COVID-19 Emergency Resources

EMPLOYMENT

Filing for Unemployment

- This article outlines how to apply for unemployment if you are laid off due to the COVID-19 outbreak.
- The <u>Dept. of Labor</u> has listed a schedule and guidelines for applying for unemployment.

FOOD

Bridge Card

Register for Food Assistance Programs and get access to a <u>Bridge Card</u>

DPSCD: Meals for K-12 Students

- Beginning on Thursday, March 26, from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m., a revised list of 17 schools (see below) will
 offer students/families a bag of four pre-cooked breakfast meals and four pre-cooked lunches
- Food distribution will continue every subsequent Monday and Thursday. On Monday, three precooked breakfast meals will be provided along with three pre-cooked lunches. On Thursdays, once again, four pre-cooked breakfasts and lunches will be provided.
- See all 17 locations here.

Gleaners Food Bank of Southeastern Michigan

- Stop by their food pantry or find a location near you
- Check <u>here</u> for additional services provided due to increased closures.

Catholic Charities of Southeast Michigan

- A valid ID (MI State ID, driver's license, health insurance card, etc.) and proof of address are required for each family member for whom food is requested
- Check <u>here</u> for soup kitchen and pantry hours

St. Christine Christian Services

- No residency requirement for Saturday pick-up. For Tuesday pick-up, persons must live in Detroit Zip Codes 48219 and 48223. MUST provide proof of residency with current Michigan ID, DTE bill or copy of rent/lease agreement.
- Pick-up times: Tuesday from 1pm-4pm and Saturday from 12pm-1:30pm
- Check <u>here</u> for services and locations

Brightmoor Connection Food Pantry

- Location: 16621 Lahser Rd, Detroit, Michigan 48219 (Entrance in the rear)
- Check <u>here</u> for services and hours

HOUSING

Covenant House Michigan

• Find safe housing through the Covenant House by going to its website

Detroit Rescue Mission Ministries

Find different types of housing services and locations on their <u>website</u>

UTILITIES

Comcast

• Comcast is offering in-home 25/3 Mbps wifi for \$10/month with your first two months free if you are a new customer. Sign up here.



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DTE

• DTE is offering assistance and payment plans to those who are unable to pay bills during the pandemic. Learn more here.

Detroit Water Services

- DWSD is ensuring water services to Detroit during the outbreak. For the first 30 days, the State of Michigan will cover costs to restore water. After 30 days, for only \$25 per month, customers without water can have it restored; those at risk and not in a current plan can avoid service interruption.
- Learn more here.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Michigan Resources

- Search for housing, food, and essential support through 2-1-1- Michigan.
- Check <u>here</u> for updated Detroit resources including food, diapers, and utilities.
- Check here for hotline numbers by hospital and county for the most up-to-date information.

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

 Stay updated on national and global news, and find the latest healthcare resources on the CDC's website.

News Coverage

- The Associated Press News
- National Public Radio