

A scenic view of a river at sunset. In the background, a large steel truss bridge spans across the water. The sky is filled with soft, colorful clouds in shades of pink, orange, and blue. In the foreground, a wooden walkway with a dark metal railing runs along the riverbank. A street lamp is visible on the left side of the walkway. The overall atmosphere is peaceful and serene.

Fall River Housing & Emergency Services Guide

For assistance with Housing, Homelessness, Elder
Service, Childcare, and more.

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INTRODUCTION

Dear Fall River Residents,

As we navigate an ever-changing world, we oftentimes need services to help us along the way, but it is tricky to know what to do, who to call, or where to go. This booklet should help you navigate and use the resources that are readily available to you in the City of Fall River. Please use the Table of Contents to easily and conveniently choose what area of help you need and use the introduction paragraphs and bullets to see which agency or community partner is best suited to help you.

As always, my office, as well as the rest of the State Delegation's offices and Mayor's office, are here to help you in any way that we can. If you are unsure who your State Representative is, please use <https://malegislature.gov/Search/FindMyLegislator> Or we can redirect you to the correct one.

Remember, this is your city, and these are your resources to take advantage of. I think it is safe to say every agency and partner mentioned in this booklet want the best for our community, so please make use and ask for help when needed.

Wishing you the best, and always here to help you navigate.

Sincerely,



Carola Fiola
State Representative, Sixth Bristol District

LOCAL DIRECTORY

Important Phone Numbers to know at the local, state, and federal level.

★ ***Fall River City Hall:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 324-2000
- ADDRESS → 1 Government Center, Fall River, MA 02722

★ ***Fall River Mayor's Office:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 324-2600
- ADDRESS → 1 Government Center, Fall River, MA 02722

★ ***Fall River Police Department: (NON_EMERGENCY)***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 676-8511
- ADDRESS → 685 Pleasant Street, Fall River, MA 02722

★ ***Fall River Fire Department: (NON-EMERGENCY)***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 324-2743
- ADDRESS → 140 Commerce Drive, Fall River, MA 02720

★ ***Fall River City Council:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 324-2233
- ADDRESS → 1 Government Center, Fall River, MA 02722

STATE OFFICIALS DISTRICT NUMBERS

★ ***State Representative Carole Fiola:***

- DISTRICT PHONE NUMBER - (774) 322-1313
- EMAIL – carole.fiola@mahouse.gov

★ ***State Representative Paul Schmid:***

- DISTRICT PHONE NUMBER → (508) 567-5675
- EMAIL – paul.schmid@mahouse.gov

★ ***State Representative Alan Silvia:***

- DISTRICT PHONE NUMBER → (774) 526-1122
- EMAIL – alan.silvia@mahouse.gov

★ ***State Senator Michael Rodrigues:***

- DISTRICT PHONE NUMBER → (508) 646-0650
- EMAIL – michael.rodrigues@masenate.gov

★ ***District Attorney Tom Quinn: (Main Office)***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 997-0711
- ADDRESS → 218 South Main Street, Fall River, MA 02721

FEDERAL OFFICIALS

★ ***Congressman Jake Auchincloss:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 431-1110

★ ***U.S. Senator Elizabeth Warren:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (617) 565-3170

★ ***U.S. Senator Edward J. Markey:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 677-0523



—HOTLINES—

*****CALL 211 FOR*****

***HOUSING, MENTAL HEALTH, DISASTER, CHILDCARE, UTILITIES, OR
ESSENTIAL SERVICES***

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SUICIDE

★ ***National Suicide and Crisis Lifeline:***

- PHONE NUMBER → 988

★ ***Good Samaritans:***

- PHONE NUMBER → 116123

SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER

★ ***Massachusetts Drug and Alcohol Hotline:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (800) 314-8174

CHILDREN & FAMILIES

★ ***National Maternal Health Hotline:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (833) 943-5746

★ ***National Runaway Safeline:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (800) 786-2929

★ ***Child and Family Services Mobile Crisis:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 996-3154
- ADDRESS → 1052 Pleasant St, Fall River MA
 - Community Behavioral Health Center for Southcoast providing urgent visits and 24/7 community-based crisis intervention

★ ***National Child Abuse Hotline:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (800) 422-4453

★ ***National Domestic Violence Hotline:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (800) 799-7233

VETERANS

★ ***National Call Line for Homeless Veterans:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (877) 424-3838

★ ***Veterans Crisis Line:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (800) 273-8255



—HOUSING SERVICES—

EVICTION

If you have been served an eviction notice or are going to be facing eviction soon, please CALL HOUSING COURT FIRST. You can see if you are eligible for an extension or services to help you fight your eviction.

