

Domestic Violence Shelters

National Resources

The National Domestic Violence Hotline

- **Hotline:** 1.800.799.SAFE (7233)
- **Website:** www.thehotline.org/

Tennessee Domestic Violence Shelters

Domestic violence shelters provide a safe place for women and children for one night up to 30 days. Shelters are an undisclosed location in order to protect the safety of residents. Women who have transportation may meet the shelter staff in a public place or may be transported to the shelter by the police. Services include food and shelter, counseling, advocacy, assistance to locate permanent housing and secure employment when needed.

The Tennessee Domestic Violence Shelters' webpage lists shelters by county and other as well as information about recognizing signs of abuse, reactions to abuse, legal options and other resources.

- **Phone:** 1.800.356.6767
- **Website:** www.aardvarc.org/dv/states/tndv.shtml

Carter County

Shepherd's Inn Domestic Violence Shelter

- **Address:** 610 W G St., Elizabethton, TN 37643
 - **Phone:** 423.542.0180
 - **Website:** http://www.fpcelizabethton.org/FPC_Elizabethton/TSI.html
 - **Directions:** map
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Johnson County

Safe Haven

Domestic violence shelter, help get orders of protection, and legal advocate is available.

- **General Location:** Mountain City
 - **Phone:** 423.727.1914
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Sullivan County

Abuse Alternatives, Inc.

Serves Bristol, TN/VA, Washington County, VA and Upper Sullivan County, TN.

- **General Location:** Bristol
- **Phone (English or/o Español):** 423.764.ABUSE (2287) or 1.800.987.6499
- **Phone (TTY):** 423.652.9750
- **Website:** <http://www.abusealternativesinc.org/about.shtml>

SAFE House, Inc.

A confidential and free temporary shelter for victims of domestic violence and their dependent children. Open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week

- **General Location:** Kingsport
 - **Phone:** 423.246.2273
 - **Website:** <http://www.frontierhealth.org/service-guide.php?l=39>
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CHIPS (Change is Possible) – Domestic Violence Shelter

- **General Location:** Main Ave, Erwin, TN 37650
 - **Phone:** 423.743.0022
 - **24 Hour Hotline:** 423.388.8281
 - **Hours:** Mon - Fri, 8:00 am - 4:00 pm
 - **Email:** chipsfvs@embarqmail.com
 - **Facebook Page:** www.facebook.com/chipsfvs
 - **Website:** <http://www.chipsfvs.org/>
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Washington County

Safe Passage Domestic Violence Shelter

Provides a safe, secure and confidential haven for women, men and children; transportation when needed; food and clothing for women, men and children as needed; assistance as a liaison between the client and Johnson City Police Department, Department of Human Services, Housing Authority, School System, Health Department, Physicians and Utility companies to establish new living arrangements; works with Legal Services and Court Systems as an advocate to gain *Orders of Protection* and other Legal Documents; on-site counseling, one-on-one and in groups, and support groups in the community for after-care; works with a National Hotline to help victims leave their home area whenever necessary. Provides Information and Referrals to off premises counseling for persons who do not need the protection of a shelter. All services are FREE.

- **Mailing Address:** P.O. Box 162, Johnson City, TN 37605
- **Phone:** 423.232.8920
- **24 Hour Hotline:** 423.926.7233
- **Website:** www.safepassageshelter.org/

Emergency Shelters

Tennessee Homeless Shelters and Social Services

Search by city by clicking on the link above.

- **Website:** <http://www.homelessshelterdirectory.org/tennessee.html>
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Carter County

Shepherd's Inn

Provides assistance for victims of domestic violence and is a shelter for women and children who are temporarily homeless.

- **General Location:** Elizabethton, TN
 - **Phone:** 423.542.0180
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Johnson County

Emergency Shelter Directory

Individuals referred to Boone, NC; or Bristol, TN; or Bristol, VA.

- **Website:** <http://www.homelessshelterdirectory.org/tennessee.html>
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Sullivan County

Family Promise of Bristol

Family Promise is a part of the Interfaith Hospitality Network. Ten area Bristol churches serve as “host congregations” for homeless Bristol families to provide shelter, food, and other services.

- **Phone:** 276.494.0388
- **Website:** <http://www.familypromiseofbristol.org/>

Haven Home of Bristol

Haven Home for women provides food, shelter, and clothing for homeless women with 8 beds available. The Haven of Rest is a non-tobacco campus and users of tobacco must be away from the campus or smoke in the designated smoking area. Breakfast, lunch, and dinner are made available to residents.

- **Address:** 624 Anderson Street, Bristol, TN 37620
- **Phone:** 423.968.2011
- **Website:** www.bristolmission.org/
- **Directions:** [map](#)

Haven of Rest Ministries of Bristol

The ministry provides safe, clean, temporary housing for 30 homeless men. Programs offered: Transient Program, Job Search Program, Work Program, and Special Needs Program.

- **Address:** 624 Anderson Street, Bristol, TN 37620
- **Phone:** 423.968.2011
- **Website:** www.bristolmission.org/
- **Directions:** [map](#)

The Interfaith Hospitality Network of Greater Kingsport, Inc.

A coalition of churches band together to provide a safe, family oriented place for families in crisis to stay, as well as nutritious meals, and mentoring to help homeless families with children under 18 on their quest to regain independence. IHNGK is the only shelter in Kingsport currently able to accommodate two parent families, teenage boys and single fathers with teenage girls. Caring community and staff members provide guidance, encouragement, and supportive services to help families find and retain permanent housing.

- **Address:** 601 Holston Street, Kingsport, TN 37660
- **Phone:** 423.246.6500
- **Website:** www.ihngk.org/
- **Directions:** [map](#)

Salvation Army of Bristol

The Center provides dinner at 5:00 p.m. and shelter for women and men. Check-in is from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. Photo ID and drug and alcohol screening required.

- **Address:** 137 Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd, Bristol, TN 37620
- **Phone:** 423.764.6156
- **Website:** www.paradisedivision.org/bristol/
- **Directions:** [map](#)

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