



Outside Resources

Name of Program	Service Location	Description	Contact
Housing Rehabilitation Program	City of Plano	Assists homeowners in bringing their qualified dwellings to an acceptable standard.	972-208-8150
Housing Rehab Programs	City of Mesquite	The City of Mesquite offers two housing rehab programs to eligible Mesquite homeowners to eliminate sub-standard conditions.	972-216-6425 972-329-8332 Pat Killingsworth, Housing Rehabilitation Specialist
Senior Alert/Outreach	City of Mesquite	Wheel chair ramps; tree trimming; transportation to doctors/pharmacy/grocery store; friendly telephone; help filling out Medicare, Medicaid and food stamp papers.	972-288-3921 jgrigger@ci.mesquite.tx.us Joanne Griggers
Minor Emergency Home Repair Grant Program	City of Garland	This program addresses health and safety issues such as roofing, plumbing, electrical, water heaters, gas lines, sewer lines, heating and air conditioning needs. This program also looks to repair code items.	972-205-3310 mabbe@ci.garland.tx.us Marilyn Abbe, Volunteer Coordinator
Single Family Rehab Loan Program	City of Garland	This program can address roofing, plumbing, electrical, heating and air and weatherization needs. This program also looks for any	972-205-3310 jgreen@ci.garland.tx.us Araceli Garcia, Loan Processor

		lead-based paint hazards on homes built prior to 1978.	
People Helping People	Garland residents ONLY	Provide exterior weatherization by scraping and painting; provide interior safety preventative devices.	972-205-3315 972-205-3329 (fax) Mabbe@ci.garland.tx.us Marilyn Abbe, volunteer coordinator
The Seniors' Net	Richardson ISD or zip codes 75042, 75044, 75080, 75081, 75082, 75231, 75238, 75240, 75254, 75243, 75248, 75251, 75252. Some of Garland and a tiny part of Plano	Handyman- minor repairs/safety, grab bars installed. Food pantry- bread/pastries available to seniors from 9:30 to 11:30AM every Thursday. Hearts and Helpers- youth summertime yard maintenance. Friendly Visitor- arrange for a friendly visitor to visit a senior. Transportation- for emergency medical/government appointments. Case Management. Information on aging database for caregivers.	972-808-9863
Home Safety and Home Repair Program	Addison, Carrollton, Coppell, Farmers Branch	Providing repairs and modifications necessary for the safe, continued occupancy of the home. Adding grab bars and handrails. Installation of smoke detectors and exterior house numbers. Repairs include: minor home repairs, safety projects, code	972-242-4464 Ellen.Toliver@senioradultservices.org Rich.piper@senioradultservices.org

		enforcement. Wheelchair ramps or “low-rise-wide-tread steps” for those clients using walkers are also designed and installed in accordance with individual needs.	
Dallas Ramp Project	Dallas County, Collin County	Provide free wheelchair ramps for low-income, handicapped residents of the Dallas area who are unable to afford the cost of construction.	972-783-8448 972-960-7511 (fax) info@dallasramps.org Bill Schaid, Account Executive
Advocacy Center for the Elderly (ACE) Project	Dallas County only	Minor Home Repair assistance is designed to ensure that a program participant who receives residential repair services lives in a residence that requires repair or modification to enhance or address energy efficiency, structural integrity or the health and safety of the program participant.	214-871-5065 214-871-7442 (fax) www.ccgd.org mbrown@ccgd.org
Dallas Area Agency on Aging-Family Caregiver Support Program	Dallas County	Services available include Respite Care, Minor Home Repair, Chore Services, Transportation Vouchers and some durable medical goods.	214-871-5065: ask for Intake Care Manager
Comprehensive Energy Assistance Program	Dallas County	The Energy Crisis Program (ECP) allows eligible households to receive utility	214-819-1848

