

**Passaic County/ New Jersey Resource List During COVID-19**

**General Resources:**

<b>Resource/Agency</b>	<b>Services Offered</b>	<b>Contact/ Address</b>	<b>Link to Apply</b>	<b>COVID-19 Status</b>
NJ 2-1-1	Find state or local health and human service resources to address urgent needs or everyday concerns. Services are free, confidential, and multilingual.	<p>You can reach NJ 2-1-1 by dialing 2-1-1 from any landline or cell phone. We are here 24 hours a day, every day of the year. You can also reach us by texting your zip code to 898-211 and you can chat with us online now by clicking the Chat Now icon on this, and every page, of our website.</p> <p><a href="https://www.nj211.org/">https://www.nj211.org/</a></p>		
NJ TANF	TANF	<p>Passaic County Board of Social Services 80 Hamilton Street Paterson, NJ (973) 881-0100 Hours: 7:30 AM - 4:30 PM (Doors are closed to the public at 4:15 PM) M-F</p> <p>Satellite Office 114 Prospect Street Passaic, NJ 07055 (973) 470-5038 Hours: 7:30 AM- 3:30 PM M-F</p>	<p>Link to screening if family will qualify for services: <a href="https://www.njhel.ps.org/">https://www.njhel.ps.org/</a></p> <p>Online Application: <a href="https://oneapp.dhs.state.nj.us/Forms/SignIn/frmStart.aspx">https://oneapp.dhs.state.nj.us/Forms/SignIn/frmStart.aspx</a></p>	<p>COVID-19 Updates: <a href="https://www.childcarenj.gov/SocialServices">https://www.childcarenj.gov/SocialServices</a></p>

Resource Guide for New Jersey Residents during COVID-19	Includes resources and FAQ for unemployment, emergency paid leave, cash payments, immigrants, frontline workers, homeowners and renters, at-risk and elderly, veterans, small businesses		Link to guide: <a href="https://www.booker.senate.gov/imo/media/doc/Office%20of%20U.S.%20Sen%20Cory%20Booker_%20A%20Coronavirus%20Pandemic%20Resource%20Guide%20for%20NJ%20(Updated%20April%204,%202020)%20(7).pdf">https://www.booker.senate.gov/imo/media/doc/Office%20of%20U.S.%20Sen%20Cory%20Booker_%20A%20Coronavirus%20Pandemic%20Resource%20Guide%20for%20NJ%20(Updated%20April%204,%202020)%20(7).pdf</a>	
COVID-19 Cash Payments	Over 92% of single tax filers in New Jersey will receive payments up to \$1,200 and eight-in-ten joint filers in New Jersey will receive up to \$2,400. An additional \$500 payment will be distributed to eligible households for each qualifying child under age 17.		See guide above that highlights FAQ for cash payments  Link to more information: <a href="https://www.irs.gov/coronavirus/economic-impact-payment-information-center">https://www.irs.gov/coronavirus/economic-impact-payment-information-center</a>	
NJ Department of Health 24-hour Hotline	For the public to ask questions about COVID-19	1-800-222-1222  The call is always free, and we can communicate in any language to the public		

**Food Resources:**

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NJ SNAP	SNAP benefits	Passaic County Board of Social	Link to screening if family will	COVID-19 Updates: <a href="https://www.childcarenj.gov">https://www.childcarenj.gov</a>

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Oasis: A Haven for Women and Children	“Grab and Go” Meals	<p>59 Mill Street Paterson, NJ 07501 (973) 881-8307</p> <p><a href="https://oasisnj.org">https://oasisnj.org</a></p>		<p>Offering "grab and go" meals at lunchtime and distributing emergency food packages, cleaning supplies, and baby diapers to the community from 10am - 2pm Monday-Friday</p>
New Hope Community Ministries	Food Pantry: serving families that live in Haledon, Prospect Park and Hawthorne	<p>331 N. 11TH ST, Prospect Park, NJ</p>		<p>Call 973-942-4059 before visiting the Food Pantry Hours: Monday-Friday 10am-2pm</p> <p>Response to COVID-19: <a href="https://mailchi.mp/da2f2dda7023/building-a-strong-foundation-2706211">https://mailchi.mp/da2f2dda7023/building-a-strong-foundation-2706211</a></p>
Catholic Charities, Diocese of Paterson Food Pantries	Food Pantry	<p>435 Main Street, Paterson, NJ</p> <p>(973) 279-7100 Ext. 2018</p>		<p>Passaic County Father English Food Pantry</p> <p>Hours of Operation: Monday - Friday 9:00AM - 12:00PM</p> <p>Delivers Food to At-risk and Elderly in Passaic County</p>

