>Fairbanks Resource Agency</u></b></p> <p>805 Airport Way Fairbanks, AK 99701 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 456-8901</p> <p><a href="http://www.fra-ak.net">www.fra-ak.net</a></p>	<p>Provides vocational training and job placement within the community. They offer a choice of opportunities to meet the needs of adults with varying abilities, vocational skills and workplace experience. Employment options include: Supported Employment program, Community Employer program, FRA-Owned Businesses, FRA Small Contracts.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Adults with an intellectual and developmental disability (IDD).</p>
<p><b><u>Alaska Job Center</u></b></p> <p>675 Seventh Avenue, Station D P.O. Box 71010 Fairbanks, AK 99701 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 451-5967</p> <p><a href="http://www.jobs.state.ak.us/offices/fairbanks.htm">http://www.jobs.state.ak.us/offices/fairbanks.htm</a></p>	<p>The Fairbanks Job Center offers vocational counseling, job development and referral, financial assistance for job training, adult basic education classes, job skills training, and welfare to work assistance.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Individuals needing assistance with employment.</p>
<p><b><u>Personal Plus Employment Agency, Inc.</u></b></p> <p>3437 Airport Way, Suite 203B Fairbanks, AK 99709 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 452-7587</p> <p><a href="http://www.perplus.com">www.perplus.com</a></p>	<p>Personnel Plus employment agency is “dedicated to fulfilling our clients staffing needs with employees that are qualified and reliable in the shortest time possible. We pride ourselves in our work ethic and the ability to find the right person for the right job. We are committed to helping our client companies get stronger, one employee at a time.”</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Individuals needing assistance with employment.</p>

## Financial and Utilities Assistance

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<p><a href="#">Alaska Department of Health and Social Services- Division of Public Assistance: Heating Assistance</a></p> <p>10002 Glacier Highway, Suite 200 Juneau, AK 99801</p> <p><b>Phone:</b> (907) 465-3058 (800) 470-3058</p> <p>(907) 269-5777 (In Anchorage) (888) 804-6330 (Outside Anchorage)</p> <p><a href="http://www.dhss.alaska.gov">www.dhss.alaska.gov</a></p>	<p>The State of Alaska Heating Assistance Program (HAP) helps eligible residents defray their winter heating costs. It is not designed to pay a household's entire winter bill. Households should be prepared to pay a portion of their annual heating costs. Subsidized Rental Housing Utility Deposit (SRHUD) helps pay a utility deposit when households are moving into Section 8 or subsidized rental housing, provided that heat is included in the rent. Applications for the Subsidized Rental Housing Utility Deposit are accepted throughout the year.</p> <p>FY 2016 Income Guidelines</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse; text-align: center;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 50%;"># of People in Home Gross Income</th> <th style="width: 50%;">Monthly</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr><td>1</td><td>\$2,758</td></tr> <tr><td>2</td><td>\$3,735</td></tr> <tr><td>3</td><td>\$4,710</td></tr> <tr><td>4</td><td>\$5,683</td></tr> <tr><td>5</td><td>\$6,660</td></tr> <tr><td>6</td><td>\$7,635</td></tr> <tr><td>7</td><td>\$8,608</td></tr> <tr><td>8</td><td>\$9,585</td></tr> <tr><td>9</td><td>\$10,560</td></tr> <tr><td>10</td><td>\$11,533</td></tr> <tr><td>11</td><td>\$12,510</td></tr> <tr><td>12</td><td>\$13,485</td></tr> <tr><td>13</td><td>\$14,458</td></tr> <tr><td>14</td><td>\$15,435</td></tr> <tr><td>15</td><td>\$16,410</td></tr> <tr><td>16</td><td>\$17,383</td></tr> <tr><td>17</td><td>\$18,360</td></tr> <tr><td>18</td><td>\$19,335</td></tr> </tbody> </table> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Individuals and families that need utility assistance that meet income guidelines.</p>	# of People in Home Gross Income	Monthly	1	\$2,758	2	\$3,735	3	\$4,710	4	\$5,683	5	\$6,660	6	\$7,635	7	\$8,608	8	\$9,585	9	\$10,560	10	\$11,533	11	\$12,510	12	\$13,485	13	\$14,458	14	\$15,435	15	\$16,410	16	\$17,383	17	\$18,360	18	\$19,335
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**Alaska Department of Health and Social Services- Division of Public Assistance: Alaska Temporary Assistance Program**

675 7<sup>th</sup> Ave., Station E  
Fairbanks, AK 99701  
**Phone:** (907) 451-2850

[www.dhss.alaska.gov](http://www.dhss.alaska.gov)

The Alaska Temporary Assistance Program (ATAP) provides cash assistance and work services to low-income families with children to help them with basic needs while they work toward becoming self-sufficient. This program is provided under the federal Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) block grant. “ATAP changed the traditional focus of the state’s public assistance program for needy families to an employment-focused program from an entitlement under the Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) program. Temporary Assistance stresses family self-sufficiency through employment.” The program: Imposes a 60-month lifetime limit on assistance; limits additional assistance for second parents, and reduces benefits for two-parent families during July, August, and September when there are better opportunities for employment; requires families to complete a Family Self-Sufficiency Plan, identify self-sufficiency goals and work or participate in activities that will move them toward those goals; requires cooperation with the Child Support Services Division in establishing paternity for the children, locating the absent parent, and collecting any child support the absent parent is responsible for paying; and prohibits making purchases with or accessing cash benefits on EBT cards at any ATMs that are located in bars, liquor stores, and gambling or adult entertainment establishments.

**Income Limits and Maximum Payments**

**1/1/2016 TO 12/31/2016**

Household Size	2	3	4	5	6	Each Addt'l
Income Limit	\$1,412	\$1,590	\$1,767	\$1,945	\$2,122	\$178
Maximum Payment	\$821	\$923	\$1,025	\$1,127	\$1,229	\$102

**Clients Served:** Families in need must have less than \$2,000 in countable resources, or \$3,000 if the family includes an individual who is 60 or older.

**Violence Prevention and Intervention Services**

Organization	Services Provided
<p><b><u>Interior Alaska Center for Non-Violent Living</u></b></p> <p>726 26<sup>th</sup> Ave. #1 Fairbanks, AK 99701 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 452-2293</p> <p><a href="http://www.iacnvl.org">www.iacnvl.org</a></p>	<p>Interior Alaska Center for Non-Violence Living’s vision is a community free of domestic violence, sexual assault and child sexual abuse. IAC offers a wide range of advocacy and support services to all of Interior Alaska, including: safety planning, emergency shelter, crisis intervention, referrals and help with housing and public assistance, children’s services, parenting classes and much more. Their services are free and confidential. They offer support all day, every day and have a 24-hour hotline.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, and child sexual abuse.</p>
<p><b><u>South Peninsula Haven House</u></b></p> <p>3776 Lake St. Homer, AK 99603 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 235-7712</p> <p><a href="http://www.havenhousealaska.org">www.havenhousealaska.org</a></p>	<p>South Peninsula Haven House (SPHH) offers a variety of services to families in the lower Kenai Peninsula. Including shelter services and additional programs addressing other comprehensive needs of families. Other services provided are advocacy, the Child Advocacy Center, crisis line, prevention, Child Care Food Program, Car Seat Program, and domestic violence intervention.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence.</p>

