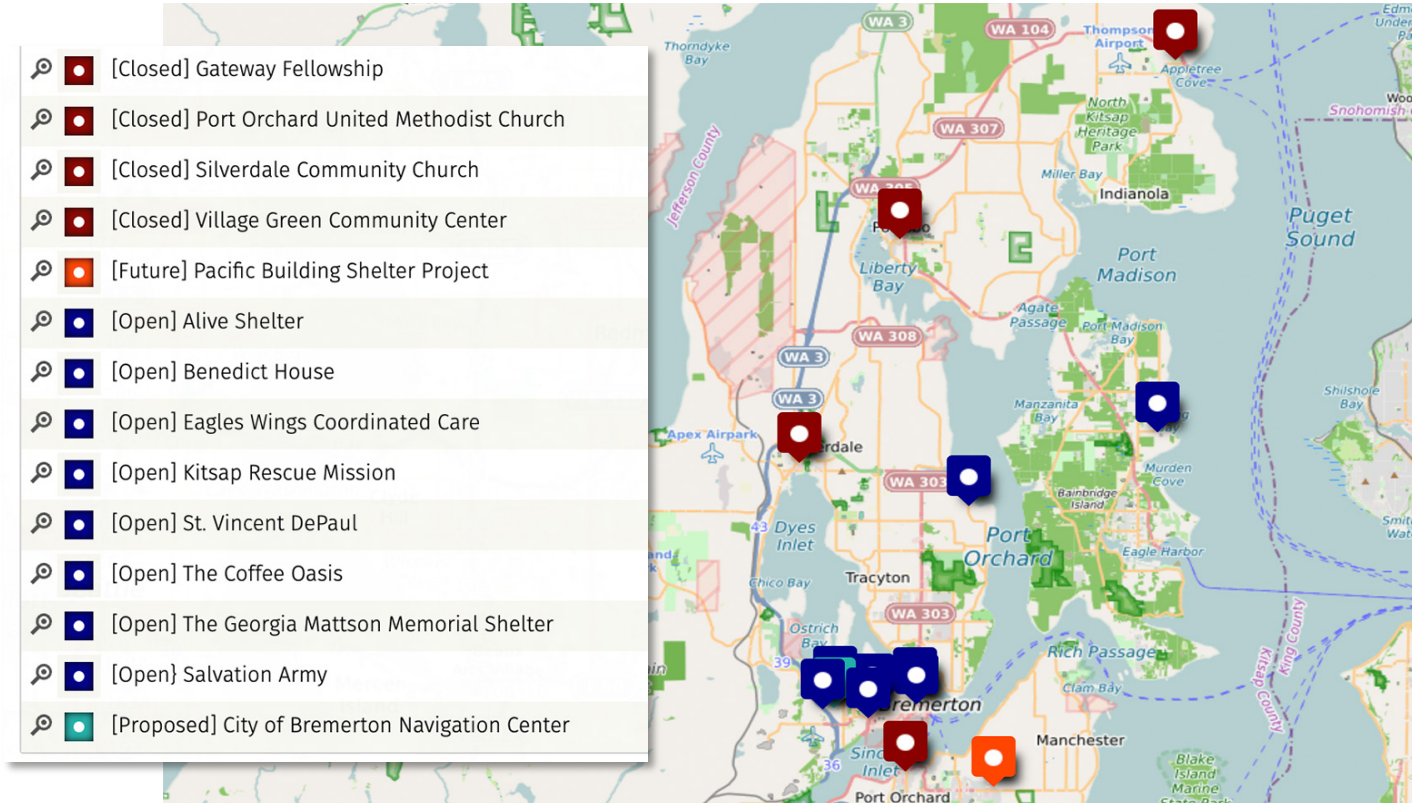


Kitsap County / Bremerton Shelter Resources



[Link to Map Here](#) or visit <http://u.osmfr.org/m/996701/>

1. Kitsap Rescue Mission

4303 Kitsap Way
Bremerton, WA 98312

The Kitsap Rescue Mission provides reliable, welcoming shelter to vulnerable individuals who would otherwise have nowhere to sleep. Operating year-round, they offer shelter, meals, clothing and hygiene supplies, case management and an opportunity for clients to begin to resolve the underlying problems that have culminated in homelessness. 75 beds.

