

Shelter and Transitional Resources Overview

Definitions

- Emergency shelter
 - Immediate shelter for one night or longer
- Transitional Housing
 - Longer duration of housing, but not permanent
 - Can have waitlists
 - May require applications, have an interview, or rent
 - May have rules and regulations to remain in program

Shelter Referral Helpline

Dial 211

<https://211colorado.communityos.org/cms/node/142>

- Call or search the online webpage to see what shelters have availabilities for the night
- After hours, contact your local sheriff's department for possible motel vouchers or shelter referrals

Cold Weather Resources

Severe Weather Shelter Network

- Provides access to the Severe Weather Shelter Network which provides shelter for single men, women and couples w/o children when overnight temperatures are 32°F or colder and wet, or 20°F or colder and dry.
- Walk-in to JCDHS or partner organization to register:
 - **Jefferson County Dept. of Human Services**
303-271-1388
900 Jefferson County Pkwy, Golden, CO 80401
Hours: M-F 9am – 3:30pm
 - **Mean Street Ministries**
303-232-2500
1380 Ammons St., Lakewood, CO
Hours: M-F 9:00am – 3:00pm
 - **The Action Center**
720-407-6670
8745 W 14th Ave., Lakewood, CO 80215
Hours: M, Tu, W & F: 9:00a – 2:00pm, Thurs: 11am – 3:30pm

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- Call the hotline each morning to find out if the severe weather shelters will be open that night (hotline number given at registration); if shelter is open, either call shelter line or walk in to JCDHS or a partner organization to be added to that night's roster.
 - Roster is first come, first served.
 - Guests are picked up at warming sites at 7:00pm and dropped off at 7:00am
 - A hot evening meal and quick breakfast with coffee are provided
- Restrictions:
 - Must pass a background check; no violent offenses against persons in the last year
 - Individuals or families may be eligible for a motel voucher if shelter space is unavailable
 - Individuals with physical disabilities that would prevent them from sleeping on the floor are not eligible and will be referred to other shelter options
 - No pets allowed

Jefferson/Denver Counties

The Action Center

720-407-6670

8755 W 14th Ave., Lakewood, CO 80215

<http://theactioncenterco.org/>

- Residents stay up to 45 days in shelter program, therefore limited availability and no waitlist
 - Intake time for shelter is in the mornings only Monday – Friday, 9:00am – 12:00pm
 - Clients must phone daily to see if there are any rooms available in the shelter program
 - Messages cannot be returned for shelter availability and rooms cannot be promised
- Must pass background check with no history of violence or sex crimes; be able to work or be currently working; be able and willing to complete at least one chore daily; be able to live within a diverse populations; be able to participate in scheduled meetings, groups and workshops; create and follow a plan to become self-sufficient; abstain from drugs and alcohol while in the program; be stable on medications.
- Program Service Hours: M, Tu, W & F: 9:00am – 2:00pm, Thurs: 11am – 3:30pm

Catholic Charities – Samaritan House

303-294-0241

2301 Lawrence St., Denver, CO 80205

<http://ccdenver.org/homeless-shelters/samaritan-house/>

samaritanhouse@ccdenver.org

- Offers emergency shelter, in addition to a transitional housing program
- How to Get In:
 - Emergency Shelter: Arrive at the facility in the evening to claim a mat for the night
 - Transitional Program: Call every morning at 8:00am to see if there is going to be a lottery for an open bed in the program. If there is, get there by 9:00am to sign up and the lottery will be picked at 9:30am.
- Notes: Separate facilities for single men. The transitional program has zero tolerance policies with increased levels of freedom as you progress through the program. Working toward gaining an income is a requirement.



Colorado Coalition for the Homeless

303-293-2217-main

303-312-9679 – Community Resources

2100 Broadway Street, Denver, CO 80205

www.coloradocoalition.org

- Community Resources helps homeless individuals access services they need to end their homelessness. This is not a shelter directly, but the first step for someone needing to connect with other Coalition programs and resources in the community.
- Assistance with: housing, short-term case management, referrals to other agencies, payeeships, benefit applications and advocacy.
 - Arrive Mon and Wed between 7:30am-8:30am, and 12:30pm-1pm to sign up for a same day appointment. **Most days the number of people signing up exceeds the capacity for walk-ins and a randomized computer selection determines which clients are seen. It is not a first-come, first-served sign-up system. **
 - It would be helpful to bring ID, SS card and income verifications when signing up

