

Webliography—Homelessness

- [100,000 Homes](#): A community engagement model, this organization's goal of providing 100,000 homes for the homeless by 2013 is discussed in detail in their *Playbook*, which provides a model for other programs by identifying potential grant sources, hurdles to be overcome, timelines, and further examples of their experience. The site is designed to involve people in the project and to help other projects learn from prior attempts; tools provided include explanations of Washington, D.C.'s housing database and worksheets for calculating housing supply and demand in a community.
- [Feeding America](#): This site includes a search tool to locate local food banks, as well as news articles and academic studies relating to the problem of hunger in America.
- [Front Steps](#): A potential model for other mid-size city agencies, Front Steps is an Austin, TX organization designed to maximize community resource to help the homeless. Their site offers information on shelters, career help, transitional housing programs, and related services.
- [Homelessness Resource Center](#): This site offers valuable information for the homeless as well as social workers, and academics. It provides state-by-state links to homelessness service providers, fact sheets, and resources organized by topic. Webcasts and other training tools for helping the homeless directly are included. The site also incorporates social media, allowing registered users to "like" or "follow" specific forums.
- [National Coalition for Homeless Veterans](#): Oriented toward community service providers, this site includes fact sheets, guides on housing and employment assistance, and information on grants and other assistance for service providers to homeless veterans
- [National Coalition for the Homeless](#): This site supports community organizations that focus on homelessness, with its focus on advocacy. In addition, the site provides baseline information and referrals for those who are or expect to be homeless.
- [ShelterListings.org](#): This simple site offers a directory of shelters by state and city, along with notations on shelter type (such as a halfway house).
- [Stand Up for Kids](#): As a referral site it offers contact information on how to access the organization's local programs to help homeless youth, including a transitional apartment program.