

## Contact Info

**Please talk with your school's counselor for more information about assistance for your child.**

ECASD Homeless Program Coordinator  
**Dani Claesges**  
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### Donations & Volunteers

The ECASD Closet provides items to students in need. Contact Dani Claesges for more information on items needed, how to donate, and volunteer opportunities.



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[www.ecasd.us/FamilyServices](http://www.ecasd.us/FamilyServices)

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**ECASD Homeless Program**

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**Eau Claire, WI 54701**  
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## INFORMATION & RESOURCE GUIDE



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## Community Resources

### Emergency Housing

**Family Promise of the C.V.** 715-834-4357

Beacon House Family Shelter

**Western Dairyland Shelter** 715-836-7511

Homeless Haven Family Shelter Units

**Bolton Refuge House** 715-834-0628

Family shelter, legal advocacy and supportive services  
for victims of domestic violence and/or sexual assault

**Sojourner House** 715-514-5556

18+ night shelter, check-in 7pm-9pm

### Food

**The Community Table** 715-835-4977

M, W, Th, & Sat. 11:30am-1pm, T & F 5-6:15pm, Sun. 3-4pm 320 Putnam St

**St. Francis Food Pantry** 715-839-7706

T & Th 11am-3pm, Sat. 11am-2pm 1221 Truax Blvd

**Trinity Food Pantry** 715-832-6601

M, T & Th 1:30-3pm, T 5:30-7pm 1314 E. Lexington Blvd

### Clothing

**The King's Closet** 310 S Barstow Street

Thursdays 10am-5pm

First Saturday of month 9am-1pm

**Shepherd's Closet** 1120 Cedar Street

Second Wednesday of month 10am-5:30pm or call to  
schedule an individual appointment 715-834-2959

### Health

**Chippewa Valley Free Clinic** 715-839-8477

Free medical & dental care

421 Graham Ave

Opens at 5pm on Tuesdays

**Northwest Connections WI** 888-552-6642

Mental health crisis intervention, 24 hours/day-7 days/wk

### Other Resources

**Needful Things Personal Care Pantry**

Free hygiene and baby care items 501 S. Farwell St



**A student may be considered homeless if he or she is not in stable or adequate housing and is presently living:**

- ◆ At another person's residence due to loss of housing, economic hardship or related circumstance
- ◆ In an emergency or transitional shelter
- ◆ In a motel, hotel, seasonal trailer park, or campground
- ◆ Separate from legal parents or guardians
- ◆ In a car, park, public space, abandoned building, substandard housing, bus or train station, or a similar setting

**All students identified as living in a homeless situation have the right to:**

- ◆ Immediate enrollment in school, even when records are not present at time of enrollment
- ◆ Continue attending the school of origin (school attended when student became homeless)
- ◆ Receive transportation assistance to the school of origin (if student is living outside of school's boundaries)
- ◆ Support for academic success
- ◆ Free school meals
- ◆ Assistance acquiring items needed for school

**For more information on the rights of students in homeless situations, please contact the program coordinator.**

Find more information about the Education of Homeless Children and Youth at:  
<http://dpi.wi.gov/homeless/faq#resp>