Delores Project

303-534-5411

Denver, CO physical address not published for safety reasons

<http://thedeloresproject.org/>

- Unaccompanied women and transgender individuals over the age of 18 may seek shelter at the Delores Project and discuss their transitional programs, as applicable.
- Reserve beds by calling in on Mondays at 9:00am for first time guests, and 11:30am for those who have stayed with Delores Project before.
 - Outside of Monday morning, you are welcome to call at 5:30pm each day to see if there is a bed available for that evening.
 - Community Partners Program
 - For a client to stay at the Delores Project for an extended time, a case manager must first complete a referral form (can be found on their website). The client must be experiencing homelessness, meeting with a qualified case manager at least monthly, and be actively working on goals toward achieving long-term, stable housing.
- Notes: 50 beds, dormitory style living. It is safe for LGBTQ community and does not require identification or other documentation. English & Spanish services provided.

Denver Rescue Mission – STAR Transitional Program

303-953-3900

6090 Smith Rd., Denver, CO 80205

<https://www.denverrescuemission.org/transitional-and-permanent-housing-solutions>

- Length of Stay: 6-12 months transitional housing at The Crossing
- Please call DRM if you are interested in the program. You will attend a pre-screening meeting (bring a photo ID, SS card, SS card of children, marriage license, and proof of income) which will be followed by an Intake, pending availability and eligibility.
- Resources Offered: Case management, computer classes, life skills classes and workshops, career support, three meals a day.



- Notes: Need an income of at least \$500 monthly to qualify, must submit to drug and alcohol testing, required to attend a monthly case management meeting and life skills workshops.

Empowerment Program

303-320-1989

1600 York St, Denver, CO 80206

<http://www.empowermentprogram.org/>

- How to Get In:
 - Sign up for Orientation by calling the number above, and pressing 3 for enrollment information. Dial ext. 238 to speak with Laura about attending orientation.
 - Orientation is by appointment only – Wednesdays at 1:30pm
- All services listed are free and open to women enrolled in the program:
 - Criminal Justice Services
 - Project SUCCESS supports women who plead guilty or no contest to municipal charges, as they may come to Empowerment instead of a fine and/or jail sentence.
 - Outreach and diversion activities are provided in county jails to incarcerated women
 - Project Bedtime Story: the program provides weekly trips to Denver County Jails to record mothers as they read stories to their children. The CD and book are then sent to the child or children to enjoy over the sounds of their mother as they fall asleep.
 - Education
 - GED and Continuing Education: classes are provided for all women. One-to-one tutoring is available through volunteers.
 - Life Skills is a comprehensive group focusing on stress management, effective communication, problem solving, conflict resolution, time management, women's health issues, bank and budgeting, support systems and goal setting.
 - Employment Services
 - Provide an opportunity to develop skills in completing job applications, the first impressions, and believing in oneself as well as developing interviewing skills and learning about job retention.
 - Health
 - Leadership Group: a peer run group, connected with Pathways to Success, which focuses on women's issues.
 - Women's AIDS Project: care and prevention services are provided for women who are living with HIV/AIDS or who are at risk for HIV infection. Comprehensive case management services are provided both for adults and teen women.
 - Housing
 - The program owns and operates five apartment buildings, providing supportive housing for homeless women living with chronic mental and/or physical disabilities.
 - Does not provide emergency housing
 - Integrated treatment services
 - Pathways to Success: uses a psychoeducational and skills building approach to increase women's understanding of the associations among addiction, trauma, mental health disorders, sexual risk behaviors and financial stability.
 - Trauma Recovery and Empowerment Model (TREM): a group intervention designed to help women who have suffered from abuse and/or trauma. Emphasizes survivor empowerment



- and peer support, teaches techniques for self-soothing and recognizing social boundaries, and helps women learn to focus on manageable steps of problem solving.
- **Mental Wellness:** a psychoeducational group focusing on strength based learning. Discuss factors to help achieve healthier states of mind such as humor, exercise, self-appreciation, optimism and leisure activities.
 - **Chrysalis Project:** provides services that include intensive outpatient substance abuse, cognitive-behavioral, mental health/trauma services to women arrested for prostitution in Denver.
 - **Beyond Violence – Anger Management:** a course for women who have committed violent/aggressive offenses and/or experienced violence in their own life. Group focuses on developing ways to decrease aggression and learn new ways to manage emotions.
 - **Trauma Narrative:** a writing and discussion group for women who have experienced trauma in their lives.
 - **Seeking Safety Group:** present-focused therapy to help women attain safety from trauma/PTSD and substance abuse.
 - **Relapse Prevention:** ongoing therapeutic support group that focuses on cognitive and behavioral skills to help promote sober living and provide support in recovery.
 - **Peer Educators:** for women who have graduated from a TREM group and wanted to advance their learning of materials in a peer focused, hands-on environment.
 - **Dialectical Behavioral Therapy (DBT):** consists of four modules: mindfulness, interpersonal effectiveness, emotion regulation, and distress tolerance.

