



COMMUNITY ADVOCATES
AUTUMN WEST / HOMELESS OUTREACH NURSING CENTER

Autumn West Safe Haven

Provides housing and case management for individuals who are homeless, have a mental illness and are struggling in their current homeless living situation. The program provides shelter in a private room with shared bathrooms. Twenty-four hour resident manager staff is available to assist individuals and provide three meals per day. Length of stay depends on the needs and financial situation of the individual client. Advocates provide case management services that are designed to move people into permanent or transitional housing by stabilizing their mental health, health and financial situations.



Homeless Outreach Nursing Center

Nurse and social worker advocates provide outreach to homeless individuals with mental health problems living in shelters, streets or other places not meant for human habitation. Clients are assessed and helped to find resources they need to live independently. Services include advocacy to receive health and mental health interventions, temporary and permanent housing, SSI, Food Share, and housing application assistance and advocacy. The primary goal is to assist individuals to stabilize their mental health, health and housing situations, including assistance of a volunteer psychiatrist, close connections with homeless health care providers, and easy access to Milwaukee Behavioral Health Division Safe Haven Beds and Autumn West Safe Haven beds.

Advocates provide permanent housing to individuals who are currently living outdoors and who have co-occurring disorders that include mental illness and alcohol use. A Housing First / Harm Reduction Model is used along with intensive case management. Each client receives an apartment through the Milwaukee County Behavioral Health Division My Home Housing Program.

Community Advocates Autumn West / Homeless Outreach Nursing Center • 1615 S. 22nd St. • Milwaukee, WI 53216 * Phone: 414.671.6337 • www.communityadvocates.net