		assistance during times of weather-related crisis. They may also qualify for portable cooling units in life threatening situations.	
Weatherization Assistance Program (WAP)	Dallas County	Assists low-income families in lowering their energy consumption and energy costs. Typical energy measures performed under WAP: attic insulation, duct sealing, caulking, weather-stripping, check & service heaters and air conditioners, repair windows, install water saving devices, install compact florescent light bulbs.	www.dallascounty.org 214-819-1909 1-888-606-8889
Housing Rehabilitation Program	City of Arlington	Installation of access ramps, safety rails, and grab bars; widening of door openings and adaptation of door handles; installation of roll-in showers and non-skid flooring. Repairs such as electrical, heating and plumbing repair; structural repairs to the roof, porch, windows, doors and foundation; replacement of essential built-in appliances;	Marisa Loera 817-276-6707 817-962-1226 (fax) Marisa.loera@arlingtonhousing.us www.arlingtontx.gov/cdp-housing/housing/housing-rehabilitation/

		vinyl siding in lieu of exterior paint, and; other repairs required to meet current City codes.	
Priority Repair Program	City of Fort Worth	Helps income-eligible Fort Worth homeowners in need of emergency or mechanical system home repairs with up to \$5,000 in repair work.	817-392-7548
City of McKinney Home Repair	City of McKinney		Camille Smith, Community Services Coordinator 972-547-7517 Csmith2@mckinneytexas.org
Seniors Helping Seniors	City of McKinney	Installation of exterior handrails, bathroom grab bars, wheelchair ramps, threshold ramps, smoke detectors. Basic home repairs: minor plumbing, minor electrical, A/C filter replacement. Basic home maintenance: caulking, door locks, light bulb replacement, fence repair.	469-396-7042 www.mckinneySHS.org
Dallas County Weatherization Program	Dallas County	Provides home weatherization repairs at no cost for elderly/disabled persons. Repairs may include weather stripping, caulking, insulation and possible window replacement.	214-819-1909

City of Dallas Water Department Minor Plumbing Repair Program	City of Dallas	Provides free plumbing repairs of simple fresh water leaks for income eligible city residents. Also provides low flow replacement toilets and shower heads.	214-670-3155
City of Dallas Home Repair Programs	City of Dallas	When funds are available, provides home repairs for qualified homeowners in the City of Dallas. Grants range from \$5,000 to \$25,000.	214-670-3644
City of Dallas People Helping People	City of Dallas	Provides free minor exterior repairs and painting to qualified homeowners in the City of Dallas.	214-670-7320
A Brush With Kindness (ABWK)	Dallas County	Repairs can include the following: roofs, paint, porch & front step repair, ramp construction, siding replacement.	214-678-2392 www.dallasareahabitat.org abrushwithkindness@dallas-habitat.org
Toilet Replacement Program	City of Dallas Water Utilities customers	Offers FREE high-performance HETs (high-efficiency toilets). You can apply to replace up to two toilets.	Savedallaswater.com 214-670-3155
Minor Plumbing Repair Program	City of Dallas Water Utilities customers	Low-flow water use fixture packages to include: low-flow toilets, faucet aerators and low-flow showerheads. Repairs include: leaking faucets, hose bib leaks, easily-accessible pipe joint leaks,	214-671-8083 214-670-3155

		leaking toilets.	
City of Dallas Housing and Neighborhood Revitalization Department	City of Dallas	Home Repairs	214-670-0156 Attn: Shela V. Kelly, Office Assistant Shela.kelly@dallascityhall.com
Texas Information and Referral Network		Home Repairs	1-877-541-7905
Tarrant County Housing Partnership	Tarrant County	Home Repairs	817-924-5091
City of Grand Prairie Community Development	Grand Prairie	Home Repairs	972-237-8166
City of Irving	Irving	Home Repairs	972-721-4800
Department of Veteran Affairs		Home Repairs	1-800-827-1000
Fannie Mae		Home Repairs	1-800-732-6643
Senior Source	North Texas	Window AC Units and minor home repairs.	214-824-5700