



Social Services JULY 2020

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SOCIAL SERVICES IS HERE FOR YOU:

We are working on an ongoing basis to continue to address the needs of our clients in accordance with Government, State and Town recommendations and instructions. If you are in need of assistance or have any questions or concerns with regard to any of our services, the Social Services staff is available Monday through Friday 8am-5pm to assist you. Please call 860-285-1839.

SOCIAL SERVICES COVID-19 RESOURCE GUIDE

The Social Services Department has prepared a COVID-19 Resource Guide which provides a lot of helpful information to our neighbors in need. Please visit our website at <https://townofwindsorct.com/social-services/> and follow the link in the top of our page for view this important information.

UNITED WAY COVID-19 RESPONSE FUND

The Windsor COVID-19 Response Fund provides financial resources to qualifying ALICE (Asset Limited, Income Constrained, and Employed) households, in addition to those below poverty level. If you or an individual or family have been economically affected by the COVID-19 pandemic, please contact us at 860- 285-1839, to determine your eligibility. Funding is based on qualification and availability.

WINDSOR FOOD BANK ACCEPTING DONATIONS AGAIN

Windsor Food Bank is now accepting food donations during limited hours. Please call 860-285-1839 to schedule an appointment to make a food donation.

WINDSOR FOOD BANK IS STILL HERE TO SERVE YOU CHANGE OF HOURS AND PROCESS

In an effort to follow social distancing guidelines and keep everyone safe, the Windsor Food Bank is currently making pre-packed distributions outside the building. Clients check in thru our office window and space apart until their distribution is read for pickup. We would ask and greatly appreciate when visiting the food bank, that you please be aware of our signage instructions.

Limited Food Bank Hours

Monday & Tuesday 9:00 AM-11:00 AM
Wednesday & Thursday 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

GROCERIES TO GO distributions for seniors are being made outside the food bank on the dates and time at the bottom of this page. Please follow posted directions at event. If you have questions, please call Deb Sheldon at 860-285-1839.

FREE SUMMER MEALS FOR WINDSOR CHILDREN 18 AND YOUNGER

Windsor Food Service will be distributing **FREE** lunch and next day breakfast from July 1st thru August 21st (no July 3rd) at the following sites:
Windsor High School—11:30-12:45
Oliver Ellsworth School—11:30-12:30
Wilson Public Library—11:15-12:30

FOODSHARE RENTSCHLER FIELD DISTRIBUTIONS

Foodshare **MAY** CONTINUE DAILY DISTRIBUTIONS of food to the greater Hartford community thru July 31st at Rentschler Field, 615 Silver La., East Hartford from 8:30 am-12:00 noon. **PLEASE CONFIRM** this on their website or call 860-286-9999 prior to attending.



GROCERIES TO GO
July 10th & 24th
10:30 AM—11:30 AM
OUTSIDE THE WINDSOR FOOD BANK



MOBILE FOODSHARE
July 1st, 15th & 29th
1:30 PM -2:00 PM
Hopewell Baptist Church, 280 Windsor Ave.

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ENERGY ASSISTANCE UPDATE

If you are in need of utility assistance (electric, gas and water), please call Eliana Medina-James at 860-285-1839 to discuss the qualifications and see if you qualify.

GRANDPARENT/KIN RAISING GRANDCHILDREN

If you are a grandparent or kin raising children, you may be eligible for a week of camp this summer at no cost. Call Deb Sheldon for details at 860-285-1839.

INSURANCE INFORMATION

Losing your job or simply losing health coverage from your job are both qualifying life events and could make you eligible for discounted or even free health coverage.

You have 60 day from the time that you lose your health coverage to contact **AccessHealthCT.com** or call their call center to enroll. 855-805-4325.

Attention Anthem members: Here is some important for Anthem Blue Cross Blue Shield members during this difficult time:

- 24-hour Nurse Line: 888-220-3891 / 800-337-4770
- Members can have an easy and convenient access to doctors and licensed psychologist or therapists from the comfort of their homes with LiveHealth Online. You can Sign up at www.livehealthonline.com
- In case a member wants to work out from home, SilverSneakers is offering OnDemand classes and workshops available 24-7 through the SilverSneakers member portal www.SilverSneakers.com

If you have any questions about insurance benefits, call Maggie Goodman at Social Services

VETERANS COFFEE HOUR

The Senior Center Veteran's Coffee hour is not currently hosting on site meetings.

MONTHLY GROUPS

Windsor C.A.R.E.S.: This is a group of adults who are committed to volunteerism. The group takes on community service projects for people of all ages. This group is currently not holding on site meetings. Please call Deb Sheldon for more information at 860-285-1839.

Diabetic Support Group: This group meets monthly for support and conversation and is open to all diabetics and their family members. There will be no meetings during the months of June, July or August. Call Andy Price for more information at 860-285-1839.

VETERAN'S COUNSELING

CALL **860-563-8800** TO SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT.

WIC IN WINDSOR

WIC— Women, Infants, Children—is a supplemental nutrition program providing education and foods to young women and children. Call 860-757-4860 to schedule an appointment.

WINDSOR HUNGER ACTION TEAM

Windsor HAT meets the 1st Wednesday of each month at 9 AM. Join the conversation as we work together to identify issues and to find solutions to help to eliminate hunger in our local community. Next meeting will be **Wednesday, July 1st**. Contact Susan Nunes for meeting information at 860-285-1839.

JULY SNAP OUTREACH

Supplemental Nutritional Assistance Program. For assistance in applying for SNAP benefit, please call Foodshare at 860-285-9999 and ask for SNAP Outreach.

Meet the Social Services Staff

Enita Jubrey, Social Services Director

Jasmine Hall, Dept. Coordinator
Maggie Goodman, Caseworker &
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Susan Nunes, Administrative Aide

Andy Price, Caseworker
Deb Sheldon, Caseworker
Eliana Medina-James, Caseworker
Ted Hughes, Food Bank

