## **Restoring Families and Supporting Small Business**

# COVID-19 COMMUNITY RESOURCE GUIDE

GENERAL

**SMALL BUSINESS** 

**EMPLOYMENT** 

**HEALTH AND NUTRITION** 

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# **General Information**

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## **Centers for Disease Control and Prevention**

The CDC is the best source of news and information on the COVID-19 outbreak. <u>https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov</u>



## Florida Health

For access to the latest COVID-19 information in Florida, visit the FloridaHealth website at <u>https://floridahealthcovid19.gov/</u>24/7 Hotline: 866-779-6121



#### **Palm Beach County**

Access the latest COVID-19 news, conferences and testing site information provided by Palm Beach County officials at <u>http://discover.pbcgov.org/coronavirus</u>



#### Dial 211

For access to information on various resources, please dial 211 or visit the 211 website at <u>https://211palmbeach.org/coronavirus</u>



## Florida Department of Children and Families

Access information on the DCF SNAP program and other services on the website at <u>https://www.myflfamilies.com/covid19/</u>



#### **United Way of Palm Beach County**

United Way will provide assistance to nonprofit organizations whose staff, services and clients have been impacted by COVID-19. Funding priorities include emergency food, shelter, access to healthcare and other basic needs. <u>https://unitedwaypbc.org/coronavirus/</u>

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# **Small Business**

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### Florida Disaster Loan

The Florida Small Business Emergency Bridge Loan Program is currently available to small business owners. \$50,000 max per business. Available March 17 - May 8, 2020. http://floridajobs.org/rebuildflorida/businessrecovery

### **Small Business Administration (SBA)**



The SBA provides low-interest disaster loans to help businesses recover from declared disasters. The Economic Injury Disaster Loan offers up to \$2 million for disaster relief. <u>https://covid19relief.sba.gov/</u>

### **Paycheck Protection Program**

The SBA Paycheck Protection Program, which will distribute \$350 billion in 100% federally guaranteed loans to small businesses. https://www.sba.gov/funding-programs/loans/paycheck-protection-program/



### Florida Disaster biz

FloridaDisaster biz provides businesses access to critical information before, during and after a disaster. It is a partnership between the Florida Department of Economic Opportunity (DEO) and the Florida Division of Emergency Management (DEM) <u>https://floridadisaster.biz/</u>



#### **SBDC Florida**

SBDC Florida will provide small business preparedness, and recovery resources for COVID-19 <u>http://floridasbdc.org/</u>



#### **Business Development Board Palm Beach County**

The BDB will provide COVID-19 information and resources for small and large businesses. <u>https://www.bdb.org</u>

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### **Florida Jobs**

File your Reemployment Assistance Claim through CONNECT, Florida's online Reemployment Assistance System. <u>http://floridajobs.org/Reemployment-Assistance-Service-Center</u>



#### **Employ Florida**

Employ Florida provides a disaster recovery jobs portal to assist businesses and job seekers. https://www.employflorida.com/



#### **Career Source**

Career Source Palm Beach County provides tools and resources for businesses and job seekers, and facilitates unemployment and reemployment claims. <u>https://careersourcepbc.com/</u>



#### IRS

Treasury, IRS and Labor announce plan to implement Coronavirusrelated paid leave for workers and tax credits for small and midsize businesses to swiftly recover the cost of providing Coronavirusrelated leave. <u>https://www.irs.gov/</u>

#### **Economic Impact Payments**

Everything you need to know concerning the Coronavirus Tax Relief and Impact Payments. <u>https://www.irs.gov/coronavirus</u>

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# **Health and Nutrition**

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#### **Florida Blue**

A 24-7 helpline is now open for all Floridians - no matter whether they are Florida Blue members or not - to help individuals cope with the stress and anxiety they may be feeling given the COVID-19 public health care crisis. 833-848-1762 https://www.floridablue.com/blog/support-line

#### **Palm Beach County School District**

The School District will continue to provide meals for students while schools are closed. Thirty-five sites across Palm Beach County will be distributing 'Grab and Go' bags filled with breakfast, lunch, supper, and a snack. Child is no longer required to be present. https://www.palmbeachschools.org/



#### Summer BreakSpot

The Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services (FDACS) activated their Summer BreakSpot website, where families can find free meals for children under 18 during the current coronavirus school closures. The meal locations may be found at: https://summerbreakspot.freshfromflorida.com/



#### **PBC Senior Centers and Congregate Meal Programs**

For resources on PBC senior centers and meal programs, call the Elder Help Line: 1-866-684-5885 or visit: http://discover.pbcgov.org/



#### **Feeding South Florida**

Feeding South Florida is committed to serving the community during this rapidly evolving and unprecedented time of increased need. Visit the website at: https://feedingsouthflorida.org/

## LOCAL SENIOR **Shopping Hours**

Tues. & Wed. 7-8 am

Tues. first hour of business

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#### Winn Dixie

Mon. - Fri. 8-9 am

Tues. & Thrus. 9 - 10 am



Daily, First Hour

of Business



8 - 9 am





Mon. - Fri 8 - 9 am

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# **Additional Resources**

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#### Fannie and Freddie Mortgage Holders



Fannie and Freddie loan holders can get on a repayment plan, which allows them to gradually repay the missed payments month over month; defer the payments, adding them to the end of their loan term; or modify their loan, changing their terms and monthly payments entirely. Learn more at: Fannie Mae: <u>https://www.knowyouroptions.com/loanlookup</u> and Freddie Mac: <u>https://ww3.freddiemac.com/loanlookup/</u>



#### **Department of Education (DOE)**

New Grant Competition to Spark Student-Centered, Agile Learning Opportunities to Support Recovery from National Emergency. States can compete for more than \$300 million to rethink education by creating flexible K-12 models, developing postsecondary tools that aid economic recovery. https://www.ed.gov/



#### (DOE) Office of Elementary & Secondary Education

The Education Stabilization Fund-Rethink K12 Education Models Grants (ESF-REM Grants) provide support to State educational agencies (SEAs) in States with the highest coronavirus burden to address specific educational needs of students, their parents, and teachers in public and non-public elementary and secondary schools in accordance with section 18001(a)(3) of the CARES Act. https://oese.ed.gov/offices/education-stabilization-fund/states-highest-coronavirus-burden/



#### **Community Development Financial Institution (CDFI)**

Community Development Financial Institution (CDFI) Certification is a designation given by the CDFI Fund to specialized organizations that provide financial services in low-income communities and to people who lack access to financing. <u>https://www.cdfifund.gov/Pages/default.aspx</u>

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