

## **Community Resources**

We recently obtained the following directory of agencies and resources on the Cape that are devoted to supporting those who may be struggling with housing. We want to thank Jill Scalise from Brewster Bible Church for sharing it with us. We trust they will be helpful.

Brewster Council on Aging: 508-896-2737, [www.brewstercoa.com](http://www.brewstercoa.com)

Brewster Good Neighbor Fund: Good Neighbor Fund Information | Town of Brewster Financial assistance for Brewster residents, [neighborfund@brewster-ma.gov](mailto:neighborfund@brewster-ma.gov)

Brewster Preschool Family Support Program: 508-896-3701, ext. 1100, Provides up to \$3,000 for preschool costs. Town Launches Preschool Family Support Pilot Program | Town of Brewster [townmanager@brewster-ma.gov](mailto:townmanager@brewster-ma.gov).

Brewster Rental Assistance Program: Apply through HAC, see contact information below, Rental Subsidy Program: THRIVE - Housing Assistance Corporation

-Up to \$500 per month assistance, eligibility requirements

Champ Homes:508-771-0885, [www.champhomes.org](http://www.champhomes.org). Transitional, congregate housing.

Chatham Ecumenical Council Helping Prevent Homelessness (CECH): Financial assistance.

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

CDBG Childcare Vouchers: 508-430-4499, [www.baileyboyd.com/childcare-programs-1](http://www.baileyboyd.com/childcare-programs-1) Provides up to \$7,000 per child, eligibility requirements.

Community Development Partnership (CDP): 508-240-7873, [www.capecdp.org](http://www.capecdp.org)

-Rentals, homebuyer education, sober housing, business development

Cape Organizations for the Rights of the Disabled (CORD):

800-541-0282, [www.cordcapecod.org](http://www.cordcapecod.org)

Elder Services of Cape Cod: 508-394-4630, [www.escci.org](http://www.escci.org)

Family Pantry of Cape Cod: 508-432-6519, [www.thefamilypantry.com](http://www.thefamilypantry.com)

Fuel Assistance (South Shore Community Action Council):508-746-6707, [www.sscac.org](http://www.sscac.org)

Harwich Ecumenical Council for Housing (HECH): 508-432-0015, [www.hech.org](http://www.hech.org)

-Emergency assistance, rental housing

Homeless Not Hopeless:508-957-2334. [www.homelessnothopeless.org](http://www.homelessnothopeless.org). Educational housing program.

Homeless Prevention Council: 508-255-9667, [www.homelessonline.org](http://www.homelessonline.org) Case management services.

Housing Assistance Corporation (HAC): 508-771-5400, [www.haconcapecod.org](http://www.haconcapecod.org) Numerous programs:

-Foreclosure prevention, homeless prevention funds, education, affordable home sale & lotteries.

Housing Navigator: [www.housingnavigatorma.org](http://www.housingnavigatorma.org) MA affordable housing search engine.

Independence House:508-771-6507, Hotline 800-439-6507. [www.independencehouse.org](http://www.independencehouse.org)

-Shelter and support for domestic & sexual violence

Lower Cape Outreach Council (LCOC): 508-240-0694, [www.lcoutreach.org](http://www.lcoutreach.org)

-Emergency food, clothing & financial assistance. Job coaching. Brewster Food Pantry.

Mass Commission Against Discrimination: 508-990-2390

St. Joseph's Shelter: 774-470-5976. Emergency shelter for individuals.

St Vincent de Paul (Our Lady of the Cape): 508-385-7582. Financial assistance.

South Coastal Counties Legal Services: 508-775-7020, [www.sccls.org](http://www.sccls.org)

We Can: 508-430-8111, [www.wecancenter.org](http://www.wecancenter.org) . Services for women