★ ***Fall River Housing Court *First Place to Call*:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 677-1505
- ADDRESS → 289 Rock Street Unit 212, Fall River, MA 02720

★ ***Catholic Social Services: Fall River Coordinated Entry***

- PHONE NUMBER → (774) 520-2555
- ADDRESS → 1600 Bay Street, Fall River, MA 0272
 - Money for late rent payments
 - Rent and utility arrears

★ ***Citizens for Citizens:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 679-0041
- ADDRESS → 264 Griffin Street, Fall River, MA 02724
 - Provide rent and mortgage assistance to eligible households
 - Fuel assistance

★ ***Community Development Agency:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 679-0131
- ADDRESS → 1 Government Center, Fall River, MA 02722
 - Access to income-limit apartments

★ ***NeighborWorks Housing Solutions:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (781) 422-4200
- ADDRESS → 196 Union Street, New Bedford, MA 02744
- WEBSITE → www.nhsmass.org
 - Rental and mortgage assistance
 - Homeowner and landlord training
 - Foreclosure prevention
 - Housing information and referrals

★ ***Southcoast Fair Housing:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (774) 473-9994
- ADDRESS → 257 Union Street, New Bedford, MA 02740
 - Help with eviction and ensure you are being treated fairly

★ ***South Coast Counties Legal Services:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 676-6265 and (800)244-9023.
- ADDRESS → 22 Bedford Street, Fall River, MA 02723
 - provides free legal services to low-income and older residents of Southeastern Massachusetts for:
 - housing, immigration, family law, public benefits, education, senior law, consumer debt, employment, and civil aid for victims of crime

PUBLIC & SUBSIDIZED HOUSING

Applications for subsidized housing are not one universal application, SSTAR and FAMILY SERVICE ASSOCIATION help individuals filling out housing applications.

*The Fall River Housing Authority website can help you with your public housing needs. The website fallrievrha.org is where you can apply for public housing and check on the status of your application. **FRHA helps with:***

- ***Federally Subsidized Family Apartments***
- ***Federally Subsidized Elderly and Handicap Apartments***
- ***Section 8 Housing Voucher***
- ***Massachusetts Subsidized Family Apartments***
- ***Massachusetts Subsidized Elderly and Handicap Apartments***
- ***Family Self-Sufficiency Program***

★ ***Fall River Housing Authority:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 675-3500
- ADDRESS → 85 Morgan Street, Fall River, MA 02722

★ ***Family Service Association:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 677-3822
- ADDRESS → 101 Rock Street, Fall River, MA 02720
 - Assist with completing housing applications

★ ***SSTAR:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 672-6340
- ADDRESS → 386 Stanley Street, Fall River, MA 02720
 - Assist with completing housing applications

RENTAL ASSISTANCE

Rental assistance can range from first, last, and security, Section 8, rent backpay, furniture, moving, etc.

★ ***Catholic Social Services: Fall River Coordinated Entry***

- PHONE NUMBER → (774) 520-2555
- ADDRESS → 1600 Bay Street, Fall River, MA 02724
 - Money for late rent payments
 - Rent and utility arrears

★ ***Citizens for Citizens:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 679-0041
- ADDRESS → 264 Griffin Street, Fall River, MA 02724
 - Provide rent and mortgage assistance to eligible households
 - Can help with fuel assistance

★ ***Fall River Housing Authority:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 675-3500
- ADDRESS → 85 Morgan Street, Fall River, MA 02722
 - Get on the list for Public Housing and Section 8 housing

★ ***NeighborWorks Housing Solutions:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (781) 422-4200
- ADDRESS → 196 Union Street, New Bedford, MA 02744
- EMAIL → www.nhsmass.org
 - Short-term rental and mortgage assistance
 - Federal and State housing vouchers (Section 8 and others)



IMPORTANT NUMBERS

If you find yourself about to face homelessness, Fall River is home to multiple organizations who are willing to help you and provide assistance.

