Project Documentation

# Project Details

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| Project Name: | Helping Homeless |
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| Project URL: | *https://github.com/rsc-cis133DA-in-v12/10865\_At-Home\_Final\_Exam\_Project-WalkDiggitty* |
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| Course and Section: | CIS133DA 10865 |

## Site Purpose

Write a brief summary of the purpose of the website along with the topic of the site.

My site’s topic is Helping The Homeless. I want to provide information on 2 charities and have a page for general information on how to act when interacting with homeless segments of the population.

## Site Audience

Define the audience of the site and their needs. How will the audience access the site? How will this information drive the development of the site?

The audience for the site are people who interact with the homeless and would like more information on engaging with the homeless and charitable information. General homeless individuals may find the site helpful as well, I would like to include some mental health resources along with the charity information.

## Accessibility Concerns

Provide a summary of what accessibility issues should be considered for the project and how they will be addressed?

If the homeless are engaging with my site, then I have to consider that accessibility can not be short cut through. I would like to verify that screening readers function (through an emulator perhaps) and that visually impaired people are supported well through contrast and font size options.

## Page Descriptions

Provide a brief description of each page and what is expected to be on each.

1. HomePage: Welcome to site. Mission statement. What we are about. Navigation elements. Background img from CC.
2. General Charity Page: General Information on Charities-> Will step down to 2 specific charities on separate pages. Form for contact for more information. Background Img from CC. (?Table with more charities than my 2?)
3. Charity Page 1: Family Promise Information. External Hyperlink to Charity. Background Img for Org. Services offered.
4. Charity Page 2: Covenant House Information. External Hyperlink to Charity. Background Img for Org. Services offered.
5. General Mental Health Page: general information regarding mental health, abuse, and substance addiction. A table for other general helplines and organizations. (JS popup with help line number)
6. About/Accessibility: Img for different disabilities. A small section regarding the author.

# Metadata

Determine the metadata that should be used on each web page and what should be the content values of the identified types. Add additional rows if needed.

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| Web Page | Metadata Name | Metadata Content |
| Home | Description | An informational website geared towards helping the homeless education |
| Home | Keywords | homeless, unhomed, poverty, homeless education, helping homeless |
| GeneralCharity | Description | An information contact page for charities whose mission is to help the homeless |
| GeneralCharity | Keywords | Homeless charities, homeless charity, charities, donation, homeless help |
| FamilyPromise | Description | Homeless and low income assistance through community based support. |
| FamilyPromise | Keywords | Family promise, Homeless charities, homeless charity, charities, community based. |
| CovenantHouse | Description | Covenant House provides teen shelter to LGBTQ, pregnant, and all young adults facing homelessness |
| CovenantHouse | Keywords | Covenant House, teen homeless, human trafficking, young adult homeless, young homeless |
| MentalHealth | Description | General mental health help for behavioral, abuse, and substance abuse. |
| MentalHealth | Keywords | Drug addiction, physical abuse, domestic violence, homeless help, mental health |
| About/Accessibility | Description | About page for Helping Homeless regarding general about information and accessibility. |
| About/Accessibility | Keywords | Helping Homeless, accessibility, general information, accessibility statement, homeless education |
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# Site Navigation

Identify the pages that will be necessary for the project. Create a navigation scheme for the site using an outline or SmartArt graphics.

# Site Assets

Add the different assets and the necessary related information about the assets you will need to develop the web site to the table below. Use the Notes column to identify what page(s) the asset will be used on. Add rows if needed.

| Type | Description | File Name | File Path | Notes (Usage) |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Image | Homeless person panhandling | donation\_billboard.jpg | Images/donation\_billboard.jpg | GeneralCharity |
| Image | Fannie Mae for helping the homeless sign | Fannie\_mae.jpg | Images/fannie\_mae.jpg | GeneralCharity |
| Form | A form to submit your info for Helping Homeless to reach out |  |  | Home |
| Image | Family Promise Logo | FMLogo.webp | Images/fmlogo.webp | FamilyPromise |
| Image | Family Promise Las Vegas Anniversary | FLPV.webp | Images/FLPV.webp | FamilyPromise |
| Image | Covenant House Logo (Muted) | CovenantHouseMuted.png | Images/CovenantHouseMuted.png | CovenantHouse |
| Image | Covenant House Logo | CovenantHouseLogo.jpg | Images/CovenantHouseLogo.jpg | CovenantHouse |
| Image | A hand extended to helping others | helping\_others.jpg | Images/helping\_others.jpg | About/Accessibility |
| Image | People practicing yoga on an aircraft carrier | mental\_health\_awareness.jpg | Images/mental\_health\_awareness.jpg | General Mental Health |