### Transportation Services

Organization	Services Provided		
<p><b><u>Fairbanks North Star Borough</u></b></p> <p>501 Cushman St. Fairbanks, AK 99701 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 459-1011</p> <p><b><u><a href="http://www.co.fairbanks.ak.us/transportation">www.co.fairbanks.ak.us/transportation</a></u></b></p>	<p>The Transportation Department operates the Air Quality forecast and the Metropolitan Area Commuter System (MACS), the public transportation system.</p>		
<p>Fare Category Effective July 1, 2014</p>		<p>Adult Riders age 19-59</p>	<p>Reduced Reduced Fare includes youth age 6-18, individuals with Medicare or Medicaid cards, active military and dependents, and those with qualifying disabilities</p>
<p>Cash Fare Must have exact change.</p>		<p>\$1.50</p>	<p>\$0.75</p>
<p>Day Pass Good for unlimited rides on day of use. Expires at midnight.</p>		<p>\$3.00</p>	<p>\$2.00</p>
<p>Monthly Pass Good for that calendar month.</p>		<p>\$40.00</p>	<p>\$20.00</p>
<p>Half Month Pass Available after the 15th of the month</p>		<p>\$20.00</p>	<p>\$20.00</p>
<p><b>Clients Served:</b> All in need of public transportation.</p>			

<p><b><u><a href="#">Alaska 211</a></u></b></p> <p>(Located in Anchorage, but provides assistance statewide)</p> <p>701 W. 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Suite 230 Anchorage, AK 99501 <b>Phone:</b> (800) 478-2221</p> <p><b><u><a href="http://www.alaska211.org">http://www.alaska211.org</a></u></b></p>	<p>“No matter where you live in Alaska, Alaska 2-1-1 is your one-stop resource for connecting with a wide variety of vital resources in your community including emergency food and shelter, disability services, counseling, senior services, healthcare, child care, drug and alcohol programs, legal assistance, transportation needs, educational opportunities, and much more.”</p> <p>Clients Served: All in need of transportation.</p>
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## Southwest Region

(Including Emmonak, Bethel, Dillingham)

### Native Specific Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p><a href="#">Yukon-Kuskokwim Health Corporation</a></p> <p>P.O. Box 528 Bethel, AK 99559 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 543-6000</p> <p><a href="http://www.ykhc.org">www.ykhc.org</a></p>	<p>The Yukon-Kuskokwim Health Corporation administers a comprehensive health care delivery system for 58 rural communities in southwest Alaska. The system includes community clinics, sub regional clinics, a regional hospital, dental services, mental health services, substance abuse counseling and treatment, health promotion and disease prevention programs, and environmental health services. YKHC is a Tribal Organization. Each of the 58 communities in its service area is a federally recognized Tribe. Each Tribe’s governing council has authorized YKHC to act in its behalf in negotiating with the Federal Indian Health Service to provide health care services under Title III of the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act of 1975.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Members of the 58 communities it serves as well as care to other Native Americans.</p>

<p><b><u>Kodiak Area Native Association</u></b></p> <p>3449 E. Rezanof Drive Kodiak, AK 99615 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 486-9800</p> <p><a href="http://www.kanaweb.org">www.kanaweb.org</a></p>	<p>Services include: ambulatory medical care and dental care, pharmacy, contract health community health aide program, substance abuse prevention, intervention/outreach, social services, non-clinical community mental health, and youth prevention projects, Women, Infant and Children (WIC) program, vocational rehabilitation, early childhood programs, education, employment and training program, and infant learning program. Additionally services include: A full service wellness center gym and tribal operations/environmental health.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Service area includes the City of Kodiak and six Alaska Native villages: Akhiok, Karluk, Old Harbor, Ouzinkie, Port Lions, and Larsen Bay.</p>
<p><b><u>Association of Village Council Presidents</u></b></p> <p>101 Main Street P.O. Box 219 Bethel, AK 99559 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 543-3596</p> <p><a href="http://www.avcp.org">www.avcp.org</a></p>	<p>Provides Human Development, Social Services, and other culturally relevant programs. Social services include: general assistance intended to meet criteria specified unmet essential needs such as: Providing short term financial assistance by direct payment; provide burial assistance to families of the deceased to acquire funeral preparatory needs for low income or for recipients with no income at all; and energy assistance helping low income families with purchase of cost fuel sales to head homes in which a portion of the award is applied to electricity. Percentage of the total LIHEAP grant is given to supplement the AVCAP Home Improvement Program. Other services and programs include: Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF), vocational rehabilitation, education, employment and training, and childcare assistance.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Members of the villages of the Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta.</p>

## Emergency Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p><a href="#"><u>Alaska Department of Health and Social Services- Division of Public Assistance: General Relief Assistance (GRA)</u></a></p> <p>Bethel District Office 460 Ridgecrest Drive, Suite 121 Bethel, AK 99559 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 543-2686</p> <p>Kodiak District Office 21 Mission Road, Suite 101 Kodiak, AK 99615 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 486-3783</p> <p><a href="http://www.dhss.alaska.gov/dpa/pages/gra/default.aspx"><u>www.dhss.alaska.gov/dpa/pages/gra/default.aspx</u></a></p>	<p>General Relief Assistance (GRA) is designed to meet basic needs of Alaskans in emergency situations. Basic needs include shelter, utilities, food, and clothing. Limited funds for a dignified burial of a deceased needy person may also be provided. The GRA program is 100% state funded. Because state funds are limited, the program is used as a last resort in providing basic needs to an individual or household. GRA is only available if a household's emergency need cannot be met by any other programs or agencies. Except for burial assistance, payment is limited to a maximum of \$120 for each household member. Payments are always provided to a vendor; they are never provided directly to the GRA household.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Individuals and families who meet eligibility requirements: the household must have an immediate and specific need for shelter (eviction notice), utilities (shut off notice), food, clothing, or burial. The person must be an adult or eligible minor. Persons under the age of 18 may apply for GRA if they are married or living apart from their parent and managing their own financial affairs.</p>

<p><b><u><a href="#">The Salvation Army-Corps Community Center: Kodiak</a></u></b></p> <p>1855 Mission Road Kodiak, AK 99615 <b>Phone:</b> 486-8740</p> <p><u><a href="http://www.salvationarmyalaska.org">www.salvationarmyalaska.org</a></u></p>	<p>Programs and services include: social services and food bank, emergency and disaster services, transitional housing, community cares ministry, Sunday worship service (11 am), Sunday school and bible study youth programs and a women's group. The Kodiak Family Thrift Store is open Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday from 9:30 am to 4:30 pm. We accept donations and invite you to come shop with us. The Kodiak Transitional House is a six to 18-month program for men and woman in transition to becoming self-sufficient. Anyone can apply, if they are in a transitional state. We are not a shelter or short-term housing facility. Tenants don't necessarily have to have completed a substance abuse program to be in our house, as we will consider all who are in the transition phase. Tenants must be employed, and they pay 30 percent of their monthly income as rent. Individuals in Kodiak Transitional House need to be making progress toward transitioning back in to the social stream of society. Call (907) 486-8740 for more information.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Individual and families in need.</p>
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### Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p><b><u><a href="#">Bristol Bay Area Health Corporation</a></u></b></p> <p>6000 Kakanak Road Dillingham, AK 99576 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 842-5201</p> <p><u><a href="http://www.bbahc.org">www.bbahc.org</a></u></p>	<p>Sexual Assault Response Team provides support and forensic exams for victims of Sexual Assault. The departments with Registered Nurses who maintain current professional licensure in their profession, nurses receive training in Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS), Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS), Advanced Trauma Life Support (ATLS), Maternal-Fetal Monitoring and Aeromedical Training.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of sexual assault</p>

