


# Homelessness Resource Sheet

<p><b>Emergency Shelter</b></p> <p>Sunshine Coast Extreme Weather Emergency Shelter- Salvation Army 682 Gibsons Way (beside Panago Pizza in Gibsons) 604-886-3680 Opens 9:00 pm- 7:00 am when temperature goes below zero or in extreme weather. Will provide emergency provisions. Ask about the Families in Need Program and the Camp Sunrise Program.</p> <p><b>Calvary Drop-In</b> 711 Park Rd.- Gibsons 604-886-2611 Offers an Extreme Weather Drop-in Program as a compliment to the Extreme Weather Shelter offered by the Salvation Army. The Drop-in Program <u>will be open from 4:00-9:00</u> on days when the Salvation Army Extreme Weather Shelter is open. A light meal and beverages will be available. Blankets and mats will also be available for people needing to rest.</p>	<p><b>Campgrounds</b></p> <p>Wilson Creek Campground 4314 Sunshine Coast Hwy (by Wilson Creek IGA) 604-885-5937 (has coin-operated showers) \$400/month for a tent pad</p> <p>Bayside Campground and RV Park 6040 Sechelt Inlet (by Porpoise Bay Provincial Park) 604-885-7444 (has coin-operated showers)</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>
<p><b>Showers</b></p> <p>Temporarily available free of charge at the Sechelt Recreation Centre and Gibsons Recreation Centre (must present a card that you can get at the Salvation Army or at the Calvary Drop-in)</p> <p>Marinas on the Coast (Gibsons, Sechelt, Tillicum Bay, Secret Cove, Egmont)</p>	<p><b>Food Banks</b></p> <p>Sunshine Coast Food Bank Sechelt- 5657 Lamprey Lane (behind Community Services Building) 604-885-5881 Open every Tuesday and Wednesday from 11:00-1:00. Open Monday to Friday for emergency food. <a href="mailto:scfoodbank@dccnet.com">scfoodbank@dccnet.com</a></p>
<p><b>Free or Low Cost Food Programs</b></p> <p>Free Lunch at the Gibsons Food Bank (Salvation Army) Tuesdays and Fridays 11:30-12:30</p> <p>Community Kitchens (cook with a group and take home food) 604-885-5881 <a href="mailto:Community_services@sunshine.net">Community_services@sunshine.net</a></p>	<p>Gibsons Food Bank (Salvation Army) 682 Gibsons Way (beside Panago Pizza in Gibsons) 604-886-3680 Open Monday to Friday from 11:00-12:00 <a href="mailto:salvationarmy@dccnet.com">salvationarmy@dccnet.com</a></p> <p>Pender Harbour Community Church 12891 Lagoon Rd. Ron Phillips 604-883-2270 /883-2374 Open every 2nd Monday from 12- 12:30</p>
<p><b>Employment</b></p> <p>Sunshine Coast Employment Centre 5600 Sunshine Coast Hwy (Sechelt across from McDonalds) 604-885-7443 Open Monday to Friday (9:00 to 4:00 closes at 2:00 on Thursday) <a href="mailto:info@scces.ca">info@scces.ca</a></p> <p>Pender Harbour Community School Society and Harbour Learning Centre 5009 Gonzales Road, Madeira Park 604-883-2826 Contact Joanne Sankew for more info. <a href="http://www.phcommschool.ca">www.phcommschool.ca</a></p>	<p><b>Employment Insurance or Maternity Leave Benefits</b></p> <p>Service Canada 100- 221 Esplanade West, North Vancouver, BC V7M 3N7 Open weekdays from 8:30-4:00 604-886-7298 You can also apply on-line at: <a href="http://www.servicecanada.gc.ca/en/home.shtml">http://www.servicecanada.gc.ca/en/home.shtml</a> You can use the computers at the Employment Centre to apply.</p> <p><b>Social Assistance</b></p> <p>Sechelt Employment and Income Assistance Office 5498 Wharf Street, Sechelt, BC, V0N 3A0 604-740-8950 Open weekdays 8:30-4:30 <a href="mailto:Off272@gov.bc.ca">Off272@gov.bc.ca</a></p>

## Counseling

VCH Mental Health- Adult Counseling  
Mental Health building in front of St. Mary's Hospital  
in Sechelt  
Open 8:30-4:30 Monday to Friday (if in crisis walk-in  
or preferably make an appointment)  
604-885-6101  
Check on new services coming to Pender Harbour at  
the Health Centre.

RCMP Victim Witness Services  
Open Monday to Friday 9:00-5:00 and provides  
information and assistance for victims of crime and  
crisis  
Justice Building, 5800 Teredo St. (Sechelt RCMP  
building)  
604-885-5554

Family and Sexual Violence Victim Support Services  
#105-5700 Cowrie St. (Sechelt)  
604-885-0322  
[fvss@dccnet.com](mailto:fvss@dccnet.com)

Crisis Line (in Vancouver)  
Open 24hrs/7days and provides listening, emotional  
support and referrals  
1-866-661-3311



## Warm places to visit during the day

Sechelt Public Library  
5797 Cowrie St, Sechelt (beside the recreation  
centre/pool)  
604-885-3260  
[www.sechelt.bclibrary.ca](http://www.sechelt.bclibrary.ca)

Gibsons Public Library  
464 S. Fletcher, Gibsons (beside municipal hall)  
604-886-2130  
<http://gibsons.bclibrary.ca/>

Recreation Centres in Sechelt, Gibsons & Pender  
Harbour

Community Resource Centre (Sechelt)  
11:30-5:30 Weekdays 604-885-4088  
Free Internet and information about community  
programs  
[admin@communityresourcecentre.info](mailto:admin@communityresourcecentre.info)

Pender Harbour Learning Centre  
Free Internet and information about community  
programs  
5009 Gonzales Rd  
Madeira Park 604-883-2826  
[phcs@dccnet.com](http://phcs@dccnet.com)

## Detox

VCH Mental Health and Addictions  
Addictions building in front of St. Mary's Hospital in Sechelt  
Open 8:30-4:30 Monday to Friday (if in crisis walk-in or  
preferably make an appointment) Closed from 12:00-1:00  
for lunch  
604-885-8678  
Crisis numbers: 604-740-0442 evening weekdays 4:30-9:00  
and weekends 1:00-9:00pm

## Needle Exchange

Coast Wide  
604-740-9042 (will deliver safer use crack kits and needles  
if needed)

## Medical

BC NurseLine 1-866-215-4700  
Open 24hrs/7 days

Gibsons Medical Clinic 604-886-2870/604-886-2868  
Open weekdays 8:30-5:00 and Saturdays from 9:00-12:00  
Walk-in Clinic 1:00-4:30

Sechelt Medical Clinic 604-885-2257  
Open weekdays 8:30-5:00 and Saturdays from 9:00-12:00  
Walk-in Clinic 1:00-4:30

Pender Harbour Health Centre 604-883-9976  
Open weekdays 8:00-4:00

Nurse Practitioner 604-886-5600  
Gibsons Community Health  
Wednesdays and Thursdays 9:00-4:00  
Pender Harbour Health Centre: every second Tues. 604-  
883-2764

St. Mary's Hospital Emergency 604-885-8668

## Places to leave your stuff

Gibsons Recreation Centre  
Has lockers for day use only - need your own lock

Sechelt Recreation Centre  
Has lockers for a 50 cent fee.

