State and Local Financial Resources for Families

Food Assistance

Applications for Food Stamps (SNAP) are available at

<u>https://portal.ct.gov/DSS/SNAP/Supplemental-Nutrition-Assistance-Program</u> or by calling 211.

WLPS Grab and Go meals

Pick up times for meals at Windsor Locks High School: (check district website often for any changes or updates to this)

Mondays 11:30 am - 12:30 pm

Thursdays 11:30 am - 12:30 pm

Call our Food Service line at 860-292-5710 or send email to Christie.Palmer@sodexo.com Leave the following information:

- First and Last Name
- Student Lunch Pin Code
- Any known allergies
- Contact Phone Number

Windsor Locks FoodShelf

Pick up times for pantry items at Windsor Locks Town Hall: Thursdays 2am - 6pm; Proof of residency and income required

Pauline's Stockpot Kitchen

Wesley United Methodist Church- No residency restrictions 55 North Main Street East Windsor, CT More information available at <u>Pauline's Stockpot Kitchen</u>

<u>Windsor Locks Mobile Foodshare</u> Text FOODSHARE to 855-11 for more information

Enfield Loaves and Fishes

St. Andrew's Church Hall 28 Prospect St Enfield, CT Please call 860-741-0226 for information or visit <u>Enfieldloavesandfishes.com</u>

Health Insurance Assistance

Access Health CT

If you need health insurance due to the loss of a job or if you meet income guidelines, contact Access Health CT at 1-855-805-4325.

<u>HUSKY</u>

You may qualify for HUSKY, the state's Medicaid health insurance by visiting <u>http://www.connect.ct.gov</u>

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Housing/Utilities Assistance

Housing Protections

Procedures for evicting tenants in Connecticut's housing court have been suspended until at least April 1. This means that people facing evictions may get some relief. If a person has an eviction pending, they can call the housing session where their home is located or Statewide Legal Services for more information at 800-453-3320.

Utilities and Fuel Delivery

CT banned all utility shut offs during the crisis. Families facing shutoff or whose utilities were shutoff should call the Public Utility Authority (PURA) at 1-800-382-4586.

Energy Assistance/Fuel Oil

The ban on utility shut offs does **not** apply to fuel oil. Operation Fuel is taking applications for help and can be reached out 860-243-2346 or at <u>http://www.info@operationfuel.org</u>

Income Assistance

<u>Income Security Public Assistance</u> Temporary Assistance for Needy Families These are cash benefits available online at <u>https://portal.ct.gov/DSS/Economic-Security/Economic-Security</u>

Unemployment Insurance Benefits

If you lost your job you can file for unemployment benefits at <u>http://www.filectui.com</u>

Temporary Employment Opportunities

Essential businesses currently hiring include (but are not limited to): Amazon CVS Dollar General Dominoes Geissler's Stop and Shop WalMart

Windsor Locks Department of Social Services

Heidi Gilmore, Director of Social Services Available by phone at 860-627-1446 Monday through Wednesday 8am to 4pm Thursday 8am to 6pm