## Shelter and Housing Assistance Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p><b><u><a href="#">Tundra Women’s Coalition (TWC)</a></u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 2029 248 6<sup>th</sup> Ave. Bethel, AK 99559 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 543-3444 24-hour crisis line: (907) 543-3456</p> <p><a href="http://www.tundrapeace.org">www.tundrapeace.org</a></p>	<p>TWC provides a safe place for women and children who have been battered or sexually assaulted, or who fear that they will soon be. Room is available for male victims as well. Services provided include a 24-hour crisis line, advocacy, transportation, hospital accompaniment, support groups, children’s programs, and community outreach and education.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence and sexual assault.</p>
<p><b><u><a href="#">Safe &amp; Fear-Free Environment</a></u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 94 21 G. Street W. Dillingham, AK 99578 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 842-2320</p> <p><a href="http://www.safebristolbay.org">www.safebristolbay.org</a></p>	<p>Services include: Bristol Bay’s shelter, advocacy, and prevention agency for domestic violence and sexual assault victims.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence and sexual assault</p>
<p><b><u><a href="#">Kodiak Women’s Resource and Crisis Center (KWRCC)</a></u></b></p> <p>422 Hillside Drive P.O. Box 2122 Kodiak, AK 99615 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 486-6171</p> <p><a href="http://www.kwrcc.org">www.kwrcc.org</a></p>	<p>The goal of the Kodiak Women’s Resource and Crisis Center is to “help women develop inner strength and achieve their fullest potential. They are dedicated to the prevention and elimination of domestic violence and sexual assault by providing education and promoting community awareness.” Services include the KWRCC shelter, a crisis Line, counseling, community outreach and education, classes and programs, a library.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence and sexual assault</p>

## Legal Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p data-bbox="186 317 634 348"><a href="#">Alaska Legal Services Corporation</a></p> <p data-bbox="186 394 518 506">P.O. Box 248 560 Ridgecrest, Suite 113 Bethel, AK 99559</p> <p data-bbox="186 512 488 543"><b>Phone:</b> (907) 543-2237</p> <p data-bbox="186 590 423 621"><a href="http://www.alsc-law.org">www.alsc-law.org</a></p>	<p data-bbox="695 317 1403 621">Assists clients who are facing critical civil legal issues ranging from consumer law, family law, housing problems, public benefits, healthcare complications, Alaska Native law, and other areas specific to veterans or the elderly. Services provided in the following areas of law: consumer, domestic violence, elder advocacy, family law, housing, health, public benefits, Alaska native law, and veterans.</p> <p data-bbox="695 705 1187 737"><b>Clients Served:</b> Low-income Alaskans.</p>

## Children, Youth, and Family Services

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**Woodside Manor**

2815 Woody Circle, Suite 1  
Kodiak, AK 99615

**Phone:** (907) 486-2244

<http://www.kodiakislandhousing.com/Family-Services.html>

Youth programs include training in life skills and a variety of recreational and community programs. A summer mentoring program provides youth positive role models, and helps develop positive interaction among various age and ethnic groups. Youth scholarships are available to promote leadership and development in culturally relevant activities such as Native Youth Olympics, Dig Afognak, Spirit Camp and Native Educators.

**Clients Served:** Youth living in the Kodiak community.

## Physical and Mental Healthcare Services

Organization	Services Provided
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## Violence Prevention and Intervention Services

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<p><b><u><a href="#">Tundra Women’s Coalition (TWC)</a></u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 2029 248 6<sup>th</sup> Ave. Bethel, AK 99559 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 543-3444 24-hour crisis line: (907) 543-3456</p> <p><a href="http://www.tundrapeace.org">www.tundrapeace.org</a></p>	<p>TWC provides a safe place for women and children who have been battered or sexually assaulted, or who fear that they will soon be. Room is available for male victims. Services provided include a 24-hour crisis line, advocacy, transportation, hospital accompaniment, support groups, children’s programs, and community outreach and education.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence and sexual assault.</p>
<p><b><u><a href="#">Safe &amp; Fear-Free Environment</a></u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 94 21 G. Street W. Dillingham, AK 99578 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 842-2320</p> <p><a href="http://www.safebristolbay.org">www.safebristolbay.org</a></p>	<p>Services include Bristol Bay’s shelter, advocacy, and prevention agency for domestic violence and sexual assault victims.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence and sexual assault.</p>
<p><b><u><a href="#">Kodiak Women’s Resource and Crisis Center (KWRCC)</a></u></b></p> <p>422 Hillside Drive P.O. Box 2122 Kodiak, AK 99615 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 486-6171</p> <p><a href="http://www.kwrcc.org">www.kwrcc.org</a></p>	<p>The goal of the Kodiak Women’s Resource and Crisis Center is to “help women develop inner strength and achieve their fullest potential. They are dedicated to the prevention and elimination of domestic violence and sexual assault by providing education and promoting community awareness.” Services include the KWRCC shelter, a crisis line, counseling, community outreach and education, classes and programs, and a library.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence and sexual assault.</p>

## Transportation Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p data-bbox="186 312 548 386"><a href="#">The Salvation Army-Corps Community Center: Kodiak</a></p> <p data-bbox="186 436 435 548">1855 Mission Road Kodiak, AK 99615 <b>Phone:</b> 486-8740</p> <p data-bbox="186 598 581 632"><a href="http://www.salvationarmyalaska.org">www.salvationarmyalaska.org</a></p>	<p data-bbox="695 312 1430 510">Programs and services offered include social services, a food bank, emergency and disaster services, transitional housing, community cares ministry, Sunday worship service (11am), Sunday school and bible study, youth programs, and a women’s group.</p> <p data-bbox="695 598 1292 632"><b>Clients Served:</b> Individual and families in need</p>



## South Central Region

(Including Anchorage, Cordova, Kenai)

### Native Specific Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p><b><u><a href="#">Cook Inlet Tribal Council</a></u></b></p> <p>3600 San Jeronimo Drive Anchorage, AK 99508 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 793-3600</p> <p><u><a href="http://www.citci.org">www.citci.org</a></u></p>	<p>Services provided include child and family services, educational services, employment training, recovery and re-entry, and event based programs.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> All those living in the Cook Inlet community</p>
<p><b><u><a href="#">Alaska Native Medical Center</a></u></b></p> <p>4315 Diplomacy Drive Anchorage, AK 99508 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 563-2662</p> <p><u><a href="http://www.anmc.org">www.anmc.org</a></u></p>	<p>An acute, specialty, primary and behavioral health care provider, the Alaska Native Medical Center provides comprehensive medical services to Alaska Native and American Indian people living in the state. The center includes a 150-bed hospital, a full range of medical specialties, primary care services and labs. The hospital also works in close partnership with rural health facilities statewide to support a broad range of health care and related services.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Alaska Native and American Indian people living in the state.</p>

