

## The Promises

Alcoholics' Anonymous pages 83 & 84

• If we are painstaking about this phase of our development, we will be amazed before we are half way through. *We are going to know a new freedom and a new happiness.*

We will not regret the past nor wish to shut the door on it. We will comprehend the word serenity and we will know peace.

No matter how far down the scale we have gone, we will see how our experience can benefit others.

That feeling of uselessness and self-pity will disappear. We will lose interest in selfish things and gain interest in our fellows. Self-seeking will slip away.

Our whole attitude and outlook upon life will change.

Fear of people and of economic insecurity will leave us. We will intuitively know how to handle situations which used to baffle us. We will suddenly realize that God is doing for us what we could not do for ourselves. Are these extravagant promises?

We think not. They are being fulfilled among us-sometimes quickly, sometimes slowly. They will always materialize if we **work** for them.

### Serenity Prayer

GOD, grant me the serenity  
to accept the things I cannot change,

Courage to change the things I can,  
and the wisdom to know the difference.

Living ONE DAY AT A TIME;  
Enjoying one moment at a time;

Accepting hardship as the pathway to peace.  
Taking, as He did, this sinful world  
as it is, not as I would have it.

Trusting that He will make all things right  
If I surrender to His Will;

That I may be reasonably happy in this life,  
and supremely happy with Him  
forever in the next.

# Housing Help & Hope

For our friends behind the wall

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[www.aa.org](http://www.aa.org)

Lake-Sumter Intergroup neither endorses nor opposes  
any of the companies listed.  
This pamphlet is to help direct your path

## Bridges of America

A drug and alcohol rehab for men, women and criminal justice clients. Transitional housing available after rehab, and prisoners may enter into a work release program through the organization.

**Criminal Justice** - Certified

A therapeutic drug and alcohol rehab in several locations across Florida.

**Primarily for correctional clients.**

### The Auburndale Bridge

(50 Female Residential)  
602 Melton Ave.  
Auburndale, FL 33823  
(863) 967-8190

### The Orlando Bridge

(91 Male Residential)  
2017 Mercy Drive  
Orlando, FL 32808  
(407) 926.8134

### The Broward County Bridge TC/Work Release - Pompano Transition Center

(112 Male Transition/50 Male work release)  
5600 N.W. 9th Avenue  
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33309  
(954) 358.2650

### The Jacksonville Bridge TC/Work Release

(165 Male Transition/140 Male work release)  
601 Agmac Avenue  
Jacksonville, FL 32254  
(904) 674.0850

### The Turning Point Bridge Work Release

(100 Male Work release)  
400 S.W. 2nd Street  
Pompano Beach, FL 33060  
(954) 580.0949

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## The Center for Drug Free Living

Rehab programs for pregnant and postpartum women, a Hispanic community based rehab for men and women (often those coming out of the criminal justice system) a rehab for men with co-occurring disorders and long term sober living housing for adult men and women. All programs are billed on a sliding scale based on client family income, and should be affordable to all in the community. In Orlando.

**Criminal Justice** - Certified - **Detox** - **Women /Men** - **Free/Affordable** - Dual Diagnosis

An Orlando based community substance abuse treatment agency. Offering medical detox and residential rehabs for dual diagnosis **men, pregnant/postpartum women** and the Hispanic community. Long term and affordable transitional living housing is also available for adults. Payments can be made through insurance, Medicaid, or by self pay on a **sliding scale**.

### Nueva Vida (Hispanic)

1405 West Michigan Street  
Orlando, FL 32805  
(407) 245-0020

### Adult Men's Residential & Recovery Program

8301 East Colonial Drive  
Orlando, FL 32810  
(407) 249-6560

### William R. Just, Sr. Center (Transitional Living)

1405 West Michigan Street  
Orlando, FL 32805  
(407) 245-0020

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## Agape Family Ministries

A 6 month to 1 year residential rehab for women and women with children. Faith based and affordable, in Dade County.

**Criminal justice** - Certified Christian - **Women - Men - Free/Affordable** - Insurance - Medicaid

A Christian centered long term residential rehab for women, and women with children. Criminal justice clients are accepted, a **sliding scale** determines the rates and Medicaid and private insurance are accepted.