Family Tree Housing & Family Services

303-467-2604

3805 Marshall St. #201, Wheat Ridge, CO 80003

<http://www.thefamilytree.org/es/homelessness-services/104>

- Located in Jefferson County but serves all areas. Must be homeless & in a shelter before starting their housing program that helps assist with independent apartment for singles.
 - Wait list is 6-18 months long.
 - Spanish speaking services available.
- Call number above to do a phone screening, be placed on the wait list and receive referrals for immediate housing. If no one answers when calling, keep calling back until you reach a live person, don't leave a message. They also accept walk-ins.
- Hours: 9:00am - 4:00pm, Monday - Friday

New Genesis

303-831-4910

1680 Sherman St., Denver, CO 80203

<http://newgenesis.org/>

- Transitional housing for women, 18 years or older; acts as a sober living facility
 - **There is currently a 6 month waitlist for transitional housing placement
 - Must have a photo ID and proof of income
- Notes: Residents must be working 32 hours a week or looking for work and attend required classes. Able to accommodate people who work nights as well as days.
 - Zero tolerance for drugs, alcohol, theft, and violence; no sex offenses.
 - Wake up time at 5:30 am, must leave by 7:15 am and can return by 4:30 pm.



- Cost: \$112 a week, fees due on Tuesday, \$100 refundable deposit due when applying for waitlist

The Catholic Worker House

303-296-6390

2420 Welton St., Denver, CO 80205

<https://denvercatholicworkerhouse.org/>

denvercatholicworker@gmail.com

- ‘First call, first serve.’ Call once a week to find out when the rooms will vacate.
- Two bedrooms for single women and 1 for families, in a communal house.
- Required dinner at 6pm every night and 10 pm curfew, expected to be looking for work or housing between 9am-4pm. Good fit for self-motivated individuals.
 - May also be used as respite for 2-3 months, if needed.
- There is a zero tolerance policy, no alcohol or drugs, no sex offenders.

Center of Hope

303-935-7746 – main

303-935-1276 – 24/7 shelter hotline

875 S Sheridan Blvd, Lakewood, CO 80227

<http://www.centerofhopedenver.org/>

- 1-3 day emergency shelter for men only (separate shelter for women available); hot meals and clothing with shelter stay
- Walk-in during business hours or call to schedule an intake
 - Hours: Monday – Saturday, 8:00am – 4:00pm
- No sex offenders, no sex crimes, and *no one taking mood and/or mind altering medications*. Religious focus.

Little Flower House

303-377-1894, Contact: Carol Briggs

4027 Fillmore St, Denver CO 80216

denver.littleflower@gmail.com

- Carol is working fulltime and opening her home as a small catholic worker house of hospitality. The house will model simple and sustainable living.
- Limited availability; please be respectful of how often you call to inquire.

Sacred Heart House of Denver

303-296-6686

2844 Lawrence St., Denver, CO, 80205

<http://www.sacredhearthouse.org/>

pa@sacredhearthouse.org

- In-House Stabilization Program
 - Provides temporary emergency housing, food and clothing to meet residents’ critical physical needs. Also provides case management and referrals to resources within the community for transportation, permanent/transitional housing, education/job training/placement, health care, child care and counseling.
 - Residents participate in a required series of living skills and parenting workshops



- Follow-Up Program
 - Staff continues to support former residents, rejoicing in their successes and encouraging them during their crises.
 - The program offers: furniture/household goods, monthly newsletter, emergency food, problem-solving, advice and resources, as well as holiday help.
- Transitional Housing
 - A two-year Transitional Housing Program offers affordable living to mothers pursuing education/job training goals. These women have successfully completed the In-House Stabilization Program, or a similar program at other agency.
- How to Get In: Call between 8:30am-9:30am daily to find out if there is an open emergency shelter bed. If there is, complete a phone intake. Move in is same day.
- Notes: Not a good fit for chronically homeless; Prefer applicants who already have jobs or are about to start working (there is a 6pm curfew unless you are working); No violent felonies or theft felonies.