This converted motel to be phased out when the County sponsored Mile Hill Road shelter opens (fall of 2024)

2. St Vincent DePaul

137 N Callow Ave
Bremerton, WA 98312

Bremerton facility offers food packs, general assistance, transportation, rent, utilities, hygiene, food rack and, thrift store. Tu, Th, F Sa: 10:30 am- 2:30 pm. And a women's shelter with 22 beds/ 2 ADA rooms, a children's play area, a garden, living areas, and a communal kitchen.

The Birkenfeld Stella Maris House (women's shelter) is governed by the charitable principles of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. The Shelter offers housing, food, and a safe, supportive environment to women (and women with children) whose lives have become compromised. Compassionate assistance is given at no cost and without discrimination. Residents have a full-time Case Manager assigned to them to assist in their return to independence

Additional non shelter centers include:

Port Orchard: 2525 Bethell Rd. SE, M-F 9:30 am- 5:00 pm.
Poulsboro: 8943 Caldart Av. NE. Tu, Thur: 10:00 am- noon.

3. Salvation Army (appears to be closed as of April 30, 2023)

832 6th Street
Bremerton, Washington 98337

Social services and shelter. Emergency night shelter through April 30, 2023. Intake every night 7- 8:45 pm. Meals: breakfast 8:00 am. Lunch: noon. Dinner (through April 30, 2023: 5:00 pm. Showers: M-F 5:00 am -2:30 pm. Laundry drop off and pick up M-F: 9:15- 3:00 pm.)

4. The Coffee Oasis

822 Burwell St
Bremerton, WA 98337

The Coffee Oasis is a Christian organization offering all resources, services, activities, and programs to youth 13-25 years old without regard to religious beliefs, race, color, gender, ethnicity, sexual orientation, identity, or disability. It provides emergency, short-term housing for youth experiencing homelessness. While youth live at one of our shelters, they work with a case manager to set goals and connect with other services to help them work towards stability.



The Bremerton Shelter is a 6 bed DSHS licensed youth shelter that provides youth (ages 16-20) with a safe and encouraging place to live while they work towards sustainable housing and employment. Check- In” 9: pm. Check-out: 8:00 am.

Youth programs include: crisis services (24 hours text line/ substance use counseling; youth engagement/ drop- in centers; housing services: emergency shelter/ supportive housing; youth development: case management/ job training/ mentorship.

5. Benedict House

250 South Cambrian Ave
Bremerton, WA 98312

This homeless men’s shelter in Kitsap County provides emergency beds for 24 single homeless men. The shelter also provides 3 additional respite beds for those needing time to recover after medical treatment. Men interested in staying at Benedict House must apply through the Housing Solutions Center at 1201 Park Avenue, Bremerton, (360) 473-2035.

The house employs one case manager and provide such services as establishment of income, health insurance, wellness check-ups, legal aid, and permanent housing.

Meals – as a 24-hour shelter, all three meals daily for residents. Volunteers from the local community and churches/parishes also assist in providing evening meal services.

Housing – clean and sober living arrangements are provided in a physically and emotionally safe dormitory-style environment. All sheets, towels and toiletries are provided, including shower and restroom facilities. Locked storage is available.

6. Alive Shelter

10255 NE Valley Rd,
Bainbridge Island, WA 98110

The YWCA Kitsap County operates the A.L.I.V.E. (Alternatives to Living in a Violent Environment) Domestic Violence Emergency Shelter Program – the only state-certified domestic violence shelter in Kitsap County. The 13-bed confidential shelter provides emergency living and support to individuals and families fleeing an immediately dangerous situation for up to 30 days – sometimes longer depending on the need. Although it is communal living, the



shelter is structured in a way that permits women and children to reside within the shelter.

