

# Rents, Deposits, and Utilities Assistance in Calgary

Call 211 for Additional Information

<p><b>211 Alberta</b> <b>ab.211.ca</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Call or chat online for inquiries</li> <li>• 211 connects to resources in Alberta such as:             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Financial and social assistance</li> <li>○ Housing and utility help</li> <li>○ Food assistance and meal programs</li> <li>○ Seniors' services and home program</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p><b><u>Alberta Works</u></b> <b>1-866-644-5135</b> <b><a href="http://www.humanservices.alberta.ca/documents/emergency-financial-assistance-factsheet.pdf">http://www.humanservices.alberta.ca/documents/emergency-financial-assistance-factsheet.pdf</a></b> 100-6712 Fisher Street SE 855-8<sup>th</sup> Ave SW – 5<sup>th</sup> Floor Century Park Place 1021 10<sup>th</sup> Ave SW – 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor RPW Building</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Emergency allowance for food, damage deposit, eviction, accommodation (Hotel), essential application repairs, essential home repairs, utility arrears</li> </ul>
<p><b>Canadian Red Cross</b> <b>(403) 541-6119</b> <b>1305 11th Ave SW</b> <b><a href="http://www.redcross.ca/how-we-help/community-health-services-in-canada/alberta-community-housing">http://www.redcross.ca/how-we-help/community-health-services-in-canada/alberta-community-housing</a></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Community Housing Support Program</li> <li>• Offers one time financial assistance toward security deposits, eviction notices or utilities</li> <li>• a partial one-time payment for essential utilities (electricity or gas) when disconnection is a concern (between late fall and early spring only)</li> <li>• Advocacy to landlords or utility companies</li> <li>• Apply online</li> </ul>	<p><b>The Mustard Seed-After Care</b> <b>(403) 269-1319</b> <b><a href="http://theseed.ca/services">http://theseed.ca/services</a></b> <b>102 11th Ave SE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Come to downtown location during operating hours to meet with an advocate to help offer supports</li> <li>• Offers variety of programs and services to ensure individuals can maintain or transition to long term housing</li> </ul>
<p><b><u>Aspen: Home Stay Prevention Program</u></b> <b>(403) 219-3477</b> <b><a href="http://www.aspenfamily.org/what-we-do/families/home-stay-prevention-program">http://www.aspenfamily.org/what-we-do/families/home-stay-prevention-program</a></b> <b>200 2609 15<sup>th</sup> Street NE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Home stay prevention program works with families who are at imminent risk for homelessness</li> <li>• Receive immediate, short term interventions while working with the family to build long term solutions</li> <li>• For those facing pending eviction due to rental or utility areas</li> <li>• Families must go through screening process</li> </ul>	<p><b>Jewish Family Services Calgary</b> <b>(403) 287-3510</b> <b><a href="http://www.jfsc.org/programs--services/community-support-services/basic-needs.html">http://www.jfsc.org/programs--services/community-support-services/basic-needs.html</a></b> <b>420 5920 – 1A Street SW</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No walk-ins, must call and make an appointment</li> <li>• Able to address emergency financial situations and those at risk of homelessness</li> <li>• Offers assessments, advocacy, case management, and prevention interventions</li> <li>• Priority given to Jewish community but open to everyone</li> </ul>

**Cups Community Health Centre**  
**<http://cupscalgary.com/housing-services>**  
**403-717-0922**  
**1001 10 Ave SW**

- Support for first month's rent, utility disconnection or eviction notices
- One time help of \$400
- Must be under the low income cut off
- Check website for papers required and timings