

# GENERAL REFERRALS

Every school district must have a McKinney-Vento Liaison to help students in temporary housing.

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## Local Department of Social Services

Shelter and housing, cash assistance,  
rental assistance, SNAP/food stamps

Erie County Department of Social Services  
Buffalo, NY 14202  
(716) 858-8000



Apply for benefits: [mybenefits.ny.gov/mybenefits/HomePage](http://mybenefits.ny.gov/mybenefits/HomePage)



## Agency Name & Contact Information

Neighborhood Legal Aide  
(716) 847-0650

Community Action of WNY  
(716) 878-0220

Lackawanna Food Pantry  
(716) 824-4760

Strengthening Families Program-  
ECCPASA  
(716) 831-2298

Erie County Daycare Unit  
(716) 858-8953

Compass House (Emergency  
Housing for youth ages 12-17)  
(716) 886-0935

Child & Family Services (Mental  
Health Provider)  
(716) 842-2750

LEGAL HELP & EVICTION PREVENTION	HOUSING & SHELTER	FOOD RESOURCES	FAMILY PROGRAMS & SERVICES	CHILD CARE & PRESCHOOL	OTHER (DESCRIBED BELOW)
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