

## VA Coronavirus Resources for the Immigrant Community

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### Health Care Access and Testing for Coronavirus, COVID-19

Know the signs and symptoms of COVID-19 and what to do if you feel sick.

- Symptoms of COVID-19 primarily include fever, cough, and shortness of breath. These symptoms can show up between 2 and 14 days after exposure.
- Stay home if you feel sick, except to get medical care. Get plenty of rest and drink lots of fluids. Limit visitors and limit your movement in the community. Call a doctor's office in advance of a visit.

Virginia residents can call the Virginia Department of Health public information line, 877-ASK-VDH3 (877.275.8343), for questions about the novel coronavirus situation

Your healthcare provider/doctor will determine if you need to be tested for COVID-19. If the healthcare provider determines that testing is indicated, they might either collect samples to test you or provide you with information about where to go locally for testing.



For <u>free</u> testing, go to a community health center or Center for Disease testing location after going to your doctor's office. Find a community health clinic <u>here</u> or call 877-ASK-VDH3 (877.275.8343).

What you need to know about coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) Lo que necesita saber sobre la enfermedad del coronavirus 2019

#### Low Cost Health Centers

Virginia Community Health Association - <u>Click Here</u> VA Association of Free & Charitable Clinics - <u>Find Locations Here</u> Central Virginia Health Services, Inc - <u>Find Locations Here</u> Planned Parenthood- <u>Find Locations Here</u>

### **Mental Health Resources**

### Mental Health And COVID-19 – Information And Resources

### **Governor of Virginia's Current Order for Businesses**

**English** 

#### **Espanol**

The commonwealth's order notes that some retail businesses are allowed to stay open. They include dollar stores, medical retailers, electronic retailers, automotive repair and retail shops, home improvement outlets, liquor stores, gas stations, pet stores, office supply stores, and laundromats.

### Utilities

The Governor's office has issued a declaration of emergency, an order to stop electric, gas, water or sewer utilities to not cut off service for 60 days due to coronavirus. This might not include phone or internet services.

Call your local service provider if you will be experiencing delayed payments in the future or need additional information.

### **Cell Phone and Regular Bill Payments**

Many internet and phone companies are waiving late fees, suspending terminations, offering free international calls, expanding data usage limits, and even free service.

Check with local service providers to see what they can assist you with and to notify if you need assistance.



### **Internet Access**

#### **Comcast Basic Internet Service**

Comcast Basic Internet is offering affordable high-speed Internet at home with Comcast Internet Essentials. Visit: <u>https://es.internetessentials.com/apply</u>

#### **Cox Internet**

- Limited-time, first two months free of Connect2Compete service, \$9.95/month thereafter
- Until May 15, 2020, we are providing phone and remote desktop support through Cox Complete Care at no charge to provide peace of mind and ease for technology needs
- Resources for discounted, refurbished equipment through our association with PCs for People
- A Learn from Home toolkit for schools, including instructions on how to fast-track eligible students without internet access

Visit https://www.cox.com/residential/internet/connect2compete.html

#### **Internet with Spectrum**

Charter Communications is offering free Spectrum broadband and WiFi access to families with children in grades K-12 or college that are homebound due to the coronavirus outbreak. Customers are able to access services at no cost for 60 days (and with waived installation fees!) call, (833) 267-6094 for more information.

### **Food Access**

FREE MEALS & GROCERIES Text "FOOD" or "COMIDA" to 877-877 to find free feeding locations for children.

The Federation of Virginia Food Banks operates seven regional hubs that support direct distribution to local food pantries. Visit <u>vafoodbanks.org/covid-19-response</u> for a map of locations and current availabilities.

Check your local city or county government's website for any additional sites and resources. Additionally, you may visit, <u>https://www.foodpantries.org/st/virginia</u> for a list of food pantries.