While in the shelter, guests have access to a Domestic Violence Advocate 24/7 as well as several supportive services such as crisis intervention, safety planning, civil and criminal legal advocacy, housing advocacy, weekly facilitated support group services, childcare, 24-hour advocacy, case management, and community resources and program referrals. Basic necessities such as food and hygiene products are provided by YWCA or acquired through donations from community supporters. Cultural accommodations such as food and beverages are provided as needed and requested to provide a culturally sensitive and affirming atmosphere for guests.

7. The Georgia Mattson Memorial Shelter

4846 Auto Center Way
Bremerton, WA

The Georgia Mattson Memorial Shelter is managed by The Weaver Foundation. Low-income homeless women who have experienced domestic violence are helped through the program. All clients are referred by other non-profit agencies in the Kitsap Community. The shelter has separate bedrooms and can house 22 individuals. Staff consist of all volunteers providing shelter and everyday living necessities to women over age 18 while they are working to overcome their homeless circumstances. Neither The Weaver Foundation nor The Georgia Mattson Memorial Shelter discriminate in regard to race or beliefs.

8. Eagles Wings Coordinated Care

8050 Illahee Road
Bremerton, WA 98310

Note: Not clear how many residents, and if this facility is still open.

Eagles Wings Coordinated Care is a nonprofit organization dedicated to providing safety, stability, and community for individuals who have struggled with chemical dependency, homelessness, and mental health problems. A community serving a community, providing housing, stability, and a pillow under everybody's head.



9. Pacific building shelter project (Mile Hill) (Port Orchard area) Future County funded Shelter

4459 SE Mile Hill Dr
Port Orchard WA 98366

September 27, 2023

Kitsap County closed on purchase of the former Olympic Fitness Club building April 14, 2022 to be used for temporary emergency housing programs. The building was purchased for \$1.5 million with a combination of state grants designated to create new emergency housing and provide local funding for homeless and affordable housing projects.

"Many in our community struggle to find housing they can afford as the costs surge throughout the Puget Sound region. As prices rise, creative shared housing solutions have appeared. Although limited available housing is still a barrier to finding a place to live, the recent Kitsap Pavilion shelter provides a valuable example for what is possible in South Kitsap," said Kitsap County Commissioner Charlotte Garrido.

The purchase came after a countywide search to find a suitable building. This facility, located at 4459 Mile Hill Drive, was selected for many reasons, including large square footage, its South Kitsap location, access to public transportation and proximity to a wide range of services. The county is in the process of assessing requirements to bring the building up to code and what permits will be needed.

The project schedule is planning for the building **to be fully operational by Fall 2024.**

The building will provide emergency housing beds and serve up to 75 guests seven days a week 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. It will provide guests with meals, laundry, personal hygiene, personal storage at 20,000 sf with four restroom/ showers.

The building has a pet care center that will care for a limited number of companion animals. Guests may access and engage with other services such as health care, financial stability, housing assistance, physical & mental health, substance use and recovery assistance, and job placement.

The staff will develop individual plans with each resident, regarding the specific steps needed to attain permanent and stable housing.



Severe Weather Shelters

<http://www.hsckitsap.org/hsc-bed-tracker/single-woman/kitsap-severe-weather-shelter/>

Posted by Kitsap County Department of Emergency Management

CLOSED – [Silverdale Community Church](#) 6pm-9pm check-in
CLOSED – [Village Green Community Center](#) (6:30pm-9pm check-in)
CLOSED – [Port Orchard United Methodist Church](#) 6pm-9pm check-in
CLOSED – [Gateway Fellowship](#) 6pm-9pm check-in

The severe weather shelter program will be operating Nov 1st – Mar 31st in Kitsap County. This shelter is available for single adults, parents with children, families, and teens.

The shelters will open if it is expected to be 32 degrees or lower for four or more hours for one or more successive days; if snow accumulation is expected to exceed one inch or more for more than 2 days; or if there are two or more successive days of one inch or more of rain; or shelters may activate when high wind warnings are issued. Opening a shelter is also dependent on the shelter being fully staffed by volunteers for the night. The weather is monitored for severe weather conditions by Kitsap County Department of Emergency Management.