

## Housing

**Office of Social Ministry (Care-A-Van)**  
Offers a variety of housing programs for people who are homeless, at-risk of becoming homeless, disabled, or in the process of reentering the community after incarceration. Call 326-7021, or 1-877-935-3050 (Hilo). You can also stop by The Friendly Place for a referral

**Kawaihae Transitional House**  
Transitional housing for families with children. Call 882-7609.

**Bridge House**  
A clean and sober environment for people in recovery from substance abuse. Call 322-3305.

**Turning Point Shelter for Families**  
Crisis Shelter for victims of domestic violence. Call 322-7233.

**Mental Health Kokua**  
Crisis and transitional housing for clients with severe mental illnesses. Call 331-1468.

**East HI Coalition for the Homeless**  
Emergency transitional shelter. Call 961-2559.

## Food in Kona – Meals

### **The Friendly Place**

Continental Breakfast:  
Monday through Friday  
7 AM – 8 AM

Lunch:  
Monday 11 AM – 12 PM  
Tuesday 12 PM – 1 PM

Located in the Old Industrial Area off Pawai, turn left at Kona Town Storage. Behind Kona Coast Office Supply.

*Other Meals in Kona*  
*You can pick up a list of other meals and pantries at The Friendly Place (see above).*

## Food in South Kona & Ka`u

**Na`alehu:** Tuesday Food Pantry  
11 AM – 1 PM  
St. Jude's Church

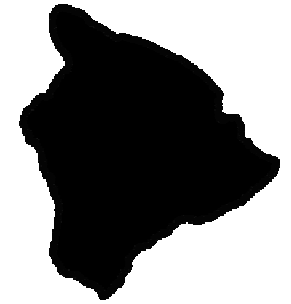
**Na`alehu:** Wednesday Lunch  
11 AM – 1 PM  
Na`alehu Clubhouse

**Na`alehu:** Thursday Food Pantry  
2nd and 4th Thursdays Only  
9 AM – 10 AM  
Sacred Heart Church

**Honaunau:** Friday Food Pantry  
St. Benedict's  
10 AM – 11 AM

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# LEGAL AID SOCIETY OF HAWAII



## SOCIAL SERVICE RESOURCES IN WEST HAWAII

For legal assistance,  
call our Intake Hotline:

329-8331 or 1-800-499-4302

Monday - Friday,  
9-11:30am and 1-3:30pm

[www.legalaidhawaii.org](http://www.legalaidhawaii.org)

# Social Service Resources in West Hawaii

## Other Assistance

### **The Friendly Place (1-877-935-3050)**

Showers, laundry, mail, phone with message services, referrals to services, Internet access for job searches.

### **Neighborhood Place of Kona**

Support programs for families with children. Located in Kaiwi Square in the Old Industrial Area. Call: 331-8777 for more information

### **Freecycle Hawai'i**

Free furniture, household goods & other stuff. Post requests & browse offers at: <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/FreecycleBigIsland/>

### **Kona Public Library**

Internet access, books, magazines. Open Tuesday through Saturday. Located at Hualalai between Kuakini & Ali'i. Free library cards for Hawai'i residents

## Work and Financial Assistance

### **Hawaii County Economic Opportunity Council**

Helps with utility bills (electric and gas) for low-income households. Call 322-3428 for more information.

## Mental Health Care

### **Mental Health Kokua**

Group homes and peer coach training. Call: 331-1468

### **West HI Adult Mental Health Center**

Outpatient treatment, counseling, referrals. Call 1-800-735-6879

## Substance Abuse Treatment

### **Y6 Charity: The Way Out of Addiction.**

12 Step Program. Call 325-1236 for Keith, Jimmy, or Wendy.

### **Po`Ailani Treatment Center**

Residential and outpatient treatment. Call: 262-2799

### **Lokahi Treatment Centers**

Kona: 331-1175, Na`alehu: 929-9496. Substance abuse treatment, anger management, counseling

## **Department of Human Services**

Provides financial help for people in a variety of situations. For information, call 643-1643 (touch tone req.). Apply in person at the following offices (M-F 7:45 AM – 4:30 PM): Anthurium Building, Room 323, 75-5995 Kuakini Highway. Call 327-4980. Or apply at the Na`alehu Civic Center (next to the post office). Call 939-2421.

## Medical Care

### **Dept. of Human Services: Medicaid & Quest**

Medical insurance for low-income, disabled, blind, seniors, and children. Call: 327-4970 (Kona), M-F 7:45-4:30. Located at the Lanihau Professional Center, 75-5591 Palani Rd. Suite 3004.

### **The Friendly Place 1-877-935-3050**

Nurse visits, DOH Testing, and Referrals. Located in the Old Industrial Area, off Pawai behind Kona Coast Office Supply.

### **Ka`u Family Health Center**

Na`alehu by B&E Service Station. Fees based on a sliding scale. Call for an appt: 929-7311

### **Malama Perinatal Program**

Island-wide house calls and meetings for families before, during, and after pregnancy. Leave a message at: 885-1234.

## Clothing and Toiletries

### **Catholic Charities Hawai'i**

Call: 521-4357

## Transportation

### **Hele-On Bus**

Schedule: 961-8744