### **Child Care**

Search online for a facility near you at <u>childcareva.com</u> or call 866-543-7852. The Child Care Subsidy Program provides financial assistance to pay a portion of child care costs. Apply online at <u>commonhelp.virginia.gov</u>



### **Housing Rights**



Your Rights as a Tenant During COVID-19 Outbreak (Current as of March 23, 2020)

Your landlord must take you to court to evict you:

- Your landlord cannot evict you without a court order, no matter what your lease says.
- You do not have to move out just because the landlord tells you to leave, gives you a "5 Day Pay or Quit" or other written notice, or files an eviction lawsuit ("unlawful detainer") against you.

Court closures:

- Courts have stopped hearing unlawful detainer cases until least April 6, 2020.
- We do not know when the courts will schedule new eviction cases.
- Still, if you have an unlawful detainer case scheduled for the next few weeks, you should check with the court to find out when it will be heard. You can also look up your case and find the court's phone number by visiting <a href="http://www.courts.state.va.us/courts/gd.html">http://www.courts.state.va.us/courts/gd.html</a>.
- You can still go to the court for emergencies, like if your landlord illegally locks you out.

It is illegal for your landlord to shut off utilities or lock you out without a court order:

- If the landlord locks you out or cuts off heat, water, gas, or electricity *without a court order*, you can call your local sheriff or police for help.
- You can also sue your landlord to get back into your home and get utilities turned back on. The courts are still hearing emergency cases like these, called "unlawful exclusions."

Your landlord still has a duty to do repairs and maintenance:

- Even with the COVID-19 outbreak the landlord must still provide you with a safe and healthy place to live.
- If something breaks, send your landlord a letter asking for repairs right away.

Your utilities, including water and electricity, should not be cut off:

- The State Corporate Commission has told electric, gas, and water companies not to cut service for non-payment until the COVID-19 crisis ends.
- If your Dominion Energy service was recently cut off, call 1-866-366-4357 to get reconnected.

If you are facing eviction, if your landlord attempts to lock you out without taking you to court, or if you have questions about your rights, contact your local legal aid by calling 1-866-LEGL-AID or get legal advice from the Eviction Legal Helpline by calling 1-833-NoEvict. Visit VaLegalAid.org for more information.



### **Small Business**

#### **Small Business Administration**

Virginia received a statewide Economic Injury Disaster Loan declaration from the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA). Small businesses and non-profit organizations located throughout the state can now apply for a loan of up to \$2 million from the SBA to pay fixed debts, payroll, accounts payable, and other expenses.

To submit a loan application for the SBA Economic Injury Disaster Loan program, please visit: <u>https://disasterloan.sba.gov/ela/</u>.

For assistance in filling out this form contact the Small Business Administration customer service center at 1-800-659-2955 (TTY: 1-800-877-8339) or email <u>disastercustomerservice@sba.gov</u>.

#### **Small Business State Taxes**

Businesses impacted by COVID-19 can also request to defer the payment of state sales tax due March 20, 2020, for 30 days. When granted, businesses will be able to file no later than April 20, 2020 with a waiver of any penalties. For business owners, Virginia Tax will consider requests from sales tax dealers for an extension of the due date for filing and payment of the February 2020 sales tax return due on March 20, 2020. If the request is granted, filing and payment of the return will be due on April 20, 2020, with a waiver of any penalties that would have applied.

However, interest will accrue even if an extension is granted. Virginia Tax has created a COVID-19 information page on the agency's website to share critical messages with taxpayers. Here's the link: <u>https://www.tax.virginia.gov/coronavirus</u>

Any state income tax payments due during the time period of April 1, 2020, to June 1, 2020, will now be due on June 1, 2020. This includes individual and corporate income taxes paid to Virginia Tax. Late payment penalties will not be charged if payments are made by June 1, 2020, however, interest will still accrue.

Certain cities and counties are putting forth effort for small businesses relief or taxes. Visit their website for more information.

