

# Community Resource List

## Employment, Education & Training:

**MassHire Merrimack Valley Center:** 978.722.7000 (Lawrence) | 978.519.3762 (Haverhill)  
**MakeIT Haverhill:** 978.361.0751  
**Community Action Inc.:** 978.373.1971

## Health:

**HealthQ Sexual & Reproductive Health:** 978.575.8420  
**Holy Family Hospital-Haverhill:** 978.374.2000  
**Haverhill Family Health Center:** 978.557.2300  
**Mass Health (Insurance):** 800.841.2900  
**Pregnancy Care Center:** 978.373.5700  
**VNA Care Network (Visiting Nurses):** 800.521.5539

## Domestic Violence

**Haverhill District Court:** 978.521.7300  
**Jeanne Geiger Crisis Center:** 978.388.1888 (hotline) | 978.465.0999 (office)  
**YWCA Haverhill (ages 13+):** 978.374.6121 (office) | 844.372.9922 (domestic violence hotline) | 877.509.9922 (sexual assault hotline)

## Mental Health Services

**Arbour Counseling:** 978.373.7010  
**Department of Developmental Services:** 978.521.9432  
**Department of Mental Health:** 978.738.4500  
**Beth Israel Lahey Health Behavioral Services:** 978.373.3086 | 978.374.0414  
**NFI Massachusetts (Haverhill Clinic):** 978.373.1181

## Alcohol/Drug Treatment Assistance

**New Horizons Medical:** 978.361.9993  
**NFI Massachusetts SOAP:** 978.373.1181 ext. 120  
**Merrimack Valley Bridge Clinic (MGBC):** 978.469.5536  
**Learn 2 Cope:** 508.738.5148  
**Alcoholics Anonymous:** 978.957.4690 | 617.426.9444  
**Al-Anon Family Support Groups:** 1.888.425.2666  
**Benson House (sober housing for men):** 508.499.0555

## Crisis

**MA Behavioral Health Helpline (call or text):** 833.773.2445  
**Eliot CBC Behavioral Services (crisis):** 888.769.5201  
**Family Services' Crisis Helpline:** 988 | 978.327.6607  
**American Red Cross:** 800.733.2767  
**Haverhill Police:** 978.373.1212

