

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
Executive Office of the Mayor



Thursday, February 27, 2014

The Cold Emergency Alert will be Activated

The District will operate under a Cold Emergency meaning that additional services and supports are available to help homeless residents. All standard Winter Plan shelters will be in operation. Please note: start and end times indicated below may be modified based on weather conditions.

Action	Location	Population	Start Time	End Time	Status
Warming Site	West End Library (24 th and L Streets, NW)	Co-ed	9:00 pm	7:00 am	To be open
Warming Site	Sherwood Recreation Center (640 10th Street, NE)	Co-ed	9:00 pm	7:00 am	To be open
Alert Night Shelter	Banneker Recreation Center (2500 Georgia Avenue, NW)	Men	9:00 pm	7:00 am	To be open
Alert Night Shelter	Columbia Heights Recreation Center (1480 Girard Street, NW)	Men	9:00 pm	7:00 am	To be open
Alert Night Shelter	Kennedy Recreation Center (1401 7th Street, NW)	Men	9:00 pm	7:00 am	To be open
Overflow Shelter	Emery Recreation Center (5801 Georgia Avenue, NW)	Men	9:00 pm	7:00 am	To be open
Overflow Shelter	Guy Mason Recreation Center (3600 Calvert Street, NW)	Women	9:00 pm	7:00 am	To be open
Overflow Shelter	Benning Park Community Center (Southern Avenue and Fable Street, SE)	Families	9:00 pm	8:00 am	To be open
<i>Additional overflow sites opened as needed</i>					

- **Alert Night Shelters** are opened every night throughout the season when HSEMA activates the Hypothermia Alert.
- **Overflow Shelters** are opened as needed on a Hypothermia Alert night when Alert Night Shelters have reached capacity. Contact the UPO Shelter Hotline for transport or referral to Overflow Shelters that have been opened.

KEY CONTACT INFORMATION

DC Shelter Hotline	Websites	Twitter	Text Alerts
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1-800-535-7252 • 202-399-7093 • 311 • uposh@upo.org 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dmhhs.dc.gov • hsema.dc.gov • snow.dc.gov 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • @DCHypothermia • @DC_HSEMA • @mayorvincegray 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Register with Alert DC online at https://textalert.ema.dc.gov/register.php • Register by texting "DC" to 411911
Call Washington Humane Society at 202-723-5730 24 hours/day to report cruelty, neglect and animal emergencies.			