#### **Small Business Majority**

As developments continue to unfold in response to the spread of COVID-19, we know many small businesses have questions about implications in the workplace and funding options to help bolster their businesses during this difficult time. We are compiling relevant tips and resources, information on new funding opportunities and policy developments that we are sharing on our website and through online presentations. We will be posting daily updates to



this page with useful information about the ways small businesses can prepare for the impact of COVID-19 on their business and community. <u>Click here for more information</u>.

### **Unemployment Insurance**

Apply online at <u>vawc.virginia.gov</u> or over the phone at 866-832-2363. Eligibility has been expanded to include workers affected by COVID-19, such as a reduction in hours, self-quarantine mandate or caretakers of ill family members. The benefit waiting period has been waived and the requirement to submit two job applications weekly has been suspended.

La elegibilidad de los inmigrantes para cobrar desempleo

### Legal Assistance

#### Legal Aid Justice Center

The Legal Aid Justice Center provides free legal services on non-criminal matters to income eligible persons in our service areas including immigration, housing and employment. Please call the office nearest you for more information.

Charlottesville Serving city of Charlottesville and counties of Albemarle, Fluvanna, Greene, Louisa and Nelson Phone: (434) 977-0553 Fax: (434) 977-0558 International: 800-763-7323 (in Mexico, dial 001 first)

Falls Church Serving cities of Fairfax, Falls Church, Herndon and Alexandria and counties of Loudoun, Fairfax, Arlington, Prince William and Stafford Phone: (703) 778-3450 Fax: (703) 778-3454

Richmond/Petersburg Serving cities of Richmond, Petersburg, Hopewell and Colonial Heights and counties of Chesterfield, Hanover, Henrico, New Kent, Goochland, Powhatan, Surry, Prince George, Dinwiddie and Charles City. Phone: (804) 643-1086 Fax: (804) 643-2059

Petersburg Phone: (804) 862-2205

### **Domestic Violence Assistance**

Hotline: 1-800-838-8238 (available 24/7)



Shelters/Programs (PDF)

### Taxes

FEDERAL Taxes: IRS extends federal tax filing deadline to July 15, 2020. If you expect a refund, you can still file now.

STATE Taxes: Filing deadline remains May 1, 2020. But payment deadline is June 1, 2020 LOCAL Taxes - CITY/COUNTY: Check your Local government on any changes to tax deadlines

# **National Resources**

### **Resources from UndocuScholar**

### **Financial Assistance**

#### **Betancourt Macias Family Scholarship Foundation**

The Betancourt Macias Family Scholarship Foundation is launching a GoFundMe fundraiser to raise funds to support undocumented families and individuals during these times of crisis. Please fill out this survey to apply for funds. The amount we can provide each person is based on the donations we receive and the amount of requests we receive. <u>Click Here to Apply.</u>

#### **Another Round Another Rally**

Offering relief grants for hospitality workers who lost their jobs or had their hours slashed in the wake of the COVID-19 outbreak. Anyone in the hospitality industry, dishwasher, bartender, server, busser, chef, cook, sommelier, manager, host, concierge, cleaning staff, or barback may apply for funds. <u>Click here to apply</u>.

Restaurant Workers' Community Foundation Announces COVID19 Crisis Relief Fund Individuals seeking RWCF's direct assistance should go to the <u>Southern Smoke Application</u>

Form to submit their information and needs. Please note that Southern Smoke will evaluate each case based on the state of an applicant's emergency, prioritizing issues like medical needs.

#### **US Bartenders Guild COVID19 Relief Fund**

Grants for a Bartender or the spouse or child of a Bartender. Click here to Apply

### Public Charge During COVID-19

On March 13, USCIS announced that COVID-19 testing, prevention, or treatment would <u>NOT</u> be used against immigrants in a public charge test. This means that immigrant families should seek the care they need during this difficult time. <u>Click here to know your rights</u>.