## Emergency Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p><b><u><a href="#">The Salvation Army- McKinnell House and Family Services</a></u></b></p> <p>1712 A Street Anchorage, AK 99501 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 375-3500</p> <p><u><a href="http://www.salvationarmyalaska.org">www.salvationarmyalaska.org</a></u></p>	<p>The Salvation Army McKinnell House provides temporary emergency shelter and case management services to families experiencing the crisis of homelessness. The Family Emergency Services program offers services focused on homeless prevention, providing for the practical needs of individuals and families through our food pantry and other assistance, as funding is available. We also provide emergency disaster assistance to survivors. Programs include the Food and Family Programs, which provides food boxes, clothing vouchers, prescription vouchers, utility assistance, gasoline vouchers, furniture and household vouchers, and bus vouchers.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Families experiencing the crisis of homelessness.</p>
<p><b><u><a href="#">Alaska Department of Public Safety- Alaska State Troopers</a></u></b></p> <p>5700 East Tudor Road Anchorage, AK 99507 Phone: (907) 269-5511</p> <p><u><a href="http://www.dps.alaska.gov">www.dps.alaska.gov</a></u></p>	<p>Services include police officers to assist victims of domestic violence including helping with protection orders. Victims may also ask officers to assist in obtaining essential personal belongings like clothes, toiletries, or medication for you and/or your child(ren) and locating and taking you to a safe place, including a designated meeting place or a shelter, the residence of a household member or a friend, or similar place of safety. Officer may also assist you in obtaining medical treatment.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence</p>

### Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p><a href="#">Providence Alaska Medical Center</a></p> <p>3200 Providence Drive Anchorage, AK 99508 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 562-2211</p> <p><a href="http://www.alaska.providence.org">www.alaska.providence.org</a></p>	<p>Providence Alaska Medical Center’s emergency department includes the Forensic Nursing Services of Providence (FNSP). FNSP provides medical-forensic exams to patients who have experienced sexual assault, primarily but not limited to sexual assault.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of sexual assault</p>

### Shelter and Housing Assistance Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p><a href="#">Abused Women’s Aid in Crisis</a></p> <p>100 W. 13<sup>th</sup> Avenue Anchorage, AK 99501 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 279-9581 Crisis Line: (907) 272-0100</p> <p><a href="http://www.awaic.org">www.awaic.org</a></p>	<p>Provides 24-hour shelter, a crisis line, crisis intervention, case management and advocacy, legal advocacy, Harmony House, and children’s programs.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence, men, women, and children.</p>
<p><a href="#">Cordova Family Resource Center</a></p> <p>705 Second Street P.O. Box 863 Cordova, AK 99574 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 424-5674</p> <p><a href="http://www.cordovaalaska.org">www.cordovaalaska.org</a></p>	<p>Cordova Family Resource Center (CFRC) provides child and client advocacy with police, court, hospital, and social services. CFRC has a 24-hour help line 907(424-HELP). CFRC also has safe homes, crisis intervention, and transportation outside of Cordova to a shelter for victims of domestic violence. CFRC also provides educational workshops, support groups, parenting classes and supervised visitations. CFRC also has Public Assistance fee agents, notary service and can make referrals to other agencies, as well as a library and internet computer open to the public. Se habla Espanol.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence.</p>

<p><b><u>The Salvation Army- Eagle Crest: Transitional Housing Program</u></b></p> <p>438 E. Ninth Avenue Anchorage, AK 99501 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 276-5913</p> <p><a href="http://www.salvationarmyalaska.org">www.salvationarmyalaska.org</a></p>	<p>The Salvation Army’s Eagle Crest is a Transitional Housing Program that supports the local communities around Anchorage, AK by providing low-cost, alcohol and substance-free lodging for up to 76 guests in single, shared or dormitory rooms.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Individuals and families in need.</p>
<p><b><u>Covenant House Alaska</u></b></p> <p>75 A Street Anchorage, AK 99501 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 272-1255</p> <p><a href="http://www.ak.covenanthouse.org">www.ak.covenanthouse.org</a></p>	<p>Covenant House Alaska’s programs and services try to meet the basic living needs of kids and also provides them with support; genuine help. Programs include the Youth Engagement Center, transitional living, wellness center, and youth advisory board.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Serving homeless kids of Alaska.</p>
<p><b><u>My House Mat-Su</u></b></p> <p>300 North Willow Wasilla, AK 99654 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 373-HELP</p> <p><a href="http://www.myhousematsuhomelessyouthcenter.com">www.myhousematsuhomelessyouthcenter.com</a></p>	<p>Provides safe shelter for homeless youth with a goal of connecting kids to a network of caring individuals and agencies able to assist them in becoming self-sufficient. My House offers food, clothing, shower and laundry services, employment services, public health care, mediation services; help with legal issues and support and referral for mental health and substance abuse treatment.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Homeless youth of Alaska.</p>

## Legal Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p><b><u><a href="#">Alaska Immigration Justice Project</a></u></b></p> <p>431 West 7<sup>th</sup>. Avenue, Suite 208 Anchorage, AK 99501 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 279-2457 (AIJP)</p> <p><a href="http://www.akijp.org">http://www.akijp.org</a></p>	<p>The Alaska Immigration Justice Project is a non-profit agency that provides low-cost immigration legal assistance to immigrants and refugees in all immigration applications including citizenship, permanent resident status, work permits, asylum, family-based petitions and immigration petitions for immigrant victims of domestic violence, sexual assault and human trafficking. Immigration law is complex and changes frequently. Our staff constantly monitors changes to federal and state legislation, executive orders, federal regulations, and judicial and administrative decisions that impact Alaska’s immigrants and refugee populations. This information is posted on our website under “Immigration Updates.”</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Provides services statewide, traveling to many communities throughout Alaska, including, Unalaska, Sitka, Ketchikan, Kodiak, Juneau, Fairbanks, Kenai, and Homer.</p>
<p><b><u><a href="#">Alaska Legal Services Corporation</a></u></b></p> <p>1016 West Sixth Avenue, Suite 200 Anchorage, AK 99501 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 272-9431</p> <p><a href="http://www.alsc-law.org">www.alsc-law.org</a></p>	<p>Assists clients who are facing critical civil legal issues ranging from consumer law, family law, housing problems, public benefits, healthcare complications, Alaska Native law, and other areas specific to veterans or the elderly. Other areas of law include consumer, domestic violence, elder advocacy, family law, housing, health, public benefits, Alaska native law, and veterans.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Low-income Alaskans.</p>
<p><b><u><a href="#">Alaska Native Justice Center</a></u></b></p> <p>3600 San Jeronimo Drive, Suite 264 Anchorage, AK 99508 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 793-3550</p> <p><a href="http://www.anjc.org">www.anjc.org</a></p>	<p>The Alaska Native Justice Center (ANJC) is a tribal non-profit addressing Alaska Natives’ unmet needs regarding the Alaska civil and criminal justice system in response to the increasing disproportionate rates of victimization, incarceration and other justice-related issues impacting Alaska Natives throughout Alaska. Programs include Family law: the Alaska Native Justice Center supports individuals who have been physically, emotionally or</p>

sexually abused by a partner or are seeking assistance with a civil legal issue related to family law such as divorce, separation, child custody, support or a protective order. The ANJC Family Law Program may be able to assist you with civil legal attorney representation or pro se advocacy assistance. Please visit our office to complete an intake form. Free Legal Clinics are available to individuals who need assistance completing Child Custody or Divorce/Dissolution forms. Please check our calendar for the next available clinic.