★ ***Emergency Shelter Assistance:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 674-2788 (Individuals) First Step Inn
- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 646-6200 (Families) Transitional Assistance Office
 - Help find resources and shelter available

★ ***Fall River Family Center:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 672-634
- ADDRESS → 803 Bedford Street, Fall River, MA 02723

★ ***Mayor's Office:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 324-2600
- ADDRESS → 1 Government Center, Fall River, MA 02722

SHELTERS

If you find yourself homeless or struggling to find a place, there are a number of shelters across the city to help you stay warm and safe.

★ ***Fall River Family Center: (Through Southeast Family Services)***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 679-2109
- ADDRESS → 257 Cherry Street, Fall River, MA 02720

★ ***First Step Inn:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 679-8001
- ADDRESS → 134 Durfee Street, Fall River, MA 02720

★ ***Our Sister's Place (Domestic Violence and Children)***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 677-0224
- ADDRESS → Restricted. Please call for an address

★ ***Stepping Stone: (For Individuals and a halfway house)***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 674-2788
- ADDRESS → 111 Durfee Street, Fall River, MA 02720



ELDER ABUSE

Elder Abuse reports can be filed 24 hours a day either online (see instructions below) or by phone at (800) 922-2275. Elder abuse includes: physical, sexual, and emotional abuse, caretaker neglect, financial exploitation and self-neglect.

★ ***Bristol Elder Services:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (800) 922-2275
- ADDRESS → 1 Father DeValles Boulevard #8, Fall River, MA 02723

★ ***Massachusetts Executive Office of Elder Affairs:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (617) 727-7750

FOOD SECURITY

Lunchtime meals are offered to people aged 60 years or older. Meals are served in community centers or delivered to your home based on your mobility and ability to prepare meals. (See page for more information on Food Services)

★ ***Bristol Elder Services:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 675-2101
- ADDRESS → 1 Father DeValles Boulevard #8, Fall River, MA 02723

★ ***Fall River Council on Aging:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 324-2400
 - ADDRESS → 1 Government Center, Fall River, MA 02722
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HOME CARE & SENIOR CARE SERVICES

The Home Care Program includes services that include, but are not limited to, personal care, housework, meal preparation, grocery shopping, laundry, and home health services. Other options include day care programs, transportation assistance, or overnight respite care in a nursing facility.

★ ***Bristol Elder Services:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 675-2101
- ADDRESS → 1 Father DeValles Boulevard #8, Fall River, MA 02723

★ ***Family Service Association:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 677-3822, Ext. #3569
- ADDRESS → 101 Rock Street, Fall River, MA 02720
 - Adult foster care and private home care for elders and disabled adults
 - Medically based day programs for elders and disabled adults
 - Community based living for elders and disabled adults who can no longer safely live alone.

SENIOR CENTERS

The Fall River Council on Aging operates four senior centers, staffed by Senior Center Coordinators and Senior Aides, which provide a variety of programs & activities to meet the needs and wants of area seniors.

SENIOR CENTER HIGHLIGHTS

Bingo, Card Games, Mahjong, Knitting, Socializing, \$3-\$5 FULL Meals, Entertainment, Books, Movies, and More!

★ ***Flint Senior Center:***

- COORDINATOR: Almerinda Medeiros
- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 324-2712
- ADDRESS → 69 Alden St, Fall River, MA 02723

★ ***Niagara Senior Center:***

- COORDINATOR: Charlene Miville
- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 324-2717
- ADDRESS → 550 Tucker St, Fall River, MA 02721

★ ***North End Senior Center:***

- COORDINATOR: Jo-Ann Mello
- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 324-2711
- ADDRESS → 101 President Ave #11, Fall River, MA 02720

★ ***South Main Street Senior Center:***

- COORDINATOR: Nancy Suspiro
- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 324-2715
- ADDRESS → 114 S Main St, Fall River, MA 02724

SENIOR HOUSING

Applications for subsidized housing are not one universal application, SSTAR and FAMILY SERVICE ASSOCIATION help individuals filling out housing applications. For more information, call the numbers below.