# Resources for Domestic Workers, Nannies, Homecare Workers and House Cleaners

National Domestic Workers Alliance has created this hub to support domestic workers with trusted information and resources to take care of yourselves and the people that depend on you. In addition to keeping each other safe, it's important that we prevent panic and scapegoating by sharing accurate information with our communities and standing up for one another. There are <u>suggestions</u> for some ways to do this.

### What To Do If Immigration Comes To Your Workplace

President Trump's attack on immigrants affects immigrant workers and employers. This guide explains:

- the most common immigration actions affecting employers,
- recommendations for how employers can prepare,
- employers' rights and responsibilities, and
- what employers can do after an Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) action.

Important! This guide is general information. It is not legal advice. It is not tailored to your situation. Talk to an immigration lawyer for advice in your case.

Spanish Chinese Korean Thai English

### **Know Your Rights with ICE**

Regardless of your immigration status, you have guaranteed rights under the Constitution. Learn more here about your rights as an immigrant, and how to express them.

If you find you have to deal with Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) or other law enforcement officers at home, on the street, or anywhere else, remember that you have the rights described in this factsheet. The fact sheet below also provides suggestions for what you should do to assert your rights.

#### Versión en español | Chinese:\* Traditional • Simplified (PDF) | Arabic\* (PDF) | Korean\*

(PDF)

RIGHTS CARD (PDF): Arabic | Farsi | Somali | Spanish



# How Do I Fill Out The Census?



**HOW TO CALL THE CENSUS?** 

English: 844-330-2020 Spanish: 844-468-2020 Chinese (Mandarin): 844-391-2020 Chinese (Cantonese): 844-398-2020 Vietnamese: 844-461-2020 Korean: 844-392-2020 Russian: 844-417-2020 Arabic: 844-416-2020 Tagalog: 844-478-2020 Polish: 844-479-2020 French: 844-494-2020 Haitian Creole: 844-477-2020 Portuguese: 844-474-2020 Japanese: 844-460-2020

### You Count: 2020 Census

Local resources are dependent on the Census Bureau. It helps fund schools, roads, and resources that our communities need. There is no citizenship question and regardless of immigration status, everyone counts. Your information is confidential and is not shared with ICE. **Fill out the census at** <u>www.my2020census.gov</u>

# **Specific Resources by Area**

### **Northern Virginia**

Financial Relief from Northern Virginia Family Service

They are offering to provide financial support to people directly affected by COVID-19 regardless of immigration status. Must be a resident of Alexandria, Arlington, Fairfax County, Fairfax/Falls Church, Loudoun

County, Manassas, Manassas Park, or Prince William County

### Housing Assistance Hotline by Northern Virginia Family Services

Fairfax County: (703)222-0880 Prince William County: (703)792.3366 or email CE@pwcgov.org

#### **CASA VA Hotline Number**

Call this number if you have health and COVID-19 related questions. Woodbridge: 571-421-2211 Falls Church: 571-320-1761



### **Fairfax County**

#### Contact Coordinated Services Planning (CSP) for Basic Needs Assistance

CSP specialists can help you find information and solutions for your emergent needs, such as emergency food, shelter, clothing, healthcare, employment, financial assistance and other essential needs.

When you contact CSP, a specialist will help you through an assessment to identify your needs and provide a connection to resources for which you are eligible. Our specialists can help find solutions to fit your circumstances.

Coordinated Services Planning is available Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., at 703-222-0880, TTY 711.

- Press 1 for English and other languages
- Press 2 for Spanish

CSP assists callers in Amharic, Creole (English and French), Dari, Farsi, French, Hindi, Italian, Kannada, Korean, Pashto, Punjabi, Somali, Spanish, Swedish, Tamil, Tigrinya and Urdu. Additional languages are available through an interpreter upon request.

#### Food Distribution – School breakfast and lunch

Now at 46 locations. Breakfast and lunch will be available from 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. Some sites have different times. All locations are listed <u>here</u>.

School buses are delivering grab and go meals along bus routes.