**Clients Served:** All ethnicities living in Alaska.

## Children, Youth, and Family Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p><b><u>Covenant House Alaska</u></b></p> <p>75 A Street Anchorage, AK 99501 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 272-1255</p> <p><a href="http://www.ak.covenanthouse.org">www.ak.covenanthouse.org</a></p>	<p>Covenant House Alaska’s programs and services try to meet the basic living needs of kids and also provides them with support; genuine help. Programs include the Youth Engagement Center, transitional living, wellness center, and youth advisory board.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Homeless kids of Alaska</p>
<p><b><u>Denali Family Services</u></b></p> <p>1251 Muldoon Road, #116 Anchorage, AK 99504</p> <p><a href="http://www.denalifs.org">www.denalifs.org</a></p>	<p>Denali Family Services serves children who require intensive behavioral health care services, their families and also individuals. Denali Family Services offers individual, family and group psychotherapy services in combination with intensive care coordination and rehabilitative services. The majority of the consumers served are children who experience mental illness. Denali Family Services serves an average of 250 consumers each month in Anchorage and the Matanuska-Susitna Valley areas. Other programs and services include clinical, therapeutic foster care, case management, intensive school and community based services, training.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Children, youth and their families.</p>
<p><b><u>Cook Inlet Tribal Council</u></b></p> <p>3600 San Jeronimo Drive Anchorage, AK 99508 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 793-3600</p> <p><a href="http://www.citci.org">www.citci.org</a></p>	<p>Services provided include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Child &amp; Family Services</li> <li>• Educational Services</li> <li>• Employment Training</li> <li>• Recovery &amp; Re-entry</li> <li>• Event-based Programs</li> </ul> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> All those living in the Cook Inlet community.</p>

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<p><b><u><a href="#">My House Mat-Su</a></u></b></p> <p>300 North Willow Wasilla, AK 99654 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 373-HELP</p> <p><u><a href="http://www.myhousematsuhomelessyouthcenter.com">www.myhousematsuhomelessyouthcenter.com</a></u></p>	<p>Provides safe shelter for homeless youth with a goal of connecting kids to a network of caring individuals and agencies able to assist them in becoming self-sufficient. My House offers food, clothing, shower and laundry services, employment services, public health care, mediation services; help with legal issues and support and referral for mental health and substance abuse treatment.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Homeless youth of Alaska.</p>

## LGBTQ/2 Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p data-bbox="188 319 295 352"><a href="#">Identity</a></p> <p data-bbox="188 403 470 474">336 E. 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue Anchorage, AK 99501</p> <p data-bbox="188 483 487 516"><b>Phone:</b> (907) 929-4528</p> <p data-bbox="188 567 454 600"><a href="http://www.identityinc.org">www.identityinc.org</a></p>	<p data-bbox="695 319 1430 516">Identity “envisions a world where all people are free to express and be proud of their gender identity and sexual orientation.” The mission is to advance Alaska’s LGBT community through advocacy, education, and connectivity.</p> <p data-bbox="695 609 1136 642"><b>Clients Served:</b> LGBTQ community</p>

## Physical and Mental Healthcare Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p><b><u><a href="#">Alaska C.A.R.E.S.</a></u></b></p> <p>3925 Tudor Centre Drive Anchorage, AK 99508 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 561-8301</p> <p><b><u><a href="http://alaska.providence.org/locations/c/cares">http://alaska.providence.org/locations/c/cares</a></u></b></p>	<p>Alaska CARES is an outpatient clinic located near Providence Alaska Medical Center in Anchorage. The clinic provides sexual and physical abuse evaluations for children, newborn to age 18 years, and 24-hour-on-call services for cases that are considered emergent.</p> <p>Services include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Interviewers who are trained in forensic interviewing of children and skilled at talking with children about sensitive topics.</li> <li>• Nurse practitioners who have specialized training and are skilled in providing a child examination using a highly technical instrument, a colposcope. A colposcope uses light and magnification so the exam is non-invasive.</li> <li>• A victim advocate from <u><a href="#">Standing Together Against Rape</a></u> (STAR) or <u><a href="#">Southcentral Foundation</a></u> (SCF) is available to provide support to the child and family while at Alaska CARES.</li> </ul> <p>Family Care Coordinators are on staff for crisis intervention, and to help the child and family through the upheaval that often accompanies child sexual abuse. Alaska CARES provides referrals so that children and families can connect to services that help the healing process begin</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Child victims of sexual assault</p>

<p><b><u>The Salvation Army- Adult Rehabilitation Center (ARC)</u></b></p> <p>660 E. 48<sup>th</sup> Avenue Anchorage, AK 99501 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 562-5408</p> <p><a href="http://www.salvationarmyalaska.org">www.salvationarmyalaska.org</a></p>	<p>The Salvation Army Adult Rehabilitation Program in Alaska provides housing, counseling, life skills education, spiritual development and work therapy for men who are struggling to overcome challenges and difficult circumstances resulting from the effect of substance abuse. Services include, Individual counseling, Group therapy, Work therapy, Chemical dependency classes, Six-week anger management course, Spiritual development, Chapel services, Drug testing, Relapse prevention, Family education, and a Re-entry program.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Men who are struggling from substance abuse.</p>
<p><b><u>Denali Family Services</u></b></p> <p>1251 Muldoon Road, #116 Anchorage, AK 99504</p> <p><a href="http://www.denalifs.org">www.denalifs.org</a></p>	<p>Denali Family Services serves children who require intensive behavioral health care services, their families and also individuals. Denali Family Services offers individual, family and group psychotherapy services in combination with intensive care coordination and rehabilitative services. The majority of the consumers served are children who experience mental illness. Denali Family Services serves an average of 250 consumers each month in Anchorage and the Matanuska-Susitna Valley areas. Services include: Clinical, Therapeutic Foster Care, Case Management, Intensive School &amp; Community Based Services, and training.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Children, youth and their families.</p>

## Employment Assistance

Organization	Services Provided
<p><b><u><a href="#">Nine Star Employment Services</a></u></b></p> <p>125 West 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue Anchorage, AK 99501 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 664-8249</p> <p><u><a href="http://www.ninestar.com">www.ninestar.com</a></u></p>	<p>Services include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Work Services Case Management</li> <li>• Career Development Center</li> <li>• Job Coaching and Skills Development</li> <li>• Technology &amp; Skills Training (TAST) Computer Lab</li> </ul> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Alaskans looking for employment.</p>
<p><b><u><a href="#">Cook Inlet Tribal Council</a></u></b></p> <p>3600 San Jeronimo Drive Anchorage, AK 99508 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 793-3600</p> <p><u><a href="http://www.citci.org">www.citci.org</a></u></p>	<p>Services include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Child &amp; Family Services</li> <li>• Educational Services</li> <li>• Employment Training</li> <li>• Recovery &amp; Re-entry</li> <li>• Event-based Programs</li> </ul> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> All those living in the Cook Inlet community.</p>

