

Where do the guests sleep when our shelter is not open?

CAMBA works hard to find beds for everyone in its drop-in center programs. There are other volunteer faith-based shelters to which CAMBA brings its drop-in center clients. The various shelters are open at different times of the year, on various nights of the week. The number of homeless individuals in need of and eligible for beds changes nightly. Some guests sometimes have other places to stay, such as with relatives, especially around holiday times.

When there are not sufficient Respite beds available in faith-based organizations, the men usually stay in the drop-in center in East New York where there are no beds. The men have no choice but to sleep in chairs.