All students enrolled in FCPS and other County children 18 years and under receive one meal at no-cost; and, may have additional meals at no-cost upon request. Adults may purchase breakfast and lunch meals at a cost of \$2.00.

Map that shows the distribution sites:

http://fairfaxcountygis.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/index.html?id=4dbbe9b950e14017 938fd77ee0d973a4

#### Taxes

County Taxes: The following Fairfax County tax programs have been extended to June 1

- Real Estate Tax Relief for the elderly (65+)
- Tax Relief for People with disabilities
- Personal Property or "Car Tax" Relief
- Personal Property for businesses
- Deadline to pay first half of Real Estate tax extended to August 28.

<u>STATE</u> Taxes: Filing deadline remains May 1, 2020. But payment deadline is June 1, 2020. FEDERAL Taxes: IRS <u>extends federal tax filing and paying deadline to July 15, 2020.</u> If you expect a refund, you can still file now.



### Arlington

#### **Food Assistance**

Arlington Public Schools will provide one lunch for that day and one breakfast to take home for the following day. These meals will be free to any child aged 2 to 18. We will continue to monitor the situation on a daily basis and make adjustments as needed.

Meals will be provided Monday-Friday at the sites/times as follows:

- Kenmore Middle School 200 S. Carlin Springs Road 11 a.m.-1 p.m.
- Dr. Charles R. Drew Elementary School 3500 S. 23rd Street 11 a.m.-1 p.m.
- Barrett Elementary School 4401 N Henderson Rd 11 a.m.-1 p.m.
- Campbell Elementary School 737 S Carlin Springs Rd 11 a.m.-1 p.m.
- Randolph Elementary School 1306 S Quincy St 11 a.m.-1 p.m.

#### Arlington Food Assistance Center

The Arlington Food Assistance Center (AFAC) provides free weekly supplemental groceries to Arlington residents in need. AFAC will continue to provide free weekly groceries to Arlingtonians in need during the COVID-19 pandemic, and distributions will continue at its Shirlington headquarters (2708 South Nelson Street).

Visit the AFAC site for more information, including details for new clients in need of food, free meals for kids, home delivery options and more. Any Arlingtonian may be served one time without a referral. You must provide a photo ID and proof of address (lease or utility bill). After that, you must get a <u>referral</u> from the Department of Human Services Community Assistance Bureau.

#### **Restaurants Food Assistance**

- Gaijin Ramen Shop (3800 Lee Highway) is offering delivery of free vegetable ramen soup to seniors
- Good Company Doughnuts & Cafe (672 N. Glebe Road) is offering free meals to schoolaged kids and free delivery for seniors
- Good Stuff Eatery (2110 Crystal Drive) is offering free meals to students between 5 and 17
- Jaleo Crystal City (2250-A Crystal Drive) is offering free meals to students



- Joe's Place Pizza & Pasta (5555 Lee Highway) is also offering free cheese pizzas and fresh salads to those most affected by the school closings and job cutbacks.
- Medium Rare (3601 N. Fairfax Dr) is delivering free meals to vulnerable seniors in the D.C. area.
- Meridian Pint (6035 Wilson Blvd) is offering a free kids meal with every adult entree purchased
- Real Food for Kids Bayou Bakery (1515 N Courthouse Rd) is offering free lunches for kids
- St. Charles Church (3304 Washington Blvd) is providing non-perishable food to those who are homeless or live on limited incomes.
- We the Pizza is offering free slices of cheese or pepperoni pizza or four wings and a side salad to kids under 15

### **City of Alexandria**

#### **Refugee Assistance**

Alexandria City's <u>Refugee Assistance</u> provides financial and medical benefits to refugees. For further information, on applications for all financial benefit programs please call 703.746.5700

#### Small Business Taxes

For <u>Alexandria City</u>, the tax payment deadline for restaurant and hotel businesses have been extended to June 30, 2020, after which businesses may repay the funds over 12 months. No penalties or interest will be assessed during this period.

