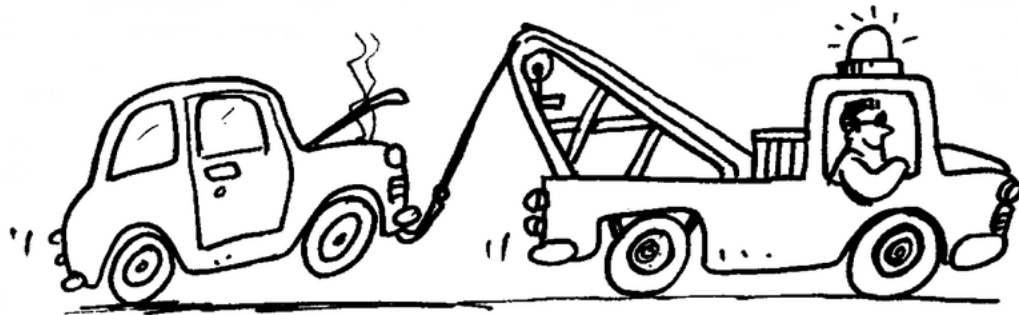


# Crisis & Homeless Prevention Services For CalWORKs Recipients

## Are You Experiencing a Crisis?

You can receive help from the County with the following problems:

- unstable housing or homelessness,
- domestic violence,
- a broken-down car,
- need of a working refrigerator,
- unmet needs for your children (e.g. tutoring), or
- other significant obstacles that impact your ability to meet Welfare to Work requirements (e.g. needing to clear up credit report, help with expungement of criminal records, or default on students loans),



Contact your CalWORKs Employment Case Manager (ECM) to see how the following County programs help recipients in the CalWORKs programs:

1. [Family Stabilization Program](#) (must have time remaining on your 24-month clock)
2. Homelessness Assistance Program
3. Housing Support Program
4. [Homeless Prevention Program](#)

If you are dealing with homelessness, the Western Center on Law and Poverty representatives recommends that you all apply to all four of the above problems at the same time. Please contact your ECM for assistance with this process.



## Domestic Violence Services

- ❖ **Center for Community Solutions:** The center helps adults and children to heal and prevent relationship and sexual violence. CCS operates the only rape crisis center in the City of San Diego along with a countywide 24-hour bilingual crisis helpline (**888-385-4657**). The nonprofit agency also provides emergency domestic violence shelters, hospital and court accompaniment, as well as legal and counseling services for those affected by rape, domestic violence, and elder abuse.

Website: [http://www.ccssd.org/services\\_DVVA.html](http://www.ccssd.org/services_DVVA.html) or 619-697-7477

- ❖ **YWCA of San Diego:** The YWCA helps women, children, and families escaping domestic violence and homelessness to overcome trauma, rebuild their lives and achieve self-sufficiency. Through their Becky's House, Passages, and the Cortez Hill Family Center programs, they provide comprehensive services that include safe housing, counseling, legal assistance, employment support, financial literacy, and supportive children's programs.

Website: <http://www.ywcasandiego.org/>