Still Water Housing – Open Door Ministries

303-830-2201

1530 Marion St., Denver, CO 80218

<http://www.odmdenver.org/ministries/housing>

- How to Get In: Call number above every Friday after 2:00pm, staff will update the client to let them know if there is an opening the following week.
 - If there will be an opening, there is an orientation the following Wednesday for all three houses at 1:00pm. At the orientation, the program will be explained; you will fill out an application and have an interview. If you are picked for the program, you will be notified.
- Other Resources Offered: Meals, bible study, church services, provides assistance in obtaining employment, enrolling in school, mentorship, and goal setting
- Faith-based programs include:
 - *Chayah House* is a transitional home for women without children struggling with homelessness, drug/alcohol abuse, domestic violence situations, trauma from abuse, or financial crisis; requests at least a 6 month commitment.
 - *Treasure House* is for single women who are pregnant or have children under the age of 3 years old. Focus on parenting skills, sobriety, exploring faith, and pursuing education and employment goals. Requests a 6 month commitment.
 - *Esther House* is for women who desire to leave the sex-trade industry. The program offers one-on-one mentorship; requests at least a 6 month commitment.
- Additional notes: Each program is located in a house with 4-5 other woman. You are required to attend church and bible study and community groups. There will be random UI's, and you will be expected to engage in 20 "productive" hours a week. No sex offenders or violent offences in background.
- Cost: \$300 a month

Other Counties

Do not necessarily need to live in these counties for services

Boulder Shelter for the Homeless

303-442-4646

4869 N. Broadway, Boulder, CO 80304



<http://www.bouldershelter.org/>

- Open October 1 through April 30 for winter sheltering
 - Hours of operation: 5:00pm – 10:00am (no services available 10am-5pm daily)
 - Intake is from 5:00pm – 7:00pm daily, unless other arrangements are made
- Transition Program, year-round
 - Transition Program residents work with case managers to determine what has led them to homelessness and what steps they can take to overcome their situation.
 - Residents must live drug and alcohol free, pay a weekly program fee, and abide by a budget and savings plan. Maximum stay of 9 months
 - To qualify for the program, residents must have sustainable income that can be verified and an obtainable transition plan.
 - Anyone desiring to enter the Transition Program needs to schedule an intake appointment with a shelter case manager, via the phone number above.
- Morning services at the shelter include: Breakfast, showers, access to laundry facilities, mail and phone messages from 6:00am – 8:00am, 7 days/week, year-round
- Boulder County Cares (BCC) is a street outreach program of the Boulder Shelter that helps the homeless in need. If you see a homeless person in need from October 1 to April 30, 7:00pm – 10:00pm, please call BCC cell phone at 303-358-7036 to request assistance.
 - For more info about BCC, call 303-468-4317

Cold Weather Care

303-847-9072

12505 Colorado Blvd, Thornton, CO 80241

<http://www.coldweathercare.org>

- Providing shelter and support to individuals and families in Adams County during cold weather seasons. Located at multiple volunteer church locations
- Guests arrive at the host church between 6 and 7pm each evening, and leave at 7am daily (Saturdays at 8:30am) to get their kids to school, go to work or go out searching for jobs and housing.
- CWC offers assessment, service planning, referrals and advocacy. Works with guests to identify their own unique barriers to stable housing and develop an action plan to help guests move toward securing sustainable and permanent housing and work.
- For more information on entering the program call or email info@coldweathercare.org.
 - No dangerous felonies or sex offenders. No drugs, alcohol nor weapons should be brought. Must have a valid photo ID. Must be homeless.

Comitis Crisis Center

303-341-9160

2178 N. Victor St, Aurora, CO 80040

<http://www.milehighbehavioralhealthcare.org/>

- Emergency adult shelter ages 18+ including meals, personal hygiene kit, showers, referrals and case management services, healthcare screenings by MCPN, etc.
- Call for more information; accept walk-ins for services.



Mental Health Focus

Irving Street Women's Residence – Volunteers of America

303-934-9501

303-934-9692 (fax)

601 S. Irving St., Denver, CO 80219

<http://www.voacolorado.org/gethelp-denvermetro-ryes-irving>

- A residential and support program designed to serve chronically homeless women (homeless for one continuous year or 4 separate times over 3 years) who are disabled or experience mental health issues.
- Residents must be referred by community agencies
 - If a client with Jefferson Center for Mental Health, ask your care coordinator about this referral if needed
- Other notes: waitlist may be extensive; women are given 1 month in the program to find income; facility is staffed 24/7; the cost is 30% of one's income.

