BCP COUNCIL AREA - LOCAL HOT FOOD COMMUNITY SUPPORT – November 2026 v1			
BOSCOMBE			
Mon – Sat	**10am-2pm**	**10am breakfast & 12.30pm hot lunch, support with food, clothing, benefit enquiries, telephone calls, referrals, mail, showers, laundry. Housing & Homeless Support also provided.**	**BH1 Project, 107 Palmerston Road, Boscombe, BH1 4HP, Tel. 01202 393453 or 07837 363712** Closed Bank Holidays
BOURNEMOUTH			
Mon eve	**5:30 – 6.00pm**	**Meal for homeless and those in temporary accommodation only. Sit down meal inside. Showers from 4:30pm. Footcare from 5:30pm. Showers also available 9:00am to 1pm Mon -Thurs.**	**Salvation Army, 1 Latimer Road, Winton, BH9 1JY 01202 517989**
Tue lunch	**11.45am-1:00pm**	**Hot sit down lunch. Stop serving hot food at 1pm Help with clothing, referrals, conversations and support**	**In Touch, Lansdowne Church, Lansdowne Road, BH1 1SB, Tel 01202 297977**
Tue Eve	**7:30pm – 8:30pm**	**Food, Toiletries, care parcels, hot/cold drinks, clothing, sleeping bags, first aid and advice**	**Bottom of Richmond Hill, Helping Hands Chelle helpinghands@yahoo.com**
Wed eve	**6pm-6.30pm**	**Hot take-away dinner**	**Citygate Church (side entrance) BH8, supported by Father's House.**
Thu eve	**6.30-7.00pm**	**Hot take-away dinner, soup, sandwich, cake Help with clothing, toiletries, sleeping bags/duvets etc.**	**Hope for Food, BCP Braidley Road Bridge Car Park (BH2 6JX)**
Fri lunch	**11.45am-1:00pm**	**Hot sit down lunch. Stop serving hot food at 1pm Help with clothing, referrals, conversations and support**	**In Touch, Lansdowne Church, Lansdowne Road, BH1 1SB, Tel 01202 297977**
Fri Eve	**6pm – 7pm**	**Home cooked food, Coffee & Tea served in the YMCA canteen**	**56 Westover Road. BH1 2BS. Tel 07355 374556**
Sat & Sun	**2pm**	**Provision of Hot Meal**	**We are Humans, Bournemouth Town Centre, in layby opposite Boots the Chemist.**
Sun eve	**6pm-7.00pm**	**Hot take-away dinner, soup, sandwich, cake & Street Vet available Help with clothing, toiletries, sleeping bags/duvets etc.**	**Hope for Food, in the Hall at St Andrews URC, 8 St Stephen's Rd, BH2 6JJ**
CHRISTCHURCH			
Wed	**5:30pm**	**Hot food, essential services and support delivered. Community Supper – must book Tel 07587371088**	**Christchurch Foodbank Tel 07587 371088 Or email christchurchfoodbank@gmail.com**
Mon-Thurs & Sat Every other Sunday	**6-7pm 11- 12Pm**	**Hot food, clothing, bedding and essential services. Please contact CSK to confirm which Sunday**	**Christchurch Support Kabin 07301 756979, 58 Bargates BH23 1QL**
POOLE			
Mon - Fri	**10am – 11 am 12pm – 2:30pm**	**Breakfast for Rough Sleepers Drop In - Food drinks, clothing referrals, guidance and support.**	**Routes to Roots, Genesis Centre, Hill Street, Poole, BH15 1NR Tel 01202 667880**
Saturday	**8.30pm**	**Food, hot drinks and general support.**	**Under Towngate Bridge, Poole - opposite side to railway station. c/o Sunnyhill Church.**
Sunday	**1 to 1:30pm, 7:45pm**	**Meal**	**Route to Roots, Genesis Centre, Hill Street, Poole BH15 1NR. c/o Poole**

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ESSENTIAL NUMBERS & SERVICES November 2026	
Organisation	Contact
Alcohol & Drug Treatment **Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole** -With You **01202 558855**, wearewithyou.org.uk	**See specific location**
Half Time (St Mike's Church) – For street homeless only Call Helpline (Mon to Friday 10am - 2pm) Weds 11am-3pm, Fri 11am-3pm. Come and have a shower, food, laundry and the opportunity for 121 Team Talk support.	**Faithworks Homeless Helpline 07842 174241, St Mikes, Poole Road BH2 5QU**
Fusion 10am – 1pm , Help, support and Guidance for everyone	**4 – 6 Old Christchurch Lane BH1 1NE**
Street outreach service	**01202 315962**
Citizens Advice Citizens Advice General Advice Line	**03444 111444**
Financial Resilience Guidance single point of contact / Financial Advice	**01202 985104**
Health Bus Any medical health related problems please call on Wednesday 16:00 – 20:00 or Thurs 8:30am – 12:30pm 3rd Thursday of every month 10am for StreetVet	**Call 0300 102 4497 or by email admin@healthbus.co.uk**
Homes for Heroes Specialist support for housing ex-service personnel	**Head Office 0207 2376363 Local Tem 07806 827574**
Mental Health Support **Homeless Health Service Dorset Connections (Mental Health 24/7)**	**01202 584412 Call 111 select mental health or 0300 1235440**
Shelter General Advice with Housing	**0808 8004444**
Showers **Thursday 10.00-12.00, other days by appointment**	**01202 393453 (BH1 Project) & Half Time (see above)**
Teen Challenge Addiction and Support (Residential Treatment). Appointments on request	**01202 805505 office@tcdorset.co.uk**
Bournemouth Street Vet - StreetVet provides free veterinary care, pet food, and essential supplies for pets belonging to people experiencing homelessness or insecure housing. Regular Sessions are; 1st Sunday of the month (6:00 PM): St Andrews Church, 8 St Stephens Road, BH2 6JJ (alongside Hope for Food) 3rd Thursday of the month (10:00 AM): LOVEChurch, Gervis Rd, Bournemouth, BH1 3ED (alongside Health Bus) 3rd Sunday of the month (7:30 PM): Genesis Centre, Hill St, Poole, BH15 1NR (alongside Routes to Roots)	**bournemouth@streetvet.org.uk**
Housing Options BCP bcphousingadvice@bcpcouncil.gov.uk https://www.bcpcouncil.gov.uk/Housing/Housing-advice-and-support/Housing-advice-and-support.aspx	**01202 123147**
Every Paw Matters Provision of daily vet treatment cover for homeless pets, pet food and general support including advocacy. Temp crisis, foster care service for pets. Dog training	**everypawmattersuk@gmail.com**
Thursday Club, 2-5pm for vulnerably housed. Social, spiritual and emotional support provided. By referral only, call Joy on 07469 019624	**St Mikes, Poole Road BH2 5QU**

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