## Family Services

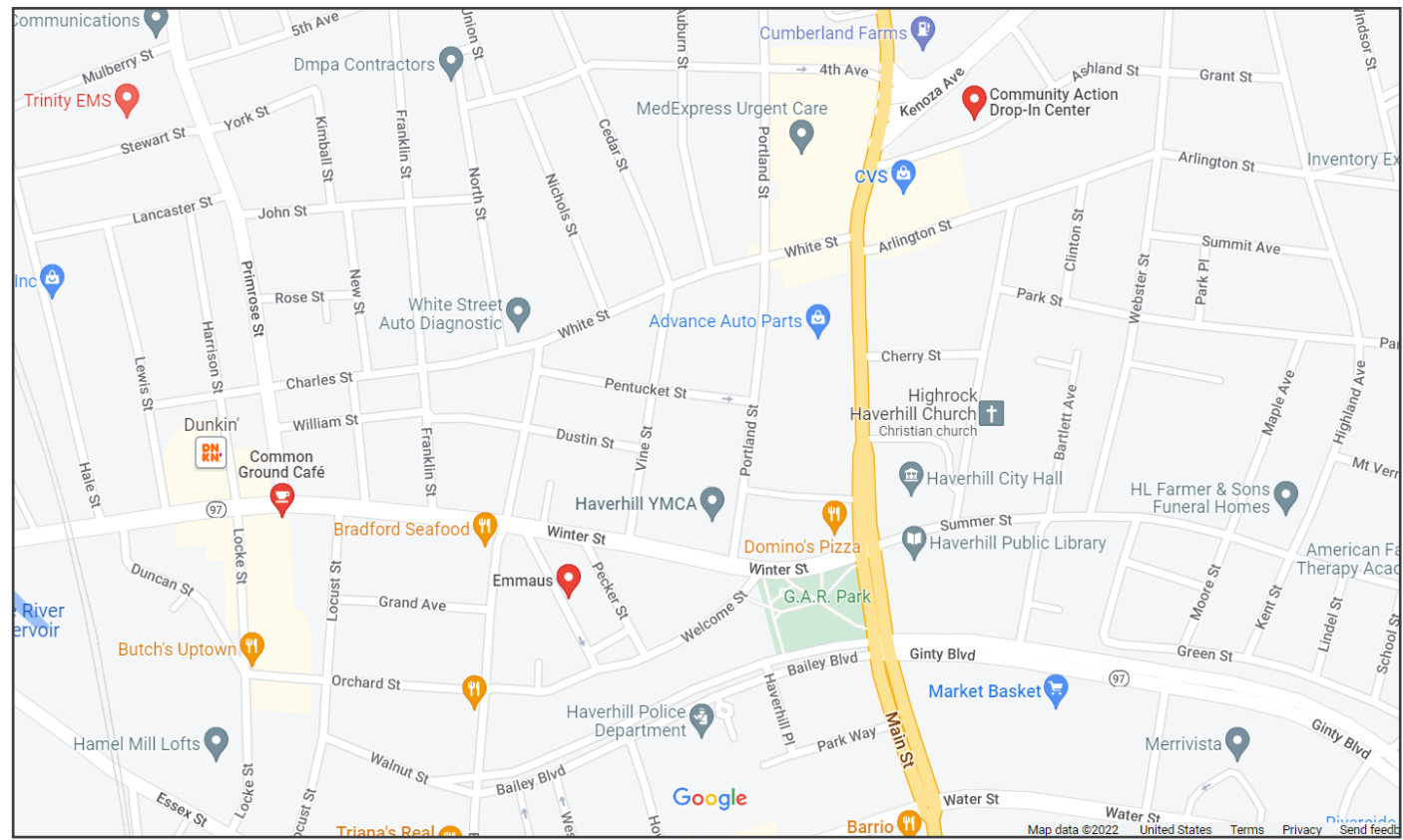
**Department of Children and Families:** 978.469.8800  
**Family Services of Merrimack Valley:** 978.975.8800  
**Healthy Families:** 978.521.6265  
**WIC (Women, Infants and Children):** 978.374.2191  
**Child Care Circuit (child care referrals):** 978.686.4288  
**Children's Friend and Family Services (Lawrence):** 978.682.7289  
**Thom Pentucket Early Intervention:** 978.363-5553  
**Immigrant Family Services Institute (mainly serves Haitian families):** 978.397.5768  
**MA Parental Stress Line:** 800.632.8188

## Veteran's Services

**Haverhill's Veterans Agent:** 978.374.2351 ext. 4  
**VA Health Clinic:** 800.838.6331  
**Veterans Northeast Outreach Center:** 978.372.3626

## Legal Assistance

**Lawyer for the Day - Essex Probate and Family Court:** 978.744.1020  
**Mass Coalition for the Homeless:** 781.595.7570  
**Northeast Legal Aid:** 978.458.1465  
**Mass Law Reform Institute:** 617.357.0700



**127 How St.**  
**Haverhill, MA**  
[Emmausinc.org](http://Emmausinc.org)

**\*Emmaus Housing Services:**  
**Mitch's Place (Adults):** 978.241.3430  
**Emmaus Family Shelter:** 978.241.3500  
**Housing Assistance for Individuals:** 978.241.3557  
**Housing Assistance for Families:** 978.241.3558  
**Coordinated Entry:** 978.241.3552

## General Affordable Housing Resources:

**Haverhill Housing Authority:** 978.372.6761  
**Community Teamwork Inc.:** 978.459.0551  
**E.A. Shelter/HomeBase Program:** 866.584.0653  
**YMCA Housing Program:** 978.478.5021

**Housing Services/Energy & Weatherization Assistance**  
**Community Action, Inc.:** 978.373.1971 | 978.519.4039

\*Call for more information. Each program has its own application process and eligibility criteria.



