

COVID-19 Benefits & Resource Document

2-1-1 for Greater Atlanta	www.unitedwayatlanta.org
2-1-1 is a free referral resource to connect you to essential health and human services. They are ready to support those who find themselves in need during this uncertain time. You can text GACOV19 to 898-211 . Highlights: Mobile App Available, Chat Support Available	
2-1-1 for United Way of Northeast Georgia	www.unitedwaynega.org
United Way of Northeast Georgia's 211 Contact Center connects families with the community-based resources they need to thrive – resources that can assist with basic needs.	
American Red Cross Safety Tips	
https://www.redcross.org/get-help/how-to-prepare-for-emergencies/types-of-emergencies/coronavirus-safety	
Benefits.gov	www.benefits.gov/help/faq/Coronavirus-resources
Resources for COVID-19 to increase citizen's awareness of benefits.	
Center for Disease Control & Prevention	www.cdc.gov
Provides information on COVID-19 and latest information concerning the novel coronavirus outbreak.	
Community Assistance Center	www.ourcac.org
https://www.ourcac.org/2020/04/09/cvirisplans/	
In response to the COVID-19 (coronavirus) outbreak, CAC has modified services to focus on serving families and individuals who have been hit the hardest by loss of income. CAC is concentrating efforts on providing food to families that need support and providing financial assistance to make sure that people can stay in their homes. CAC is the first line of response for people who need support to prevent homelessness and hunger in the communities of Sandy Springs, Dunwoody and the area of Doraville served by Dunwoody schools.	
Consumer Report	www.consumerreports.org
What to Do If You're Having Trouble Paying Bills, go to:	
https://www.consumerreports.org/personal-finance/trouble-paying-bills-coronaviruspandemic/	
Coronavirus.gov	www.coronavirus.gov
Resources for households, people who are sick, small business owners, schools, and more.	

COVID-19 TESTING OPTIONS

(*If you have symptoms of fever, cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, chills, repeated shaking with chills, muscle pain, headache, sore throat, new loss of taste or smell, contact your medical provider. (**Note:** This list is not all inclusive. Please consult your medical provider for any other symptoms that are severe or concerning.)

(*If you develop emergency warning signs for COVID-19, get medical attention immediately. Emergency warning signs include: trouble breathing, persistent pain or pressure in the chest, new confusion or inability to arouse, bluish lips or face). **Call 911** if you have a medical emergency. Notify the operator that you have, or think you might have, COVID-19. If possible, put on a cloth face covering before medical help arrives.

**Information from CDC.gov*

COVID-19 Testing Sites: www.cvs.com/minuteclinic/covid-19-testing

Free Virtual Screenings: www.Virtualexpress.org www.Augustahealth.org

Department of Labor

www.dol.gov/agencies/whd/ffcra

Temporary Rule: Paid Leave under the Families First Coronavirus Response Act

www.dol.gov/agencies/whd/fmla/pandemic

Provides information on Emergency Paid Sick Leave Act and Emergency Family and Medical Leave Expansion Act, Family and Medical Leave Act (job protected, unpaid leave if caring for those with COVID-19).

Federal Housing Finance Agency

www.fhfa.gov/Homeownersbuyer/MortgageAssistance

Provides information on Mortgage Relief: no late fees, no delinquencies reported to credit bureaus, foreclosures and legal proceedings suspended.

Food Banks, Meal Programs and Food/Grocery Delivery

Atlanta Food Bank – www.acfb.org

National Foodbanks and Meal Programs. To find your local area, go to:

<https://www.feedingamerica.org/find-your-local-foodbank>

Groceries delivered in your area, go to www.instacart.com, www.grubhub.com, www.peapod.com

CVS Free Delivery: <https://www.cvs.com/content/delivery/shop-online>

Walgreens in partnership with Postmates

https://www.walgreens.com/topic/promotion/postmates.jsp?ban=dl_dlhp_03292020_Hero_Postmates

Georgia Department of Public Health**www.dph.georgia.gov/covid-19**

Receive recent updates on public health during the recent COVID-19 pandemic. Also, can receive alerts because the Georgia Department of Public Health is partnering with Georgia Poison Center and PunchAlert to provide you with the latest alerts, information and recommendations from local governmental officials. PunchAlert is free and allows you to receive instant updates for COVID-19.

Text one of the following phrases to 77297:

- COVIDGAGEN for General Public Messages (English)
- COVIDGAESP for General Public Messages (Spanish)

Fulton County Residents can go to: www.fultoncountyboh.org

Georgia Legal Aid Society**www.georgialegalaid.org**

Assistance with unemployment, filing for benefits and the Pandemic Unemployment Assistance under the CARES Act, evictions, etc.

Georgia Power**www.georgiapower.com/covid-19**

As of March 14, 2020, Georgia Power temporarily suspended residential and business disconnections as a result of COVID-19. As the pandemic continues to impact our customers across the state, our suspension of disconnects has been extended. Go to website to receive additional updates.

Housing & Urban Development**www.HUD.gov**

What to do if you are having problems paying rent or mortgage

Mortgage Payment Relief:

www.thedailybeast.com/during-coronavirus-do-i-have-to-pay-my-rent-or-mortgage

Additional websites for rent and/or mortgage relief:

www.cnbc.com/2020/03/18/what-to-do-if-you-cant-make-your-rent-or-mortgagepayments.html

www.forbes.com/sites/advisor/2020/03/20/mortgage-relief-tracker-covid-19-relieffor-homeowners-and-renters/#3013e67a2f19

www.atlantahousing.org/COVID19/

Office of the Attorney General**www.Georgia.gov**

Provides information for public health, state services in Georgia, consumer information, services and assistance programs (SNAP and other social benefit programs, Medicaid and health benefits, unemployment services, veterans services and other assistance programs during the COVID-19 outbreak.)

Office of the Attorney General	www.aging.dhr.georgia.gov
<p>The <i>Georgia Advance Directive</i> for Health Care is an attempt to combine the best features of the Living Will and Durable Power of Attorney for Health Care. The Division of Aging Services provides free information forms on the Georgia Advance Directive for Healthcare. For more information, contact the Division of Aging Services at 404-657-5319 or go to the Division's website and click on Publications on the left.</p>	
Ready.gov	www.ready.gov
<p>A national public service campaign designed to educate the American people to prepare for emergencies.</p>	
Salvation Army COVID-19 Response/Get Help	
www.salvationarmyusa.org/usn/covid19/	
Small Business Administration	www.SBA.gov
<p>Small Business Guidance, Loan and Debt Relief Options go to:</p>	
www.sba.gov/page/coronavirus-covid-19-small-business-guidance-loan-resources	
U.S. Department of Education	www.Ed.gov
<p>Student Loans Relief: forbearance information for students, borrowers, and parents.</p>	
<p>Suspend Federal Student Loan Payments, Waives Interest during national emergency</p>	
www.ed.gov/news/press-releases/delivering-president-trumps-promises-secretary-devos-suspends-federal-student-loan-payments-waives-interest-during-national-emergency	
StudentAid.gov	
<p>Federal Student Aid – www.studentaid.gov/announcements-events/coronavirus</p>	
USA.gov	www.usa.gov/disaster-financial-help
<p>Information for Financial Assistance after a Disaster.</p>	
<p>Unemployment Assistance - www.usa.gov/unemployment</p>	
Dept of Labor Occupational Safety & Health Administration www.osha.gov/SLTC/covid-19	
<p>Information for workers and employers about the evolving coronavirus outbreak.</p>	