# Verbiage

Add the verbiage that will be used on each page of the web site. Use the tools within Word to check for grammar and spelling errors. You must write the content in your own words while citing any references used to develop the content.

# HomePage:

(Nav Element for Links)

Welcome to Helping Homeless

At Helping Homeless, we are here to offer resources for outreach and general education for organizations you can contact if you are currently homeless, will be homeless, or wanting to offer your generosity to the homeless.

(Form Below)

Name:

Phone:

Email:

Current Address or Area you live:

# General Charity Information:

(Nav Element for Links)

There are multiple charities dedicated to helping the homeless effort. Many organizations offer a way to get into work, a place to help get homed, and counseling services.

As well as basic food needs.

We have researched two exemplary organizations.

(Link) Family Promise

Transforming the lives of families experiencing homelessness.  
Because every child deserves a home.

(Link) Covenant House

Covenant House provides housing and supportive services to youth facing homelessness. We help young people transform their lives and put them on a path to independence.

# Charity1: Family Promise

(Nav Element for Links)

Transforming the lives of families experiencing homelessness.  
Because every child deserves a home.

(External Link)

(Table)

Prevention & Diversion (Options)

Shelter (Options)

Stabilization & Additional Services (Options)

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# Charity2: Covenant House

Covenant House builds a bridge to hope for young people facing homelessness and survivors of trafficking through unconditional love, absolute respect, and relentless support. Our doors are open 24/7 in 34 cities across five countries and our high-quality programs are designed to empower young people to rise and overcome adversity, today and in the future.

(External Link)

Family Promise offers local facilities in multiple cities around you.

(List)

Offers support for:

Youth Homelessness

Human Trafficking

Continuum of Care

Advocacy

Sleep Out (Fund Raising Efforts)

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General Mental Health Information

(JS popup with helpline number 1-800-662-HELP (4357)

Homelessness comes from multiple reasons. Sometimes those reasons are related to other conditions and being without shelter is a symptom.

If you feel that something may be off please call 1-800-662-HELP (4357) or your local non-emergency helpline and request a social worker visit. They are here to help.

Below is some helpful information regarding certain disorders that may help you identify a problem you may have:

(List w/hyperlinks)

What is Mental Health? -> <https://www.samhsa.gov/mental-healthhttps://www.samhsa.gov/mental-health>

Antisocial Personality Disorder -> <https://www.samhsa.gov/mental-health/antisocial-personality-disorder>

Bipolar Disorder -> <https://www.samhsa.gov/mental-health/bipolar>

Borderline Personality Disorder (BPD) -> <https://www.samhsa.gov/mental-health/borderline-personality-disorder>

Substance Abuse -> <https://www.samhsa.gov/mental-health/mental-health-substance-use-co-occurring-disorders>

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# About/Accessibility

Helping Homeless was created for school project in HTML, CSS, and a touch of JS.

Hopefully all features are functional.

The goal of Helping Homeless is to provide some useful outreach options for those who find themselves in a difficult spot. Even if you are not homeless, the mental health support line is still a valid call if you find yourself in need.

We hope to have made the sight easy for you to interpret.

We have made great strides to perfect contrast, text clarity, and alternative text options available.

Did you notice something difficult to interpret?

Please fill in the below form and click send to let us know about the opportunity to improve.

(Form for Error Submission)

Name:

Issue Found:

(Comment Box)

# Reference Citations

Add your citations for any elements taken from other sources (e.g., photos, text) in APA format. See the course syllabus and online lessons for more information on how to cite your sources.

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