# Haverhill Resource Guide

## Summer 2023

Local Resources, Pantries & Meal Times

Compiled by Emmaus, Inc. with the Interfaith Network of Compassion (INC) and other Haverhill community organizations.  
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## General Resources:

**Community Action (Advocacy & More):** 978.373.1971  
**United Way Helpline:** 2-1-1 | 877.211.6277  
**Haverhill Non-Emergency Call Center:** 3-1-1 | 978.358.1311

## Meal and Pantry Locations

**AgeSpan** (Brown Bag Program and Mobile Market):  
 ROrtiz@agespan.org | 978.946.1279  
**All Saints:** 120 Bellevue Ave. (Rectory) | 978.372.7721 ext. 30  
**Changing Lives Christian Church:**  
 17 Newcomb St. | 978.373.7373  
**Common Ground Café:** 194 Winter St. | 978.372.3336 ext. 2  
**Holy Apostles Greek Orthodox Church:** 154 Winter St. | 978.373.3311  
**Open Hearts First Baptist:** 217 Main St. | 978.374.7491  
**Sacred Hearts Parish** (Pantry is beside the rectory):  
 6 Carleton Ave., Bradford | 978.372.5824  
**Salvation Army Church:** 395 Main St. | 978.420.4192 ext. 2  
**Somebody Cares New England:**  
 358 Washington St. | 978.912.7626  
**Universalist Unitarian Church (UUCH):**  
 16 Ashland St. | 978.372.5173  
**Community Action Drop-In at UUCH:** 978.241.9621  
**Liz Murphy Open Hand Pantry at UUCH:** 978.372.0260  
**Veterans Food Pantry** (veterans & families only):  
 10 Reed St. | 978.372.3626  
**West Congregational Church:** 767 Broadway | 978.373.3034 ext.3  
**Haverhill Citizen's Center:** 978. 374. 2390 ext.2  
**Calvary Baptist Church:** 13 Ashland St. | 978.373.6466

## More Community Resources

### Food Stamps & Other Benefits:

**Department of Transitional Assistance** (SNAP & Cash Benefits):  
 280 Merrimack St., Lawrence, MA | 978.725.7100  
**Project Bread Food Source Hotline:** 800.645.8333  
**Safelink Wireless** (Cellphones): 800.723.3546  
**WIC** (Nutrition Program): 978.374.2191

### Clothing & Household Items:

**All Saints Thrift Shop:** 120 Bellevue Ave. | 978.372.7721 (rectory)  
*Mon. & Wed. 8:30-11am*  
**Salvation Army Store:** 132 Merrimack St. | 978.374.7355  
*Mon.-Sat. 10:00am-5pm*  
**Ruth's House:** 111 Lafayette Sq. | 978.521.5575  
*Tues.-Fri. 9am-5pm (Client hours 10:00am-1:00pm); Sat. 9am-3pm*  
**Common Ground Thrift Store:** 194 Winter St. | 978.372.3336 ext.4 | *Tues.-Sat. 9am-3pm*

### Elder Services:

**AgeSpan** (including Meals on Wheels): 800.892.0890  
**Element Care's PACE Program:** 877.803.5564  
**Holy Family Hospital - Adult Behavioral Unit:** 978.521.8360

### Community Centers:

**Haverhill Citizen Center** (Senior Center): 978.374.2390  
**Cultural Community Center COCO Brown:** 978.702.4688  
**Community Action Drop-In Center:** 978.241.9621

### Youth & Young Adult Services

**YouForward** (16-25 yr. old): 978.290.8825 | 617.388.1049  
**Leaving the Streets Ministry:** 978.478.6828  
**UTEC:** 978.856.3902  
**YWCA Haverhill** (ages 13+): 978.374.6121 (office)  
**YMCA Haverhill:** 978.374.0506  
**Boys & Girls Club:** 978.374.6171