#### **Regular Taxes**

- <u>STATE</u>: Filing deadline remains May 1, 2020. But payment deadline is June 1, 2020.
- FEDERAL: IRS <u>extends federal tax filing and paying deadline to July 15, 2020.</u> If you expect a refund, you can still file now.

#### **Food Assistance**

Emergency Food Access Points Guide (English only)

#### ALIVE!

Hours: 8:30 a.m. to noon, or until supplies run out,

Location: parking lots of John Adams Elementary School at 5651 Rayburn Ave. and Cora Kelly Elementary School at 3600 Commonwealth Ave.

Bags of food will be distributed on a drive-thru basis. Each car will be eligible to receive one bag per family member; no more than four bags per vehicle.

#### Hunger Free Alexandria

<u>Weekly Schedule of Food Programs</u> - breakfast, lunch, dinner, and food pantry. Send us your question in Spanish, Arabic or Amharic:

- Text ACPSMEALS to 797979 (English and Spanish)
- Call or text 703-927-6866 (Amharic)
- Call or text 703-927-7095 (Arabic)



#### Alexandria City's Public Schools

Meal Distribution: Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays; 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Individual Meals to Go: Any child between the ages of 2 and 18 can pick up a meal to go in a bag. William Ramsay Elementary School Francis C. Hammond Middle School Cora Kelly School for Math, Science and Technology Jefferson-Houston PreK-8 IB School T.C. Williams High School

#### Meals on Wheels for Seniors

Call 703.746.5999 to request service. Meals are delivered seven days a week with emergency shelf stable meals provided in the event that hot meals cannot be delivered. Each senior is receiving enough non-perishable meals to last for two weeks as a precaution in case meal delivery is stopped due to the virus.

### **Loudoun County**

#### **Food Assistance**

#### Loudoun Hunger Relief

You must make an appointment and you MUST arrive at your appointment time! For everyone's safety, we cannot serve unless you have an appointment and come at your appointment time. This allows us to maintain a safe number of people and safe distancing.

If you are ill, please send someone who is well to pick up your food-tell us that when you make your appointment.

Appointment hours are Tuesday 8:30am – 11:15am, Tuesday & Thursday 5:45pm – 7:15pm, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday 10am-12:45pm Call (703) 777-5911 https://www.facebook.com/LoudounHunger/

#### Tree of Life

Weekly free community meals in Purcellville and Leesburg. They also offer food deliveries from their food pantry, which provides a two-week supply of groceries.

Takeaway 6 PM - 7 PM every Tuesday 850 Edwards Ferry Road NE, Leesburg VA 20176 Call 540-441-7920 for more information

http://tolministries.org/food-purcellville

#### Lovettsville Food Pantry

The **Lovettsville Food Pantry** provides food assistance and is housed at the New Jerusalem Lutheran Church on Lutheran Church Road. Contact the church at 540-822-5576.



**Faith Chapel Church** operates the Lucketts Community Food Pantry. Donations of cheese, cooking oil, canned fruit, black beans, pasta sauce, flour tortillas, breakfast cereal and snack bars are currently being accepted. Call 703-608-8616.

<u>The Community Church Messiah's Market food pantry</u>, in Ashburn, is currently accepting donations and offering food assistance to anyone in need

#### **Mobile Hope**

Listen to the bus horn when it passes by your area.Mobile Hope is driving a bus around Loudoun County to provide food assistance, personal hygiene products and diapers

#### Women Giving Back

Saturday 9 AM to 11 PM 20 Export Drive, Sterling, VA https://www.facebook.com/womengivingback1

#### **Catholic Charities in Leesburg**

Takeout 9:30 am-2:30pm Monday through Thursday 316 E Market St, Leesburg, VA 20176 https://www.ccda.net/need-help/food/food-pantries/leesburg-food-pantry/

#### **Regular Taxes**

- <u>Local</u>: The May 5, 2020, personal property tax deadline has been extended to June 5, 2020.
- <u>STATE</u>: Filing deadline remains May 1, 2020. But payment deadline is June 1, 2020.
- FEDERAL: IRS <u>extends federal tax filing and paying deadline to July 15, 2020.</u> If you expect a refund, you can still file now.

