

Housing Resources in Pierce County

Resources to Obtain Affordable Housing

<p>City of Tacoma, Community and Economic Development Department Provides home repair and rehabilitation loans, homeowner assistance in working with contractors, and down payment assistance loans to low-income homeowners, many of whom are elderly and/or persons with disabilities. www.cityoftacoma.org</p>	(253) 591-5364
<p>Common Ground Common Ground's mission is to create and preserve housing for persons with low incomes and special needs throughout Washington State. www.commongroundwa.org</p>	(206) 461-4500
<p>Division of Developmental Disabilities DDD case manager can provide information on housing options and supports.</p>	(253) 404-6500
<p>Helping Hand House Helping Hand House is dedicated to preventing and ending homelessness in Pierce. www.helpinghandhouse.org</p>	(253) 848-6096
<p>Housing Exchange Lists low income apartments, rental assistance, landlord/tenant assistance.</p>	(253) 597-4804
<p>Intercommunity Mercy Housing Develops and operates affordable, service enriched housing for people who lack the economic resources to access quality, safe housing opportunities. www.mercyhousing.org</p>	(206) 838-5700
<p>Korean Women's Association Offers low income housing for seniors and families. www.kwaoutreach.org</p>	(253) 535-4202
<p>Martin Luther King Housing Development Association Provides affordable housing, emergency shelter, supportive services and promotes self-sufficiency, home ownership, neighborhood revitalization and economic development. www.mlkhda.org</p>	(253) 627-1099
<p>Metropolitan Development Council Housing Services for Low/moderate income and special needs housing, i.e., chemical dependency, mental illness, developmentally disabled, AIDS and homeless. www.mdc-tacoma.org</p>	(253) 383-3921
<p>MiCasa, Inc. Develops housing for low-income families, especially single-parent families that qualify for Section 8 or other low-income. www.micasahousing.org</p>	(253) 848-9393
<p>Phoenix Housing Network Assists homeless and at-risk families achieve and maintain permanent housing in an atmosphere of dignity and respect.</p>	(253) 471-5340
<p>Pierce County Housing Authority Provides rent subsidies and public housing in Pierce County for persons who meet program eligibility requirements. www.pchawa.org</p>	(253) 620-5400
<p>Pierce County Department of Community Services, Housing Programs Provides opportunities to access safe, decent and affordable housing through rehabilitation, development, education, advocacy and referral. www.co.pierce.wa.us</p>	(253) 798-7038
<p>Shared Housing Services Facilitates matches between home providers and home seekers for mutually reduced housing costs and interpersonal support to maintain independence.</p>	(253) 272-1532
<p>Tacoma Housing Authority Provides rent subsidies and public housing in Tacoma for persons who meet program eligibility requirements. www.tacomahousing.org</p>	(253) 207-4400
<p>Tacoma Area Coalition of Individuals with Disabilities (TACID) Assists Tacoma and Pierce County individuals with disabilities locate and retain barrier free, accessible and/or affordable housing. www.tacid.org</p>	(253) 565-9000

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Home Ownership Resources

<p>Homeownership Center of Tacoma Offers an exciting opportunity for first-time, modest income buyers in many of the neighborhoods of Tacoma Washington. www.hcthomes.org</p>	(253) 627-6560
<p>Martin Luther King Housing Development Association Provides affordable housing, emergency shelter, supportive services and promotes self-sufficiency, home ownership, neighborhood revitalization and economic development. www.mlkhda.org</p>	(253) 627-1099
<p>Metropolitan Development Council, Energy Assistance Financial Aid for qualified low-income persons in support of home heating needs. www.mdc-tacoma.org</p>	(253) 572-5557
<p>Metropolitan Development Council, Emergency Minor Home Repair Assistance with minor emergency home repairs for elderly or disabled individuals. www.mdc-tacoma.org</p>	(253) 591-7020
<p>Northwest Housing Development Assists economically disadvantaged households in King, Pierce and Thurston counties in obtaining affordable housing. northwesthousingdevelopment.org</p>	(253) 863-6052
<p>Pierce County Coalition for Developmental Disabilities PC2's pilot Homeownership Program is for families with a son or daughter with a developmental disability still living at home and for individuals with a developmental disability. The program is targeted toward first-time home buyers with an annual income that is 80% of the median income. www.pc2online.org</p>	(253) 564-0707
<p>Pierce County Housing Authority Contact the housing authority for specific programs and eligibility requirements. www.pchawa.org</p>	(253) 620-5400
<p>Tacoma Housing Authority Contact the housing authority for specific programs and eligibility requirements. www.tacomahousing.org</p>	(253) 207-4400
<p>Tacoma/Pierce County Habitat for Humanity Works in partnership with people in need to build and renovate decent, affordable housing. www.habitat.org</p>	(253) 627-5626
<p>Washington Homeownership Center Non-profit agency that knows the programs, products and people throughout Washington State that can help make your dream of homeownership a reality. www.homeownership-wa.org</p>	(866) 600-6466
<p>Washington State Housing Finance Commission Washington State Housing Finance Commission Homeownership Programs help low- and moderate-income first-time homebuyers purchase their first home. www.wshfc.org</p>	(800) 767-4663

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Other Support

<p>Aging and Disability Resource Center (ADRC) Provides free and easily accessible information, referral and assistance regarding long term care and disability services in Pierce County. www.co.pierce.wa.us</p>	<p>(253) 798-4600 (800) 562-0332</p>
<p>Canine Companions A national non-profit that enhances the lives of people with disabilities by providing highly trained assistance dogs. www.caninecompanions.org</p>	<p>(800) 572-2275</p>
<p>Fair Housing Center of Washington The Fair Housing Center of Washington is a nonprofit agency dedicated to ending illegal discrimination through the provision of fair housing education, outreach, and enforcement services to the residents of Western Washington.</p>	<p>(253) 274-9523</p>
<p>Medicaid Personal Care Services. In-home assistance with personal care for Medicaid eligible participants. Call DDD for eligibility requirements.</p>	<p>(253) 404-6500</p>
<p>Northwest Justice Project (C.L.E.A.R.) Provides legal advice. www.nwjustice.org</p>	<p>(888) 201-1014</p>
<p>Prison Pet Partnership Program Rescues and trains homeless animals to provide service dogs for persons with disabilities and operate a boarding and grooming facility to provide vocational education for women inmates. prisonpetpartnership.org</p>	<p>(253) 858-4240</p>
<p>United Way of Pierce County Increase housing for people who are homeless, or unable to afford permanent shelter at market rates. www.uwpc.org</p>	<p>(253) 272-4263</p>
<p>Tacoma Human Rights Department The Tacoma Human Rights and Human Services Department investigates and resolves complaints alleging discrimination in housing. www.cityoftacoma.org</p>	<p>(253) 591-5151</p>
<p>Washington Protection and Advocacy System Provides free advocacy services for disabled and mentally ill people in Washington. www.wpas-rights.org</p>	<p>(800) 562-2702 (800) 905-0209 TTY</p>
<p>Washington State CTED Manufactured Housing Landlord Tenant Ombudsmen and limited relocation assistance.</p>	<p>(800) 964-0852</p>