22790 SW 112 Ave.  
Miami FL 33170  
(305) 235-2616

733 Breakers Ave.  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33304  
(954) 561-5559

### First Step

A Sarasota non profit, offering 7 distinct residential addiction treatment programs. All programs are billed on a sliding scale based on income and should be affordable to all. Programs for women with infants, dual diagnosis adults, adults in transition and general short term adult rehab.

Certified - **Detox** - Women /Men/ Teens - **Free/Affordable** -Dual Diagnosis -insurance

4613 North Washington Blvd.  
Sarasota, 34243  
(941)366-5333

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## House of Hope & Stepping Stones

Long term addiction and dual diagnosis residential treatment for men and women in Broward County. **No one will be denied services for financial reasons.** Long term residency.

Dual Diagnosis - Three Months+ Certified - **Free/Affordable**

A comprehensive addiction services provider in Broward County. For **adult men and women**; dual diagnosis or HIV positive patients are welcome.

908 SW 1st Street  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33312  
(954) 524-8989

### Guidance Clinic of the Middle Keys

A non profit mental health and addictions services provider offering services on a **sliding fee scale to those with limited means.** Long term residential drug rehab for male criminal justice clients and a community inpatient detox clinic. In Marathon Florida.

Certified - **Detox** - **Men/Women** - Medicaid - Insurance - Dual Diagnosis - **Free/Affordable** - **Criminal Justice**

A community mental health and substance abuse services provider in Marathon Florida. Services are affordable to all in the community, and male (dual diagnosis) criminal justice clients may be able to access long term drug rehab. Community based medical detox, 18 years and older.

3000 41st Street Ocean  
Marathon, FL 33050  
(305) 434-9000

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## Tampa Crossroads

Long term residential facilities for men, women, dual diagnosis patients and pregnant/postpartum women. Free to enter, in Tampa.

Certified - Dual Diagnosis - **Women - Men** -Three Months + **Criminal Justice**

A 6 month and longer residential treatment program, primarily for men and women involved in the criminal justice system. The program intends to change "criminal" thinking patterns as it also teaches abstinence from drugs and alcohol. All residents are required to get a job and contribute financially to the upkeep of the houses.

5118 North Nebraksa Avenue  
Tampa, FL 33603  
(813) 238-5210

### ACTS (Agency for Community Treatment Services)

A non profit service organization coordinating mental health and substance abuse treatment programs for teens (as young as 10 years) and adults in the Tampa area. Services include adult and teen residential rehabs, and transitional living environments, as well as detox. All services are billed on a **sliding scale** basis.

Certified - Teens/Men/Women - **Detox** - **Free/Affordable** - Insurance - Medicaid - Dual Diagnosis

A comprehensive services provider offering mental health and addiction treatment services at an affordable price to those in the Tampa area. medical detox, short and long term residential rehab and transitional and supervised living, for men, women, teens and dual diagnosis patients.

4403 West Martin Luther King Jr Blvd  
Tampa, FL 33614  
(813) 246-4899

## Operation Par

A non profit middle Florida based addiction services provider. All services are billed on a **sliding scale** based on client income. Medical detox, and residential drug and alcohol rehab for **men, women, pregnant women, women with children and teens.**

**Free/Affordable** - **Detox** – Teen/Men/Women - Ins/Medicaid - Dual Diagnosis

A large and varied non profit addiction services provider. Offering residential rehab and transitional housing to men, women, pregnant women, women with children and teens. With medical detox, and fees are sliding scale based, ensuring affordable care for all.

13800 66th Street North  
Largo, FL 33771  
(888) 727-6398

### 1st Avenue to Freedom (Men's Halfway house)

Very Comfortable and affordable clean and sober living for men. Daily meetings  
231 First Avenue  
Daytona Beach, FL 32114  
(386) 265-4089

### Solution by the Sea (Men's Halfway house/

221 Francis Parkman Place  
Daytona Beach, FL 32114  
(386) 295-1082

Solutions by the Sea provides the essentials needed to succeed in a safe and sober living environment for Men. Review our listed solutions aimed at ensuring a new way of life.