#### Students

School principals have been contacting students and their families about the process for distributing Chromebooks. Students in grades 3-12 who do not have a Loudoun County Public Schools Chromebook and have not heard from their principal should contact the principal to learn more about the county plan.

The Loudoun County school system is prioritizing the distribution of hotspots to students in grades 3-12 in households with the greatest need. There is a limit of one hotspot per household. To request a device, families must complete the online form or call the Loudoun County Public Schools Technology Support Center at 571-252-2112 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. weekdays.

#### **Financial Assistance for Loudoun County**

#### **Community Emergency Relief Fund**

The Community Foundation for Loudoun and Northern Fauquier Counties has established a fund to directly support local nonprofit organizations that help those affected by the crisis pay



their mortgage or rent, utility bills, and medical expenses and provide housing, food, and health care.

#### Loudoun Tourism & Hospitality Relief Fund

This fund, created by the Visit Loudoun Foundation in tandem with the Community Foundation's Emergency Relief Fund, will assist employees affected by the shutdown of Loudoun's tourism and hospitality businesses.

### **Prince William County**

#### Food Assistance

#### Food Distribution – School breakfast and lunch

- Now at 19 locations. Packaged breakfast and lunch available for pick up from 9 11 a.m. from Monday-Friday. <u>All locations are listed here.</u>
- To-go meals will be provided to all children under the age of 18 present at the time of service, without charge, regardless of race, color, national origin, sex, age or disability, and there will be no discrimination during the meal service.

#### Food distribution - Meals on Wheels for seniors

• Call 703-792-6374 to request service. Meals are delivered Monday through Friday with emergency shelf stable meals provided in the event that hot meals cannot be delivered. A suggested minimum donation of \$1.50 per meal is requested.

#### Northern Virginia Family Service

NVFS' Hunger Resource Center (HRC, or Centro de Recursos para Prevenir el Hambre) at our SERVE Campus provides nearly 600 Prince William County families every month with:

- Emergency food assistance
- Nutrition information
- Strategies for buying healthy food on a budget

Food assistance is provided by appointment only. To schedule an appointment, please call 571.748.2680 and please leave a message if no one is immediately available to take your call.

Available Appointment Hours:

- Monday: 1 3 p.m.
- Tuesday: 9:30 11:30 a.m. / 1 3 p.m.
- Wednesday: 5 7:30 p.m.
- Thursday: 9:30 11:30 a.m. / 1 3 p.m.
- Friday: 9:30 11:30 a.m.

Eligibility: Must be able to provide proof of residency in Prince William County, City of Manassas or City of Manassas Park.

Referral process: Worker or client can contact the staff contact person directly for intake and information.

#### Taxes



- COUNTY: The following programs have been extended until <u>May 15, 2020</u> (noted at bottom of article).
  - Real Estate Tax Relief for the elderly (65+)
  - Tax Relief for People with disabilities
  - Personal Property or "Car Tax" Relief
- Business Tangible Personal (BTP) Property tax <u>filing deadline has been extended to</u> July 15, 2020
- <u>STATE</u>: Filing deadline remains May 1, 2020. But payment deadline is June 1, 2020.
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### Charlottesville

#### Equipo de Apoyo Comunitario de Cville: Solicitud para Apoyo Material.

Si le gustaría obtener comidas u otras víveres entregados a la puerta principal de su vivienda, por favor use este formulario. Si usted not es parte de esas comunidades, por favor contáctenos y trataremos de conectarle a recursos en la región.

#### Cville Community Care Team: Request for Material Support

If you would like food or other supplies dropped off at your front door, please use this form.