★ ***SSTAR:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 672-6340
- ADDRESS → 803 Bedford Street, Fall River, MA 02723
 - Assist with filling out and navigating housing applications

★ ***Family Service Association:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 672-6340
- ADDRESS → 803 Bedford Street, Fall River, MA 02723
 - Assist with filling out and navigating housing applications

★ ***Academy Building Apartments:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 674-1111
- ADDRESS → 102 South Main Street, Fall River, MA 02721

★ ***Borden Place:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 673-8410
- ADDRESS → 111 Borden Street, Fall River, MA 02721

★ ***Cottages at Bay View:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 674-0694
- ADDRESS → 4300 North Main Street, Fall River, MA 02720

★ ***Curtain Lofts:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 675-4819
- ADDRESS → 420 Quequechan Street, Fall River, MA 02723

★ ***Fall River Housing Authority (General):***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 675-3500
- ADDRESS → 85 Morgan Street, Fall River, MA 02722

★ **Hudner Building:**

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 679-8353
- ADDRESS → 145 Old Second Street, Fall River, MA 02721

★ **Knitting Mill Apartments:**

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 567-1120
- ADDRESS → 69 Alden Street, Fall River, MA 02723

★ **Lafayette Place Apartments:**

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 678-7537
- ADDRESS → 22 Lafayette Drive, Fall River, MA 02723

★ **St. Matthews Apartments:**

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 679-8353
- ADDRESS → 221 Wellington Street, Fall River, MA 02720

★ **Tecumseh Mill Apartments:**

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 676-3600
- ADDRESS → 164 Hartwell Street, Fall River, MA 02721

TRANSPORTATION

The Fall River Council on Aging assists residents by providing transportation to medical and dental appointments within city limits, as well as reservations on the SRTA medical shuttle to Boston area hospitals. Transportation for grocery shopping is also provided on Mondays and on Fridays.

★ **Fall River Council on Aging:**

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 324-2401
- ADDRESS → 1 Government Center, Fall River, MA 02722

★ **Southeastern Regional Transit Authority (SRTA):**

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 999-5211
- ADDRESS → 700 Pleasant Street, #530, New Bedford, MA 02740



AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAMS

★ ***Boys & Girls Club of Fall River:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 672-6340
- ADDRESS → 803 Bedford Street, Fall River, MA 02723
 - After school until 5:30 PM for children 5-14
 - Teen Center open for teens 13-18
 - Tuesday-Friday 3pm-8pm
 - Saturday 12pm-4pm
 - Full care available on school vacations and snow days

★ ***Citizens for Citizens Inc:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 679-0041
- ADDRESS → 427 Robeson Street, Fall River, MA 02720
 - After school until 5:30 PM

★ ***Fall River Public Schools:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 675-8420
- ADDRESS → 417 Rock Street, Fall River, MA 02720

★ ***Fall River YMCA:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 675-7841, Ext. #113
- ADDRESS → 199 North Main Street, Fall River, MA 02720
 - After school until 6:00 PM
 - Full care available on school vacations and snow days

★ **Family Service Association:**

- PHONE NUMBER → (774) 929-6111, Ext. #4102
- ADDRESS → 101 Rock Street, Fall River, MA 02720
 - After school until 5:30 PM
 - Full care available on school vacations and early release

BEFORE-SCHOOL PROGRAMS

★ **Fall River Public Schools:**

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 675-8420
- ADDRESS → 417 Rock Street, Fall River, MA 02720
 - Public schools provide free breakfasts
 - FRPS schools have paid Before School Daycare (\$3.00/child), starting at 7:30 AM

SUMMER CAMP PROGRAMS

★ **Boys & Girls Club of Fall River:**

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 672-6340
- ADDRESS → 803 Bedford Street, Fall River, MA 02723

★ **Citizens for Citizens Inc:**

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 679-0041
- ADDRESS → 427 Robeson Street, Fall River, MA 02720
 - Hours 7:00-5:30pm

★ **Fall River YMCA:**

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 675-7841, Ext. #113
- ADDRESS → 199 North Main Street, Fall River, MA 02720

★ **MassHire Youth Connections:**

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 675-9245
- ADDRESS → 139 South Main Street, Fall River, MA 02721
 - Offer employment opportunities with educational components to children 14-2



COMMUNITY RESOURCES

The overarching community partners work in unison with Greater Fall River community partners to create bridges and ensure that resources are being used. They are great resources of knowledge of what is available to you and your family, and they provide great services for children and families.