## Haverhill Meal and Pantry Schedule\* (Please call organizations for holidays, special events, & COVID protocols)

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>MEALS</b>	7:00am-10:30am <a href="#">Common Ground Café</a> (continental breakfast)  1:00pm-2:30pm <a href="#">Open Hearts First Baptist Church</a> (in-person & to-go lunches)	8:00am-12:00pm <a href="#">Community Action Drop-In Center at 16 Ashland St.</a> (light breakfast & bag lunch except on holidays)  12:00pm-3:30pm <a href="#">Common Ground Café</a> (lunch)  4:45pm-6:00pm <a href="#">Haverhill Citizen's Center</a> (hot dinner)	8:00am-12:00pm <a href="#">Community Action Drop-In Center at 16 Ashland St.</a> (light breakfast & bag lunch)  11:30am-12:45pm <a href="#">The Salvation Army</a> (hot lunch, sit down or to-go)  12:00pm-3:30pm <a href="#">Common Ground Café</a> (lunch)	8:00am-12:00pm <a href="#">Community Action Drop-In Center at 16 Ashland St.</a> (light breakfast & bag lunch)  12:00pm-3:30pm <a href="#">Common Ground Café</a> (lunch)	8:00am-12:00pm <a href="#">Community Action Drop-In Center at 16 Ashland St.</a> (full, hot breakfast & bag lunch)  11:30am-12:45pm <a href="#">The Salvation Army</a> (hot lunch, sit down or to-go)  12:00pm-3:30pm <a href="#">Common Ground Café</a> (lunch)	8:00am-12:00pm <a href="#">Community Action Drop-In Center at 16 Ashland St.</a> (light breakfast & bag lunch)  11:30am-12:45pm <a href="#">The Salvation Army</a> (hot lunch, sit down or to-go)  12:00pm-3:30pm <a href="#">Common Ground Café</a> (lunch)	7:00am-9:00am <a href="#">Common Ground Café</a> (breakfast)  Last Saturday of the month: 11:30am-1:00pm <a href="#">Holy Apostles Greek Orthodox Church</a> (sit down lunch)  1st & 3rd Saturdays of the month: 3:00pm-4:00pm <a href="#">Universalist Unitarian Church</a> (sit down meal)  2nd & 4th Saturdays of the month: 3:00pm-4:00pm <a href="#">Calvary Baptist Church</a> (sit down meal)
<b>FOOD PANTRY</b>	9:30am-10:30am <a href="#">Changing Lives Christian Church</a>	8:15am-11:00am <a href="#">Sacred Hearts Food Pantry</a> (pre-bagged groceries, drive or walk-up)  8:15am-11:00am <a href="#">The Salvation Army Pantry</a> (come to door #5)  1:30pm-5:00pm <a href="#">Mobile Health Unit at Common Ground Cafe</a> (back parking lot)	<b>MUST APPLY:</b> Email Ruth Ortiz at rortiz@agespan.org or call 1.800.892.0890 1st Tuesday of the Month: <a href="#">AgeSpan: Brown Bag Program</a> (delivered to different locations throughout Haverhill)  3rd Tuesday of the Month: 10:00am-12:00pm <a href="#">AgeSpan: Mobile Market</a> at the <b>Lawrence Boys &amp; Girls Club</b> (first come first serve)  4:00pm-7:00pm <a href="#">Liz Murphy Open Hand Pantry</a> at <b>16 Ashland St.</b> *must bring proof of Haverhill residency	8:15am-11:00am <a href="#">Sacred Hearts Food Pantry</a> (pre-bagged groceries, drive or walk-up)  8:15am-11:00am <a href="#">The Salvation Army Pantry</a> (come to door #5)  6:00pm-7:00pm <a href="#">West Congregational Church</a> (meet on the west side of West Church)	9:00am-1:00pm <a href="#">Veterans Food Pantry</a> *for veterans and their families only  Last Thursday of the Month: <a href="#">Somebody Cares New England</a> 10:00am-11:00am for elderly and disabled individuals 11:00am-2:30pm for all others *arrive between 8:30am-11:00am to pick up an appointment slip	8:15am-11:00am <a href="#">Sacred Hearts Food Pantry</a> (pre-bagged groceries, drive or walk-up)  8:15am-11:00am <a href="#">The Salvation Army Pantry</a> (come to door #5)  12:00pm-2:00pm <a href="#">Mobile Health Unit at Common Ground Cafe</a> (back parking lot)	2nd & 4th Saturday of the month: 10:00am-11:00am <a href="#">St. James &amp; St. John Diaper Distribution</a> at <b>6 Cottage St.</b> (parking lot)  1st & 3rd Saturday of the month: 10:00am-12:00pm <a href="#">All Saints Food Pantry</a> (pre-bagged food, drive or walk-up behind the church)  2nd Saturday of the month: 10:00am-1:30pm <a href="#">Common Ground Café</a> (walk through, pre-bagged groceries)

\*Visit the Haverhill Farmer's Market from June through October. **Saturdays 9am-1pm**, located at **51 Merrimack St.**