### Financial and Utilities Assistance

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<p><a href="#">Alaska Department of Health and Social Services- Division of Public Assistance: Heating Assistance Program</a></p> <p>11312 Kenai Spur Hwy. Suite 2 Kenai, AK 99811 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 283-2900</p> <p><a href="http://www.dhss.alaska.gov">www.dhss.alaska.gov</a></p>	<p>The State of Alaska Heating Assistance Program (HAP) can help eligible residents defray their winter heating costs. It is <b>not</b> designed to pay a household’s entire winter bill. Households should be prepared to pay a portion of their annual heating costs.</p> <p><b><u>FY 2016 Income Guidelines</u></b></p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th data-bbox="711 604 922 718"># of People in Home</th> <th data-bbox="945 604 1058 718">Monthly Gross Income</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr><td>1</td><td>\$2,758</td></tr> <tr><td>2</td><td>\$3,735</td></tr> <tr><td>3</td><td>\$4,710</td></tr> <tr><td>4</td><td>\$5,683</td></tr> <tr><td>5</td><td>\$6,660</td></tr> <tr><td>6</td><td>\$7,635</td></tr> <tr><td>7</td><td>\$8,608</td></tr> <tr><td>8</td><td>\$9,585</td></tr> <tr><td>9</td><td>\$10,560</td></tr> <tr><td>10</td><td>\$11,533</td></tr> <tr><td>11</td><td>\$12,510</td></tr> <tr><td>12</td><td>\$13,485</td></tr> <tr><td>13</td><td>\$14,458</td></tr> <tr><td>14</td><td>\$15,435</td></tr> <tr><td>15</td><td>\$16,410</td></tr> <tr><td>16</td><td>\$17,383</td></tr> <tr><td>17</td><td>\$18,360</td></tr> <tr><td>18</td><td>\$19,335</td></tr> </tbody> </table> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Individuals and families in need that meet income guidelines.</p>	# of People in Home	Monthly Gross Income	1	\$2,758	2	\$3,735	3	\$4,710	4	\$5,683	5	\$6,660	6	\$7,635	7	\$8,608	8	\$9,585	9	\$10,560	10	\$11,533	11	\$12,510	12	\$13,485	13	\$14,458	14	\$15,435	15	\$16,410	16	\$17,383	17	\$18,360	18	\$19,335
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**Cook Inlet Tribal Council- Low  
income Heating Assistance Program**

3600 San Jeronimo Drive  
Anchorage, AK 99508

**Phone:** (907) 793-3300

[www.citci.org](http://www.citci.org)

LIHEAP provides assistance with heating utility bills for low-income Alaska Native and American Indian families that reside within the Municipality of Anchorage.

**Clients Served:** Low-income Alaska Native and American Indian families that reside within Anchorage.

## Violence Prevention and Intervention Services

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<p><a href="#">Abused Women's Aid in Crisis</a></p> <p>100 W. 13<sup>th</sup> Avenue Anchorage, AK 99501 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 279-9581 Crisis Line: (907) 272-0100</p> <p><a href="http://www.awaic.org">www.awaic.org</a></p>	<p>Services include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 24-hour Shelter</li><li>• Crisis line</li><li>• Crisis intervention</li><li>• Case management and advocacy</li><li>• Legal advocacy</li><li>• Harmony House</li><li>• Children's Program</li></ul> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence, men, women, and children.</p>

**Standing Together Against Rape (STAR)**

1057 W. Fireweed Lane  
Anchorage, AK 99503

**Phone:** (907) 276-9983

Local Crisis Line: (907) 276-7273

Statewide Crisis Line: (800) 478-8999

[www.staralaska.com](http://www.staralaska.com)

The mission of Standing Together Against Rape, Inc., (STAR) is to “provide the best quality of crisis intervention, education and advocacy services to victims of sexual assault and sexual abuse, and their families and our community.”

Services include:

- Crisis Line
  - Crisis intervention and support
  - Information about medical issues
  - Explanations of the criminal justice system, and what to expect when you report a crime
  - Referrals to resources in your area
- Immediate Crisis Intervention
  - STAR advocates are ready to respond to medical or law enforcement agencies 24 hours a day.
  - Immediate crisis support and reporting options
  - Assistance with medical and law enforcement professionals
  - Assistance with emergency shelter and supplies
  - 1-on-1 advocacy sessions
  - Safety planning
- Case Management
  - STAR offers both short and long-term case management, providing services through STAR and connecting survivors with other appropriate agencies.
- Adult Education and Professional Training
- Education and Informational Booths

**Clients Served:** Victims of sexual assault and sexual abuse.

<p><b><u>Cordova Family Resource Center</u></b></p> <p>705 Second Street P.O. Box 863 Cordova, AK 99574 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 424-5674</p> <p><a href="http://www.cordovaalaska.org">www.cordovaalaska.org</a></p>	<p>Cordova Family Resource Center (CFRC) supports the families and community of Cordova, Alaska. CFRC provides child and client advocacy with police, court, hospital, and social services. CFRC has a 24-hour help line 907(424-HELP). Services include safe homes, crisis intervention and transportation outside of Cordova to a shelter for victims of domestic violence. CFRC provides educational workshops, support groups, parenting classes and supervised visitations. We have Public Assistance fee agents, notary service and can make referrals to other agencies. CFRC also has a library and internet computer open to the public. Se habla Espanol.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence.</p>
<p><b><u>The Lee Shore Center</u></b></p> <p>325 S. Spruce Street Kenai, AK 99611 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 283-9479</p> <p><a href="http://www.leeshoreak.org">www.leeshoreak.org</a></p>	<p>The Lee Shore Center’s services include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Advocacy</li><li>• 24-hour Crisis Intervention</li><li>• Education support groups</li><li>• Assistance to abused/neglected elders and those with disabilities</li><li>• Community education and outreach</li><li>• Transitional Living Center services for homeless victims of domestic violence and sexual assault</li><li>• Batterer’s Intervention Program</li><li>• Child Care Assistance Program</li></ul> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of sexual assault, domestic violence.</p>

## Transportation Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p><b><u><a href="#">Alaska 211</a></u></b></p> <p>701 W. 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Suite 230 Anchorage, AK 99501 <b>Phone:</b> (800) 478-2221</p> <p><u><a href="http://www.alaska211.org">http://www.alaska211.org</a></u></p>	<p>Alaska 2-1-1 connects individuals with a wide variety of vital resources including emergency food and shelter, disability services, counseling, senior services, healthcare, childcare, drug and alcohol programs, legal assistance, transportation needs, educational opportunities, and more.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> All those in need of transportation</p>

## Inside Passage Region

*(Including Juneau, Ketchikan, Sitka, Petersburg)*

### Native Specific Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p><a href="#">Central Council Tlingit &amp; Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska</a></p> <p>320 W. Willoughby Ave., Suite 300 Juneau, AK 99801 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 586-1432</p> <p><a href="http://www.ccthita.org">www.ccthita.org</a></p>	<p>Central Council offers a variety of family-centered services focused on promoting and supporting safe and stable families. “These services assist individuals in attaining the education and skills necessary to support healthy lifestyles, develop meaningful careers and engage in the traditional activities of their communities.” Services include information and referral, case management, financial assistance, foster and child care, training, vocational rehabilitation, nutrition and other supportive services. The programs are designed to address immediate and long term needs associated with family well-being and financial self-sufficiency. Services are provided in collaboration with tribes and key state, local, faith-based and private agency partners. The programs are supported jointly, through contracts and agreements with private, local, state and federally funded agencies, with the majority of resources generated from federal grants.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Tlingit or Haida Tribal members.</p>

