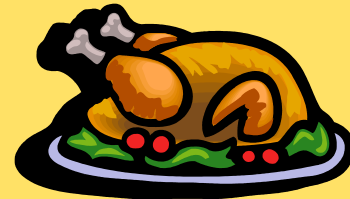




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ARE YOU FACING EVICTION?

REMEMBER-there is no CDC Moratorium

Persons who have received a *notice to quit possession* should contact **Statewide Legal Services of CT (SLS)** at 860-344-0380 or 1-800-453-3320. Advice or referral from SLS is limited to members of households with income below 125% of the federal poverty guidelines.

Persons who receive a *summary process execution for possession* should contact **legal representation RIGHT AWAY!** When someone has received a summary process execution, time is of the essence! Call Greater Hartford Legal Aid directly at **860-541-5000** and tell the receptionist that they have received a summary process execution, and in which town they live.

UNITECT -EMERGENCY MONETARY HELP FOR RENTERS

Are you struggling to pay your rent and utilities **due to Covid-19**? You may qualify for the opportunity to receive -

- Missed gas and electric outstanding payments
- Missed rent or future rent payments.

UniteCT may pay the arrears accrued after March 13, 2020. Unite CT is a CT Dept. of Housing rental assistance program supporting CT residents who earn up to 80% of the HUD Area Median Income and their landlords. For more information about the Unite CT program and how to apply visit: www.bit.ly/UniteCT

Legal resources for CT residents

This FREE service is available from several nonprofit legal aid organizations in CT. Their information is pooled under one website: www.CTLawHelp.org.

SOMETHING TO BE THANKFUL FOR IN NOVEMBER

During the month of November, we at Social Services are thankful for everyone who makes a difference in our community and beyond. What are you thankful for

TURKEY PROGRAM

If you are a member of the Windsor Food Bank and have signed up to receive a turkey or chicken, please be sure to pick up your turkey on Thursday, November 18th between 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM or 5:00 to 6:00 PM at the L.P. Wilson Food Bank. This will be a drive thru distribution. Please follow signs posted and be sure to wear your facemask as we put your turkey in your car.

This program is offered to active food bank members and pre-registration is required. *No walk-ins will be accepted on the turkey distribution day.*

PROJECT SANTA 2021

The holidays are near and it is time to think about gifts for your children. Project Santa is a program available to qualified families with children age 15 and younger. This program is thru the First Town Downtown in collaboration with Social Services.

This year's program letter with requirements and application information can be found in your student's virtual backpack thru the Windsor Public Schools. You can also find the letter on the front page of our website www.townofwindsorct.com/socialservices. Call 860-285-1839 with any questions.

SOCIAL SERVICES COVID-19 RESOURCE GUIDE

Visit <https://townofwindsorct.com/social-services/> and follow the link in the top of our page for to view this guide for updated important information.



GROCERIES TO GO
Nov. 12th
10:30 AM—11:30 AM
OUTSIDE THE WINDSOR FOOD BANK



MOBILE FOODSHARE
Nov. 3rd & 17th
1:30 PM -2:00 PM
Hopewell Baptist Church, 280 Windsor

Social Services NOVEMBER news

MEDICARE Open Enrollment ANNUAL ELECTION PERIOD

Medicare Open Enrollment runs from October 15th thru December 7th. For information, resources and appropriate referral please call Maggie Goodman at 860-285-1839.

INFORMATIVE SEMINAR ON MEDICARE CHANGES FOR 2022

medicare Do you know what plan
is right for you?

Please join us for a discussion on Medicare and changes to the 2022 Medicare Plans. Guest speaker: John Sheerin from The Senior Source, LLC.

This event will be held on **Thursday, October 28th, OR Tuesday, November 30th, from 10:30am – 12:00pm** at the L.P. Wilson Community Center, All Purpose One Room. RSVP to Susan Nunes at 860-285-1839.

ANTHEM COFFEE SOCIAL

Join us to learn more about Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield Medicare benefits for 2022 and find out if their plan are right for you. Anthem BCBS can also answer your questions about Medicare and explain your options during open enrollment. There is no obligation to enroll in a plan if you attend.

This event will be held on **Monday, November 1st from 10:30am-12:00pm** in the All Purpose One Room at the LP Wilson Community Center. RSVP to Susan Nunes at 860-285-1839.

CLOSINGS IN NOVEMBER:

Thursday, November 11th, Veteran's Day.
Thursday, November 25th, Thanksgiving
Friday, November 26th, holiday weekend
LP Wilson Closed. Food bank closed.

Thursday, November 18th Turkey distribution
*The Windsor Food Bank will be closed shifts
on turkey distribution day.*

ENERGY ASSISTANCE UPDATE

Connecticut's protection against utility shutoffs has ended, effective September 15, 2021. However there are resources that are available. If you are struggling to pay your electric, water, or other utilities, you can apply for help through Operation Fuel. Call Eliana Medina-James at 860-285-1839 to discuss qualifications and see if you qualify. Or get coded for Hardship or Winter Protection, this protects your service until May 1, 2021. Ask your utility company about payment plans: For heat: CNG: 860-524-8361. For electricity: Eversource: call 860-286-2000. CT Public Utilities Regulatory Authority-1-800-382-4586. Ask for affordable payment plan.

CRT ENERGY ASSISTANCE

CRT is currently scheduling appointments for the fall/winter heating season. If you are have trouble paying your home heating bills, call 860-560-2694 to schedule your appointment.

MONTHLY GROUPS:

Windsor CARES and the Diabetic Support Group will NOT be meeting in person due to COVID-19. The Hunger Action Team will be meeting. For information about these groups, call 860-285-1839.

NEW SUPPORT GROUP TEENS THRIVING TODAY

Teens Thriving Today is and all inclusive youth led support group for teens 14-16 yrs. Learn from peers in a supportive environment. Meet people, eat snacks, learn something new and have fun!

Group will be held Mondays—5-6:30 starting 9/27-11/1 at the LP Wilson Community Center, All Purpose One Room. Call Jasmine Hall to sign up. 860-285-1839.

<https://teensthivingtoday.wixsite.com/teensthivingtoday>

WINDSOR C.A.R.E.S SOCKTOBER NEW WINTER SOCK COLLECTION

C.A.R.E.S. is collecting NEW winter socks to be distributed this holiday season to those in need. NEWsocks can be dropped off at Social Services. If you have any questions call Deb at 860-285-1839.

Meet the Social Services Staff

Enita Jubrey, Social Services Director

Jasmine Hall, Dept. Coordinator
Maggie Goodman, Caseworker &
Municipal Veteran's Svc. Contact
Susan Nunes, Administrative Aide

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