Karis Community

303-355-5546

1361 Detroit St., Denver, CO 80206

<http://kariscommunity.org/>

- How to Get In: Applicant is interviewed by the executive director or program coordinator. If it is determined is a good fit, the client participates in a dinner with the community on Monday or Tuesday at 5:45pm. At dinner, the applicant has the opportunity to socialize with current members; they will ask questions to gain a better understanding of the applicant, and the applicant can ask any questions arising for them after the initial interview. The applicant is instructed to call at 10:00am to find out the community decision.
- Criteria: 21+ years old, primary struggle is a mental health diagnosis, able to pay monthly rent (do not accept Section 8), able to work, volunteer or attend school at least 20 hours a week, currently working with a therapist to assist in addressing mental health issues, if on medications working with a psychiatrist, available all Thursday evenings to participate in community dinner and meetings, available to attend 3 community dinners each week, able to provide own breakfast and lunch, available to attend two in-house support groups each week, able to complete a monthly chore, take medication independently, keep general upkeep of room for cleanliness, and ultimately remain able to continue working on goals for healthy coping and life skills.
- Cost: \$576/month single rooms, \$469/month shared room, \$200 damage deposit with first month's rent

Ruth Goebel House – Colorado Coalition for the Homeless

303-297-4098 – program main line

303-312-9676 – to set up an Intake

3636 W. Colfax, Denver, CO 80204

- Transitional housing program (up to 2 years) for single women who struggle with mental illness in a co-ed facility hosting three other programs.
 - Services provided: employment services, case management, 3 meals a day, benefits support, groups and therapy.



- The program is a good fit for people who are in a “good place,” engaged in mental health services, and taking their medication regularly. Participants are required to participate in therapy, groups, and chores.
- Call the Intake line above to assess eligibility, schedule a tour of the facility and an assessment with the clinician. If the program is a good fit, you will be put on a waitlist and called to fill out an application when a bed opens.

Substance Use Focus

Oxford House

Phone number depends on location

Multiple locations in the Denver Metro area

www.oxfordhouse.org

On the website, go to “Houses” > “Vacancy Search” and search in Colorado for openings and local phone numbers to contact

- Transitional housing for men and women – self-run, self-supporting addiction recovery.
- Length of Stay: A recovering individual can live in an Oxford House for as long as he or she does not drink alcohol, does not use drugs, and pays an equal share of the house expenses. The average stay is about a year, but many residents stay three, four, or more years. Zero tolerance for relapse.
- Majority are single rooms with shared common space, costing around \$400-500 monthly.
- How to Get In: complete a standard “Application for Membership” and be interviewed by the residents of the house he or she want to live in.
- Notes: Participants must be working and cooperate with house rules such as being clean, sober, and sharing chores.

Providence House

303-860-8404 x22

801 Logan St., Denver, CO 80203

<http://providencenetwork.org/>

- An 18-month program designed to empower single men and women who are seeking life-long recovery, self-sufficiency and spiritual growth.
- Call the number above for a recording that will announce openings and scheduled orientations. Orientations and interviews are held only when there are openings.
- Resources Offered: Job training, life-skills development, individual and group counseling, case management, goal setting and accountability support, and community activities.
- Notes: Next step after detox, Christian-based, for men and women who struggle with addiction and alcoholism (or dual-diagnoses). Must maintain sobriety.

***Ask Navigation for lists of Substance Use and/or Sober Living Resources, as needed.*

Ex-Offender Program

Charity’s House Ministries

303-291-0275

3022 Welton Street, Denver, CO 80205



<http://charityshouseministries.org/>

- 16 bed faith-based program for recently released ex-offenders (not including sex or violent offenders). Must work or be seeking employment. If not working you must be willing to be given assigned work or to look for employment, presenting verification of at least 5 job interviews a week. You must agree to money management services until \$500 or more is saved, trainings, and random drug and alcohol screenings. You will be discharged if you are absent overnight without staff being notified
- What they offer: safe and clean household, Biblical training, financial counseling, employment assistance and referrals, career training classes, mentoring, stress management classes, drug and alcohol classes, etc.
- Cost: \$240/mo. For sliding scale fee option, call to see if qualified
- How to Get In: Fill out and submit the 14 page application found on the website (<http://charityshouseministries.org/CHApp-Men.pdf>)
 - Mail or hand deliver to 3022 Welton Street, Denver, CO 80205, or fax to 303-291-0274.
 - If you cannot print a copy but can come to the office, they will provide and application and help you complete it.