★ ***Fall River Public Library:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 324-2700
- ADDRESS → 104 North Main Street, Fall River, MA 02720

★ ***Parent & Community Engagement Center (PACE):***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 675-8367
- ADDRESS → 367 Ray Street, Fall River, MA 02720
- COORDINATOR → Cynthia Couto
 - Open Monday-Friday from 8:00AM to 3:00PM
 - Will assist with school registration, early childhood programs and McKinney-Vento Homeless Support

★ ***MassHire Bristol: (for adults)***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 675-9245
- ADDRESS → 139 South Main Street, Fall River, MA 02721

★ ***United Way of Greater Fall River:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 678-8361
- ADDRESS → 30 Bedford Street, Fall River, MA 02720

★ ***United Neighbors of Fall River:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 324-7900
- ADDRESS → 209 Bedford Street #303, Fall River, MA 02720
 - Support children and families by coordinating community resources

★ ***People Inc. Children's Center:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 679-4110
- ADDRESS → 126 Cove Street, Fall River, MA 02720
 - Work with children, families, and adults with a variety of services including, daycare, adult foster care, early intervention, etc.

★ ***SER-Jobs for Progress:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 676-1916
- ADDRESS → 164 Bedford St, Fall River, MA 02720
 - Immigrant assistance and connection to community resources, Including RAFT application assistance
 - Adult ESOL classes
 - Youth High School Equivalency (HiSET and GED) classes



EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

There are a number of resources nearby ready to help you with employment, whether it is finding a job, filing for unemployment, helping with resume building, connecting youth, and more.

★ ***Department of Unemployment Assistance:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (877) 626-6800
- ADDRESS → 19 Staniford Street, Boston, MA 02114

★ ***MassHire Bristol Career Center: (Adults)***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 730-5000
- ADDRESS → 446 N Main Street, Fall River, MA 02720
 - GED Equivalent (Hi-SET)
 - Paid vocational Training
 - Resume, Cover Letter, Job Search, Applications, Job Fairs

★ ***MassHire Bristol Youth Connection:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 675-9245
- ADDRESS → 139 South Main Street, Fall River, MA 02721
 - GED Equivalent (Hi-SET)
 - Paid vocational Training
 - Resume, Cover Letter, Job Search, Applications
 - Summer Programs/Jobs for Youth

★ ***SER-Jobs for Progress:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 676-1916
- ADDRESS → 164 Bedford St, Fall River, MA 02720
 - Job readiness and job placement assistance
 - Adult ESOL classes
 - Youth High School Equivalency (HiSET and GED) classes



IMPORTANT NUMBERS

Find contact information below regarding emergency food, SNAP benefits, and personal item kits readily available for you.

★ ***Project Bread Food Source Hotline:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (800) 645-8333

★ ***Salvation Army Personal Item Kits:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 679-7900
- ADDRESS → 290 Bedford St, Fall River, MA 02720

★ ***SNAP Kiosk // Fall River Office and Family Resource Center:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 646-6200 (**N Main**) 508) 567-1735 (**Rock St**)
- ADDRESS → 1567 N Main St, Fall River, MA 02720 and 45 Rock St, Fall River, MA 02720

★ ***WIC Nutrition Program:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 679-9349
- ADDRESS → 387 Quarry St #100, Fall River, MA 02723

PANTRIES

Information regarding various food pantries across Fall River. Be sure to note that certain pantries require registration, photo ID, or proof of residency.

★ ***Angels Anonymous Food Pantry:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 496-9097
- ADDRESS → 231 Weaver Street, Fall River, MA 02720
 - 9:00 AM on the 3rd & 4th Saturdays of the month
 - Drive-Thru

★ ***Christ the Rock Assembly of God:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 617-824
- ADDRESS → 414 Rock Street, Fall River, MA 02720
 - 11:00 AM-1:00 PM on the 3rd Sunday of the month

★ ***Citizens for Citizens Inc. Food Pantry:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 679-0041
- ADDRESS → 822 Eastern Avenue, Fall River, MA 02723
 - 8:30 AM-12:00 PM every Monday, Wednesday, & Friday

★ ***Greater Fall River Community Food Pantry:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (774) 365-4292
- ADDRESS → 235 Nashua Street, Fall River, MA 02721
 - 10:00 AM-12:00 PM every Tuesday & Thursday
 - Proof of Residency required