<p><b><u>Central Council Tlingit &amp; Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska: Tribal Family and Youth Services</u></b></p> <p>320 W. Willoughby Ave., Suite 300 Juneau, AK 99801 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 586-1432</p> <p><a href="http://www.ccthita.org">www.ccthita.org</a></p>	<p>Provides culturally sensitive services to assist in economic self-sufficiency and social well-being of tribal members, families, and tribal communities. Social Services programs ensure the entire needs of the family are taken into account when a crisis situation exists. Department staffs deliver, or advocate for the delivery of, services that are appropriate to the nature of the social problem with cultural sensitivity given the Native family and environment in which the crisis occurs. Services include: maintaining the first line of defense in a system of services aimed at supporting, serving, and protecting children; and ultimately, striving to prevent the unwarranted breakup of Native families; providing adult services, both financial assistance and individual counseling, which are essential to easing personal crises; providing opportunities for self-development of clients receiving general assistance in order to enhance their employability; and upholding the pride of those needing financial assistance; delivering services to Tribal elders in a fashion which will ensure utilization of their knowledge and contributions toward the enrichment and preservation of the culture and heritage of the Alaska Native people.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Tlingit or Haida Tribal members</p>
<p><b><u>Sitka Tribe of Alaska</u></b></p> <p>456 Katlain St. Sitka, AK 99835 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 747-3207</p> <p><a href="http://www.sitkatribes.org">www.sitkatribes.org</a></p>	<p>Services include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Education Services</li> <li>• Workforce Development</li> <li>• Legal Services</li> <li>• Realty Services</li> <li>• Resource Protection Programs</li> <li>• Social &amp; Family Services</li> </ul> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Enrolled members of the Sitka community.</p>

## Emergency Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p data-bbox="186 317 633 472"><a href="#"><u>Alaska Department of Health and Social Services- Division of Public Assistance: General Relief Assistance (GRA)</u></a></p> <p data-bbox="186 525 576 682">Juneau District Office 10002 Glacier Hwy., Suite 200 Juneau, AK 99801 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 465-3537</p> <p data-bbox="186 724 560 892">Sitka District Office 201 Katlian Street, Suite 107 Sitka, AK 99835 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 747-8234</p> <p data-bbox="186 934 560 1008"><a href="http://www.dhss.alaska.gov/dpa/pages/gra/default.aspx"><u>www.dhss.alaska.gov/dpa/pages/gra/default.aspx</u></a></p>	<p data-bbox="695 317 1429 892">General Relief Assistance (GRA) is designed to meet basic needs of Alaskans in emergency situations. Basic needs include shelter, utilities, food, and clothing. Limited funds for a dignified burial of a deceased needy person may also be provided. The GRA program m is 100% state funded. Because state funds are limited, the program is used as a last resort in providing basic needs to an individual or household. GRA is only available if a household's emergency need cannot be met by any other programs or agencies. Except for burial assistance, payment is limited to a maximum of \$120 for each household member. Payments are always provided to a vendor; they are never provided directly to the GRA household.</p> <p data-bbox="695 976 1429 1302"><b>Clients Served:</b> Individuals and families who meet eligibility requirements: The household must have an immediate and specific need for shelter (eviction notice), utilities (shut off notice), food, clothing, or burial. The person must be an adult or eligible minor. Persons under the age of 18 may apply for GRA if they are married or living apart from their parent and managing their own financial affairs.</p>

## Shelter and Housing Assistance Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p><a href="#"><u>Aiding Women in Abuse and Rape Emergencies (AWARE)</u></a></p> <p>P.O. Box 20809 Juneau, AK 99802 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 586-6623 Crisis line: (907) 586-1090</p> <p><a href="http://www.awareak.org"><u>www.awareak.org</u></a></p>	<p>AWARE provides services including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Emergency Safe Shelter</li> <li>• Crisis Intervention</li> <li>• Advocacy Services</li> <li>• Community Education to Schools and Community Agencies</li> <li>• Legal Advocacy</li> <li>• Education and Support Groups</li> <li>• Children’s Counseling</li> </ul> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, including children.</p>
<p><a href="#"><u>Women in Safe Homes (WISH)</u></a></p> <p>P.O. Box 6552 Ketchikan, AK 99901 Phone: (907) 228-4099</p> <p><a href="http://www.wishak.org"><u>www.wishak.org</u></a></p>	<p>WISH provides a safe place, advocacy and education for people impacted by domestic violence, sexual assault/abuse, stalking and to assist them as they explore their option in Southern Southeast Alaska. They are available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.</p> <p>Services are free, confidential and can be used anonymously.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, stalking.</p>
<p><a href="#"><u>Sitkans Against Family Violence (SAFV)</u></a></p> <p>P.O. Box 61236 Sitka, AK 99835 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 747-3370</p> <p><a href="http://www.safv.org"><u>www.safv.org</u></a></p>	<p>SAFV provides support for those who have experienced violence. Services include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Advocacy</li> <li>• Shelter</li> <li>• Sexual Assault</li> <li>• Children</li> <li>• Legal</li> </ul> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence, sexual assault.</p>

## Legal Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p data-bbox="203 310 651 346"><a href="#">Alaska Legal Services Corporation</a></p> <p data-bbox="203 394 623 470">8800 Glacier Highway, Suite 228 Juneau, AK 99801</p> <p data-bbox="203 478 505 514"><b>Phone:</b> (907) 586-6425</p> <p data-bbox="203 562 472 638">306 Main St., #301 Ketchikan, AK 99901</p> <p data-bbox="203 646 505 682"><b>Phone:</b> (907) 225-6420</p> <p data-bbox="203 730 436 766"><a href="http://www.alsc-law.org">www.alsc-law.org</a></p>	<p data-bbox="696 310 1437 514">Assists clients who are facing critical civil legal issues ranging from consumer law, family law, housing problems, public benefits, healthcare complications, Alaska Native law, and other areas specific to veterans or the elderly. Areas of law include:</p> <ul data-bbox="743 522 1029 898" style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Consumer</li><li>• Domestic Violence</li><li>• Elder Advocacy</li><li>• Family Law</li><li>• Housing</li><li>• Health</li><li>• Public Benefits</li><li>• Alaska Native Law</li><li>• Veterans</li></ul> <p data-bbox="696 991 1182 1026"><b>Clients Served:</b> Low-income Alaskans.</p>

## Children, Youth, and Family Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p><b><u><a href="#">Juneau Youth Services</a></u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 32829 Juneau, AK 99803 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 789-7610</p> <p><u><a href="http://www.jys.org">www.jys.org</a></u></p>	<p>Juneau Youth Services is a comprehensive behavioral health provider for children and youth, and their families. They currently provide a full array of emergency, residential, and community-based programs, including both mental health and chemical dependency services.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Youth and their families.</p>
<p><b><u><a href="#">Sitkans Against Family Violence (SAFV)</a></u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 61236 Sitka, AK 99835 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 747-3370</p> <p><u><a href="http://www.safv.org">www.safv.org</a></u></p>	<p>SAFV has two main areas of work: advocacy and prevention. In advocacy, they provide support for those who have experienced violence. In prevention, they build a community of respect and nonviolence. Both are essential in ending violence.</p> <p>Services include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Advocacy</li> <li>• Shelter</li> <li>• Sexual Assault</li> <li>• Children</li> <li>• Legal</li> </ul> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence, sexual assault.</p>

