

Dickinson
215 Tanglewood Dr.
Dickinson, TX 77539
281-337-5402

Galveston
123 Rosenberg
Galveston, TX 77550
409-763-0277

COMMUNITY AGENCIES & SOCIAL SERVICE PROVIDERS

The American Red Cross Texas City Chapter
9300 Emmett Lowery Expressway #216
Texas City, TX 77591
409-945-7200

Services available: Disaster relief assistance to families impacted by disasters, Community Disaster Education; Disaster Preparedness Presentations, First Aid/CPR/AED Courses, Baby Sitting Courses
www.houstonredcross.org

The Salvation Army—Texas City
4210 Texas Avenue
Texas City, TX 77591
409-935-1190

Services: Disaster Response: "...trained to meet all kinds of emergencies by providing food, shelter, clothing." Salvation Army Disaster Radio, Food Pantries: "Families and individuals...are eligible to receive food boxes...to meet their needs for several days." Rent/Utility Assistance: "For those who find themselves in the middle of an unexpected crisis, Salvation Army assistance with rent and utility bill payments maybe just the thing..." Clothing and Household Goods: "For Texans in need of emergency clothing, household goods, or furniture, vouchers may be offered by one of our social service caseworkers. The vouchers can be used at one of our local thrift store or designated retail outlets to purchase items that they need." There are also special services for seniors, people who need temporary shelter, and some programs for children.
www.salvationarmytexas.org

Galveston County Social Services
2516 Texas Avenue Room #111 409-770-5803
Texas City, TX 77590

123 Rosenberg, Suite 4127
Galveston, TX 77550
409-770-5583
There is a PDF with a list of community resources found in Galveston County.
www.co.galveston.tx.us/Community_Services/

Texas City Housing Authority
817 2nd Ave N
Texas City, TX 77590
409-945-4011
"The Texas City Housing Authority's mission is to serve the needs of low-income families in the PHA's jurisdiction and to (1) increase the availability of decent, safe, sanitary and affordable housing in its communities; (2) ensure equal opportunity in housing; (3) promote self-sufficiency and asset development of families and individuals; and (4) improve community quality of life an economic viability."
www.tchousing.net/

Workforce Solutions—Texas City
3549 Palmer Highway
Texas City, TX 77590
409-949-9055
Services: job referrals; job listings; resume assistance; internet access; copier, fax, telephone, and computers; resource library; computer tutorials; labor market information; job search workshops; community resources and child care; career exploration and planning; career guidance; education and training scholarships
<http://www.wrksolutions.com/>

**Moore Memorial
Public Library**
1701 9th Ave. N.
Texas City, TX 77590
Phone: (409) 643-5977
www.texascity-library.org

Galveston County Social Services & Community Resources



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FOOD BANK & FOOD PANTRIES AND OTHER SERVICES

The Galveston County Food Bank/Gleanings From the Harvest

624 4th Avenue North 409-945-4232
Texas City, TX 77590

Services: Client Choice Food Mart, Mobile Food Distribution, & homebound nutritional pack program.

<http://galvestoncountyfoodbank.org/>

Catholic Charities—

Texas City Beacon of Hope Center

712 5th Avenue North 409-948-0405
Texas City, TX 77590

“Provides basic needs services for people in Galveston County. Rent, Utility, Short term Case Management, Information and Referral assistance is available to individuals and families in crisis. Case managers work with individuals during this time to help them locate jobs, job training and to maintain stable housing. A client may be eligible for one-time rental assistance, or short term case management program as funding is available.

www.catholiccharities.org/

Mainland Children’s Partnership

2000 Texas Avenue Suite 601
Texas City, TX 77590 409-643-8240

“The mission of the corporation is to give at-risk children and their families the best possible opportunity to break the cycle of poverty by fostering collaboration in the community and between the providers of medical, social, educational, financial assistance, and support services providers within the boundaries of Texas City and La Marque ISD.”

www.mcpartnership.org/

The Jesse Tree - Texas City

409-762-2233
6801 Emmett F. Lowry Expressway (behind MMC)
Texas City, TX 77591 (Main Office)

The website has a list of Food Fair Sites and dates, and the Food Fairs are usually open from 8-10 a.m. on Saturdays. The website also has an application for services to print and fill out. Jesse Tree also offers nutrition and health-related programs.

www.jessetree.net

Susan's Market

2000 Texas Ave Suite 601 (Family Community Center)
Texas City, TX 77590

409-643-8240 (Mainland Children's Partnership)
The market offers not just food, but also services like counseling, help accessing medical care, and other services. These services are available Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. in Suite 601.

Cross Pointe Community Church Food Pantry

722 3rd Ave. N.
Texas City, TX 77590
409-526-7444

Works with Gleanings from the Harvest through Mobile Food Distribution. The pantry is open the last Tuesday of the month at 10 a.m.

<http://www.galvestoncountyfoodbank.org/#!mobile-food-distribution/c1019>

La Marque Aid & Guidance

320 Laurel Street
La Marque, TX 77568
409-938-7852

“Provides basic needs assistance (rent assistance, utility assistance, food) to qualified individuals (in La Marque ISD). La Marque Aid & Guidance also operates a thrift store where they accept gently used items for resale.”

www.lamarqueaid.com/

Lighthouse Christian Ministries

800 Grand Avenue 281-339-3033
Bacliff, TX 77518

“Services provided: food ministries (pantry, food fairs, and other food programs), benevolence ministries (helps pay rent of utilities for families in crisis), educational services, and medical ministries. They also have a Resale Shop.

www.lighthousecm.org/

M.I. Lewis Social Service Center

215 FM 517 E 281-534-2043
Dickinson, TX 77539

“Offers assistance for residents within Dickinson ISD boundaries. Services include emergency financial assistance, food fairs, food pantry, referrals, senior delivery, school supplies, and Thanksgiving baskets.”
You will need to show proof of residence.

www.milewisctr.org

Hitchcock Family Welfare & Sunshine Shop

6915 2nd Street
Hitchcock, TX 77563
409-986-5632

“Provides limited emergency financial help for food/rent/utilities.” They will also refer to other agencies.

<http://hitchcockfamilywelfare.com/>

Christus Our Daily Bread

2420 Winnie
Galveston, TX 77550
409-765-6971

“Christus Our Daily Bread takes a holistic approach in pursuing a mission to the homeless—ministering to the needs of the body, mind and spirit of each individual.” Monday–Friday 8:15 a.m. to 4 p.m.

<http://www.christusfoundation.org/programs/christus-daily-bread/>

Galveston County Community Action Council

(Call to make an appointment)

2000 Texas Ave Ste 631 409-941-0680
Texas City, TX 77590

4700 Broadway Ste C-100 409-762-8418
Galveston, TX 77550

The GCCAC assists individuals transition themselves out of poverty with services, such as financial assistance with rent and utilities, headstart (for children), Section 8 assistance, and much more.

<https://www.facebook.com/pages/Galveston-County-Community-Action-Council-Inc/161151187248372?sk=info&tab=overview>

FOOD STAMPS & VOUCHERS

For food stamps and vouchers, contact the **Texas Health and Human Services Commission** offices at 409-948-3481. Or call **#2-1-1** from any Texas landline on how and where to apply for food stamp benefits. Apply online through the website www.yourtexasbenefits.com Further information is available at www.211texas.org

The following locations are locally designated food voucher, TANF, and Medicaid stations:

Texas City

2000 Texas Avenue
Texas City, TX 77590
409-945-0317