



**DENVER
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- WHAT:** The Ministry Outreach Center (MOC) is the central warehouse location for Denver Rescue Mission. It is also one of the Mission's three Client Services locations, distributing clothing, and food boxes.
- WHERE:** 5725 E. 39th Ave., Denver, CO 80207 | **Phone:** 303.331.2900 | **Fax:** 720.941.5629
- WHO SERVED:** The MOC warehouse enables both Mission and non-Mission outreaches to provide thousands of people in Denver with food, clothing, and household items. This facility is also home to the Holly Center.
- Holly Center:** Opened in November of 2017, the Holly Center is a 200 bed overnight shelter for men. Men who sleep at this facility can do so for a week at a time, and can reapply to extend their stay.
- Food:** The warehouse stores food to be distributed to our various program locations. In turn, these facilities serve over 1,500 prepared meals daily. The warehouse also stores food that is distributed in food boxes for families and shared with other non-profit organizations that serve people experiencing homelessness and poverty in Denver.
- Clothing:** An average of 155 tons of clothing are received and processed annually. Much of the clothing was distributed to needy people in the Denver area. Excess clothing is shipped to people in need internationally.
- Household items:** Donations of household necessities are picked up, processed, inventoried, and redistributed through MOC. Hundreds of families receive basic items for their home each year thanks to generous donations from the community.
- FACILITY:** Denver Rescue Mission purchased the warehouse from Food Works, Inc. at the end of 2012. The 50,000 square-foot building is home to the Vehicle Donation Program, auto shop and staff offices and provides 800 square feet of cold storage for food processing.
- PROGRAM:** At the MOC, Mission staff who oversee the operation of the warehouse interact with New Life Program participants who are fulfilling their work therapy requirements and volunteers from all over the country who come to the Mission to lend a hand. The arrangement encourages learning and growth for everyone involved.

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