<p><b><u>Zach Gordon Youth Center</u></b></p> <p>396 Whittier Ave. Juneau, AK 99801 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 586-2635</p> <p><a href="http://www.juneau.org/parkrec/youthcenter">www.juneau.org/parkrec/youthcenter</a></p>	<p>Serves teenagers from throughout the Juneau area with specific attention. The Center is a safe space for teenagers to talk, release the pressure of the day and ask questions. Information is available about community resources, pregnancy, parenting skills, self-care, healthy relationships and other topics based on need. Weekly, the Center hosts a Family Dinner and Game Night. This serves as a place for teenagers, their significant others and their children to come for a home-cooked meal, a fun game, and an opportunity to interact with their peers facing similar challenges. Bi-weekly, teenagers can participate in “T Time” or Teen Talk Time, in which they can take part in a discussion group with their peers focusing on self-selected topics, such as dating, relationships and family. Staff is available on an individual basis, for counseling about relationships, conflict resolution, goal setting, self- esteem, job searches, references and referrals.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Youth living in Juneau.</p>
<p><b><u>Central Council Tlingit &amp; Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska: Tribal Family and Youth Services</u></b></p> <p>320 W. Willoughby Ave., Suite 300 Juneau, AK 99801 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 586-1432</p> <p><a href="http://www.ccthita.org">www.ccthita.org</a></p>	<p>Provides culturally sensitive services to assist in economic self-sufficiency and social well-being of tribal members, families, and tribal communities. Services include: maintaining the first line of defense in a system of services aimed at supporting, serving, and protecting children; and ultimately, striving to prevent the unwarranted breakup of Native families; providing adult services, both financial assistance and individual counseling, which are essential to easing personal crises; providing opportunities for self-development of clients receiving general assistance in order to enhance their employability; and upholding the pride of those needing financial assistance; delivering services to Tribal elders in a fashion which will ensure utilization of their knowledge and contributions toward the enrichment and preservation of the culture and heritage of the Alaska Native people.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Tlingit or Haida tribal members.</p>

## Employment Assistance

Organization	Services Provided
<p><b><u><a href="#">Central Council Tlingit &amp; Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska</a></u></b></p> <p>320 W. Willoughby Ave., Suite 300 Juneau, AK 99801 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 586-1432</p> <p><u><a href="http://www.ccthita.org">www.ccthita.org</a></u></p>	<p>Central Council provides a variety of employment and training related opportunities for Alaska Native and American Indians to help prepare them secure employment and maintain a healthy lifestyle independent of program services.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Tlingit or Haida Tribal members.</p>
<p><b><u><a href="#">Alaska Department of Health and Social Services- Division of Public Assistance: Alaska Temporary Assistance Program (ATAP)</a></u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 110640 Juneau, AK 99811 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 465-3347</p> <p><u><a href="http://www.dhs.alaska.gov">www.dhs.alaska.gov</a></u></p>	<p>Support Services provided to families who are moving to work need a variety of services to help them find and keep a job, and successfully transition off assistance. The services that are available include help with transportation costs, including vehicle repairs and driver’s license, interview clothing and personal grooming, and special tools, clothing, and equipment needed for employment. In addition, On-the-Job Training (OJT) and wage supplementation programs are available.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Applicants living in the State of Alaska.</p>

## Financial and Utilities Assistance

Organization	Services Provided
<p><a href="#">Central Council Tlingit &amp; Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska</a></p> <p>320 W. Willoughby Ave., Suite 300 Juneau, AK 99801 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 586-1432</p> <p><a href="http://www.ccthita.org">www.ccthita.org</a></p>	<p>Elderly Emergency Assistance provides emergency financial assistance to tribal citizens 65 years of age and older who have urgent personal needs due to disastrous events such as fire, death, illness or an extenuating circumstance such as utility shut-off notices, emergency medical need, or burial expenses.</p> <p>The program provides limited financial assistance (per availability of funding) to tribal elders experiencing a crisis. This is a one-time service limit per applicant, per calendar year and is open to all communities.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Eligibility Requirements</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Elderly Emergency Assistance Application</a></li> </ul> <p>General Assistance Program is designed to provide temporary financial assistance to meet the unmet “basic needs” of food, shelter, and clothing.</p> <p>Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) offers intensive case management to families with dependent children to identify financial needs, employment goals, and obstacles in service plan. Case managers continue to monitor families as they move through their plan toward the ultimate goal of self-sufficiency and gainful employment. The TANF program may offer support services that allow participants to find and maintain employment.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Tlingit or Haida Tribal members who meet eligibility requirements.</p>

## Violence Prevention and Intervention Services

Organization	Services Provided
<p><a href="#"><u>Aiding Women in Abuse and Rape Emergencies (AWARE)</u></a></p> <p>P.O. Box 20809 Juneau, AK 99802 <b>Phone:</b> (907) 586-6623 Crisis line: (907) 586-1090</p> <p><a href="http://www.awareak.org"><u>www.awareak.org</u></a></p>	<p>AWARE exists to provide safe shelter and supportive services for women and children who have been subject to domestic or sexual violence; and to affect the social, political and legal changes needed to eliminate oppression and violence against women and children.</p> <p>Services provided include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Emergency Safe Shelter</li> <li>• Crisis Intervention</li> <li>• Advocacy Services</li> <li>• Community Education to Schools and Community Agencies</li> <li>• Legal Advocacy</li> <li>• Education and Support Groups</li> <li>• Children’s Counseling</li> </ul> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, including children.</p>
<p><a href="#"><u>Women in Safe Homes (WISH)</u></a></p> <p>P.O. Box 6552 Ketchikan, AK 99901 Phone: (907) 228-4099</p> <p><a href="http://www.wishak.org"><u>www.wishak.org</u></a></p>	<p>WISH’s primary mission is to provide a safe place, advocacy and education for people impacted by domestic violence, sexual assault/abuse, stalking and to assist them as they explore their option in Southern Southeast Alaska.</p> <p>They believe that all people have the right to live in an environment free from violence. They are available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.</p> <p>Their services are free, confidential and can be used anonymously.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, and stalking.</p>

<p><b><u>Sitkans Against Family Violence (SAFV)</u></b></p> <p>P.O. Box 61236          Sitka, AK 99835  <b>Phone:</b> (907) 747-3370</p> <p><a href="http://www.safv.org">www.safv.org</a></p>	<p>SAFV has two main areas of work: advocacy and prevention. In advocacy, they provide support for those who have experienced violence. In prevention, they build a community of respect and nonviolence. Both are essential in ending violence. Services include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Advocacy</li> <li>• Shelter</li> <li>• Sexual Assault</li> <li>• Children</li> <li>• Legal</li> </ul> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence and sexual assault.</p>
<p><b><u>Working Against Violence for Everyone (WAVE)</u></b></p> <p>22 Sing Lee Alley, Suite 1          Petersburg, AK 99833  <b>Phone:</b> (907) 518-WAVE (9283)          Crisis line: (907) 518-0555</p> <p><a href="http://www.petersburgwave.wordpress.com">www.petersburgwave.wordpress.com</a>  <a href="http://www.petersburgwave.org">www.petersburgwave.org</a></p>	<p>Their trained advocates are here to help. Services include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Providing a safe place for you and your children to rest and think about options.</li> <li>• Connecting you with resources for housing, food, child care, and more</li> <li>• Creating a safety plan for home, work, school</li> <li>• Helping you with a protective order, understanding the difference between an emergency protective order, Ex Parte order and Long Term protective order</li> <li>• Connecting you with legal resources for family and criminal law</li> <li>• Connecting you with counseling resources</li> <li>•</li> </ul> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> Victims of domestic violence, sexual assault.</p>

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<p><a href="#"><u>Alaska 211</u></a></p> <p><b>(Located in Anchorage, but provides assistance statewide)</b></p> <p>701 W. 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Suite 230 Anchorage, AK 99501 <b>Phone:</b> (800) 478-2221</p> <p><a href="http://www.alaska211.org"><u>http://www.alaska211.org</u></a></p>	<p>Connecting people with a wide variety of vital resources in the community including emergency food and shelter, disability services, counseling, senior services, healthcare, child care, drug and alcohol programs, legal assistance, transportation needs, educational opportunities, and much more.</p> <p><b>Clients Served:</b> All those in need of transportation.</p>