★ ***New Life SouthCoast Fall River:***

- ADDRESS → 10 Purchase Street, Fall River, MA 02720
 - 5:30 PM-7:30 PM on the 2nd & 4th Thursdays of the month

★ ***Pope Francis Outreach Center:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 678-7412
- ADDRESS → 1598 South Main Street, Fall River, MA 02724
 - 11:00 AM-4:00 PM every Wednesday

★ ***The Salvation Army:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 679-7900
- ADDRESS → 1598 South Main Street, Fall River, MA 02724
 - 9:30 AM-1:30 PM every Tuesday
 - 9:30 AM-11:30 AM every Wednesday
 - Photo ID & Proof of Residency required

SOUP KITCHENS

Find information below about Soup Kitchens across Fall River that prepare hot meals for those who stop by. Be sure to note which Soup Kitchens have age restrictions or eligibility requirements.

★ ***Blessed Trinity Parish:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 672-4854
- ADDRESS → 1340 Plymouth Avenue, Fall River, MA 02721
 - 12:30 PM-2:30PM every Monday and Thursday
 - Prepared meals for youth and teens aged 18 or younger

★ ***Bristol Elder Services:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (774) 627-1390
- ADDRESS → 1 Father DeValles Boulevard #8, Fall River, MA 02723
 - For meals on wheels recipients

★ ***First Baptist Church:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 672-5381
- ADDRESS → 228 North Main Street, Fall River, MA 02720
 - 4:30 PM-5:30PM every Tuesday and Thursday

★ ***Gregg's Saturday Kitchen:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 672-5571
- ADDRESS → 147 Purchase Street, Fall River, MA 02720
 - 9:00 AM-12:00 PM every 2nd & 4th Saturday of the month
 - Cancellations will be on WSAR-1480

★ ***Pope Francis Outreach Center:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 678-7412
- ADDRESS → 1598 South Main Street, Fall River, MA 02724
 - 12:00 PM-2:00 PM every Wednesday and Friday
 - 10:00 AM-11:30AM every Thursday
 - 2:00 PM-4:00 PM every Wednesday & Friday (Grab & Go)

★ ***The Salvation Army:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 679-7900
- ADDRESS → 290 Bedford Street, Fall River, MA 02720
 - 12:30 PM-1:30 PM every Monday
 - 1:00 PM-2:00 PM every Wednesday
 - 6:00 PM-7:00 PM every Wednesday (Mobile Ministries)

★ ***St. Michael's Parish:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 672-6713
- ADDRESS → 189 Essex Street, Fall River, MA 02720
 - 5:00 PM every 3rd Saturday of the month

★ ***Veteran's Soup Kitchen:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (774) 526-0611
- ADDRESS → 602 Third Street, Fall River, MA 02721
 - Free lunch every Wednesday
 - Doors open at 10am, lunch served at 11am



—SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER—

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For those struggling with addiction or substance use disorder, there are several organizations and individuals ready to help.

★ ***Alcoholics Anonymous:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (800) 839-1686
- ADDRESS → Varies. Call for meeting location

★ ***Peer 2 Peer:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 567-5086
- ADDRESS → 175 N Main St, Fall River, MA 02720

★ ***River to Recovery:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (774) 704-5501
- ADDRESS → 1507 Pleasant St, Fall River, MA 02720

★ ***Seven Hills Behavioral Health:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 674-2788
 - Help find resources and shelter available

★ ***SSTAR:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 672-6340
- ADDRESS → 386 Stanley Street, Fall River, MA 02720

★ ***Stepping Stone:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 674-2788
- ADDRESS → 111 Durfee Street, Fall River, MA 02720



VETERANS

Rental assistance can range from first, last, and security, Section 8, rent backpay, furniture, moving, etc.

★ ***The City of Fall River Veterans Office:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 324-2432
- ADDRESS → 1 Government Center, Fall River, MA 02723

★ ***Veterans Association of Bristol County:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 679-9277
- ADDRESS → 755 Pine St, Fall River, MA 02720
 - Food Pantry for Veterans
 - Hot Meals Monday thru Thursday, starting at 11am

★ ***Veterans Transition House:***

- PHONE NUMBER → (508) 992-5313
 - ADDRESS → 1311 Purchase St, New Bedford, MA 02740
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