Information for People with Pets

Cat Care Society

303-239-9680

5787 W 6th Ave, Lakewood, CO 80214

<http://www.catcaresociety.org/>

- Temporary care program for people who are unable to care for their cats, due to a home foreclosure, temporary homelessness, or an extended hospital stay. Provide shelter, food, and medical care for up to 30 days for the cat(s) of people who are struggling due to one of these situations.
 - CCS has limited spots for temporary care cats, and participation in the program is subject to space and availability. Call to verify space is available.
- Shelter hours: Tues – Fri: 12pm – 5:30pm; Sat: 11am – 4:30pm; Sun: 12pm – 3:00pm

Cat Cradle Cattery

303-424-2424

4363 Kipling St, Wheat Ridge, CO 80033

<http://www.catcradlecattery.com/>

- Can take cats temporarily for only \$8/day which includes food.
- Hours: Mon – Fri: 8am – 12pm, 4pm – 6pm; Saturday: 8am – 12pm; Sunday: closed

The Denver Stray Project – Denver Dumb Friends League

303-751-5772

2080 Quebec Street, Denver, CO

<http://www.ddfl.org/pet-surrender/surrender-process/>

- If you are a resident of Denver and have a pet that you need to surrender, please bring it to Dumb Friends League (DFL) at 2080 Quebec Street.



- *In Pet Surrender, they offer compassion and understanding to owners who relinquish their pets and a warm welcome to the animals that are being entrusted to their care*
 - *Call to schedule an appointment*
 - *What to bring to the shelter:*
 - *Pet records – a copy of vaccination and vet records*
 - *Behavior information – be prepared to discuss your pet’s daily habits and behaviors*
 - *Safe transportation – be sure that dogs are on leashes and cats or other small animals are in carriers*
 - *DDFL will ask for a \$30 donation to be put toward the cost of your pet’s care*
 - *If you are disabled and/or don’t have transportation to take the pet to the shelter, a Denver resident may contact Denver Animal Protection at 720-913-1311 for assistance regarding an owner surrender pet.*
- *Hours: Monday–Friday, 9am–7pm; Weekends: 9am–5pm*
- *Non-Denver County residents: contact local animal shelter or animal control agency.*

Foothills Animal Shelter

303-278-7575

580 McIntyre St., Golden, CO 80401

www.foothillsanimalshelter.org

- *Pet surrender for Jefferson County residents (must provide ID); accept out-of-county surrenders, but a larger fee will be charged*
- *How to surrender:*
 - *Bring animal to the shelter along with proof of residency and the animal’s medical records during normal open hours. Enter through “Intake” door, past the main doors.*
 - *At time of drop-off, you will sign waiver releasing ownership rights to the pet*
 - *You will be asked to give as much information about your pet as possible.*
 - *Once you surrender your pet, it will undergo behavior testing and they will determine best course of action for the pet’s placement.*
- *Surrender fees – help to cover initial cost of care for your pet*
 - *Jefferson County*
 - *Dogs and cats – \$40, Rabbits and ferrets – \$20, Small mammals – \$10, others vary.*
 - *Out-of-county*
 - *Dogs or cats (over 6 months of age) – \$100, Puppy or kitten (under 6 months of age) – \$80, Litter of puppies or kittens – \$100 (w/mother \$120), other animals – \$100.*
- *Hours of operation: 11am – 7pm on weekdays, and 10am – 6pm on weekends*

MaxFund – No Kill Animal Shelter and Adoption Center

1005 Galapago St, Denver, CO 80204 (dog shelter) – 303-595-4917

720 W. 10th Avenue, Denver, CO 80204 (cat shelter) – 720-266-6081

<https://www.maxfund.org/>

- *Shelter Hours: Mon, Wed, Thur and Fri: 10am – 4pm (cat shelter is 11am-4pm), Saturday 11am – 5pm, Sunday 12pm – 5pm; Closed on Tuesdays*
- *Notes: Can relinquish animals for \$45, call to ensure there is space in the shelter.*
- *Call for any additional information and/or requirements.*

Rocky Mountain Feline Rescue



303-744-6076

<http://rmfr-colorado.org/relinquish-cat>

- Can only take in cats as space opens up. They will make sure the cat is a good fit for the shelter and if accepted, they will set up an appt. to bring in the cat.
- No required fee, but consider leaving a donation for the care of the cat

**Ask Navigation for additional list(s) of animal assistance resources as needed.*

