

## Benefits – Housing Assistance

### Advocacy:

- [Housing Action Illinois](#)
- [Helpful Forms for Housing Assistance](#)
- [Housing Assistance and Home Repair Legal Services Referral Guide](#)

### Training Resources:

- SHPA (Supportive Housing Providers Association) [Training & Technical Assistance Center](#)
- Cook County Early Resolution Program (CDEL) - Rachel Zummo, Supervising Attorney, Early Resolution Program
  - audio
  - [slides](#)
- Reverse Mortgage Basics - Sarah Buckley, Open Communities HUD Certified Counselor
  - [slides](#)
- Credit Reports and Ratings (CARE, Credit Abuse Resistance Education)
  - [slides](#)
- [Partnership Action Guide, Doors to Housing for Older Adults, USAging 2026](#)

### Reporting

- [Impact of Work Housing & Home Repair Reporting Form \(FY26\)](#)

### Housing Lists

- [Illinois Emergency Rental Assistance Programs: What's Open Now](#)
- North Suburban
  - [Affordable Housing North](#)
  - [Senior Housing North](#)
- South Suburban

- [Affordable Housing list- South](#)
- [Senior Housing South](#)
- **West Suburban**
  - [Affordable Housing West](#)
  - [Senior Housing West](#)

#### **Hoarding**

- **CJE Hoarding Task Force Field Guide [here](#)**
- **CJE Hoarding Task Force Funding Guidelines [here](#)**
- **CJE Hoarding Task Force Funding Fillable Application [here](#)**

**[Warming Centers Available Across Cook County During Periods of Extreme Cold \(Cook County\)](#)**