#### Hotline for grocery/prescription requests (Spanish/English): 434-214-0454

#### Hotline for financial requests (Spanish/English/Nepalese/Arabic): 434-234-4490

#### Charlottesville Area Community Foundation

The Foundation is listening to the needs of community-based organizations providing basic assistance, including food, housing and medical supplies. It will make targeted grants to organizations in Charlottesville and the counties of Albemarle, Buckingham, Fluvanna, Greene, Louisa, Nelson, and Orange.

For Assistance call, 434-234-4490

#### Support CVille

Provides up to date resources such as food, health support and funds from the Charlottesville Community. Learn more <u>here</u>

#### **Food Assistance**

#### **Charlottesville City Schools**

Monday and Wednesday (children will receive multiple days' worth of food). Six stations will offer hour-long service in one location:

• Charlottesville High School – 1400 Melbourne Ave



- Friendship Court 418 Garrett St
- Greenstone on 5th 746 Prospect Ave
- Hearthwood Apartments 2111 Michie Drive
- Jackson-Via Elementary School Parking Lot / Bus Loop 508 Harris Road
- Westhaven 801 Hardy Drive

Five buses will make routes through other neighborhoods throughout the city. For more information on stop times and routes, <u>click here</u>.

### **Central Virginia**

#### **Food Assistance**

#### Feed More

If you or someone you know needs emergency food assistance, please use our <u>Agency Locator</u> to find a pantry near you. You can also complete the <u>Hunger Hotline Inquiry Form</u> or call 804-521-2500 ext. 631 for additional help.

### Richmond

#### **Food Assistance**

#### **Richmond Public Schools**

RPS is committed to ensuring that all families have access to meals during school closures. In addition to school-based distribution sites, RPS has added new grab and go meal sites around the city for families. Buses will be at locations for 30 minutes, so please arrive at the designated time. Distribution and bus times can be found <u>here</u>.

#### **Dibert Food Pantry**

1601 Rolling Hills Drive 804.285.5986

- Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday
- 9:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.
- ID required
- Recipients may receive food once within a 30-day period

<u>The Market at 25th</u> is giving Richmond people the option of getting \$ 20 in pantry products for just \$ 11.

#### Homelessness

#### **Catholic Charities**



The Housing Resource Center and Youth Hub are offering shelter and restroom facilities during regular business hours. At the moment, we are not taking walk-in clients. Call 804.648.4177 for more details.

#### **United Way Homeless Crisis Line**

The Homeless Crisis Line facilitates access to resources and shelter alternatives for those who are three days or less away from losing their housing. This line is also available for those already experiencing homelessness. To reach the Homeless Crisis Line, call (804) 972-0813.

### **Hampton Roads Area**

#### Food Assistance

#### Foodbank of Southeastern Virginia and the Eastern Shore

The Foodbank will distribute food at these YMCA locations Tuesdays from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. and Fridays from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. For more information, click <u>here</u>.

- Suffolk Family YMCA 2769 Godwin Blvd., Suffolk, VA 23434
- James L. Camp Jr. Family YMCA 300 Crescent Drive, Franklin, VA 23851
- The Y on Granby 2901 Granby Street, Norfolk, VA 23504
- Greenbrier Family YMCA 1033 Greenbrier Pkwy., Chesapeake, VA 23320

#### **General Assistance**

#### United Way Help for Those Affected by Coronavirus

If you are in need of assistance as a result of coronavirus, please <u>complete the form</u> or call the hotline: (757)858-7777

### Norfolk

#### Corona/COVID-19 Aid 757

We are a group of autonomous individuals attempting to alleviate stress and slow/stop the spread of Coronavirus/COVID-19 in our community. We are all volunteers. If you need someone to go to the grocery store for you, make deliveries, run other errands, or just be around to listen, please contact us. We will connect you with a volunteer who is willing to get you what you need, at no profit at all.

If you have questions or would like to volunteer, please email us at <u>CoronaAid757@gmail.com</u> Please join our Facebook group, if you haven't already: https://www.facebook.com/groups/510830746536540