				Call 973-209-0123
Eva's Village	Community Kitchen	973-523-6220 393 Main Street Paterson, NJ		To-go meals will be handed out at 12 p.m and 1 p.m., Monday-Friday. Extra meals will be given on Fridays so people will have enough through the weekend.  Response to COVID-19: <a href="https://www.evasvillage.org/evas-community-kitchen.html">https://www.evasvillage.org/evas-community-kitchen.html</a>
CUMAC	Food Pantry	973-742-5518 223 Ellison St Paterson, NJ		Monday- Friday: 11:00am-3:00pm  Evening Pick up on Wednesday: 4:30pm-6:00pm  New recipients must bring an ID and ID of family members that you are receiving food for  Response to COVID-19: <a href="https://www.cumac.org/blog">https://www.cumac.org/blog</a>
No Kid Hungry	Free Meal Finder Service for Children	<b>Text "food" to 8787</b> <b>Text "comida" to 8787 for Spanish</b>		<a href="https://www.nokidhungry.org/blog/can-kids-really-get-free-meals-just-sending-text-message">https://www.nokidhungry.org/blog/can-kids-really-get-free-meals-just-sending-text-message</a>

### Employment Resources:

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NJ Unemployment Insurance	Unemployment benefits		Apply online or by phone - North Jersey Number: 201-601-4100	NJ COVID-19 Updates: <a href="https://myunemployment.nj.gov/labor/myunemployment/covidFAQ.shtml">https://myunemployment.nj.gov/labor/myunemployment/covidFAQ.shtml</a>

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**Housing/Utility Resources:**

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Homeslessness Prevention Program	Provides limited financial assistance to low- and moderate-income tenants in imminent danger of eviction due to temporary financial problems beyond their control.	Contact Catholic Family and Community Services for Passaic County  24 DeGrasse Street Paterson, NJ 07505  Contact: 973-279-7100 nmansour@catholiccharities.org aalonso@catholiccharities.org  <a href="https://www.catholiccharities.org/cespassaic">https://www.catholiccharities.org/cespassaic</a>		COVID-19 Updates: <a href="https://www.catholiccharities.org/coronahelp">https://www.catholiccharities.org/coronahelp</a>
Center for Family Resources	Utility and Rent assistance	12 Morris Road Ringwood, New Jersey  973-962-0055 Monday-Friday 8:30AM- 4:00PM		Funding for utility or rental assistance: email Janet Maven – <a href="mailto:janetm@cssr.net">janetm@cssr.net</a> for application and if there are funds available at this time
Residential Mortgage Relief	Mortgage Forbearance and Financial	Contact financial institution or servicer directly	List of national banks, state-chartered banks, credit	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 90-day grace period for all mortgage payments</li> <li>● Relief from fees</li> </ul>

	<p>Protections</p>		<p>unions, and servicers who have agreed to provide mortgage forbearance and financial protections</p> <p><a href="https://www.state.nj.us/dobi/covid/mortgagerelief/index.html">https://www.state.nj.us/dobi/covid/mortgagerelief/index.html</a></p>	<p>and charges for 90 days</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No new foreclosures for 60 days</li> <li>• No credit score changes for accessing relief</li> </ul> <p>NJ Response to COVID-19: <a href="https://www.state.nj.us/dobi/covid/mortgagerelief.html">https://www.state.nj.us/dobi/covid/mortgagerelief.html</a></p>
<p>New Jersey Natural Gas Gift of Warmth Application</p>	<p>One-time grant up to \$500 to help households experiencing temporary or unanticipated financial hardship reconnect or continue their natural gas service.</p>	<p>Call 800-221-0051 and say "energy assistance" at the prompt to speak with an NJNG customer service representative.</p> <p><a href="https://www.njng.com/my-account-services/payment-options/PaymentAssistance.aspx">https://www.njng.com/my-account-services/payment-options/PaymentAssistance.aspx</a></p>	<p>Link to application: <a href="https://njng.wufoo.com/forms/mlry6rcm0gcrr44/">https://njng.wufoo.com/forms/mlry6rcm0gcrr44/</a></p>	
<p>Low Income Home Energy Assistance (LIHEAP)</p>	<p>Low-income residents with their heating and cooling bills, and makes provisions for emergency heating system services and emergency fuel assistance within the Home Energy Assistance Program.</p>	<p>1-(800) 510-3102</p> <p>Email: <a href="mailto:Utilityhelp@nj211.org">Utilityhelp@nj211.org</a></p> <p><a href="https://www.nj.gov/dca/divisions/dhcr/offices/hea.html">https://www.nj.gov/dca/divisions/dhcr/offices/hea.html</a></p> <p>Other energy assistance programs: <a href="http://www.nj.gov/bpu/as">www.nj.gov/bpu/as</a></p>	<p>Link to application: <a href="https://www.nj.gov/dca/divisions/dhcr/forms/docs/heappl.pdf">https://www.nj.gov/dca/divisions/dhcr/forms/docs/heappl.pdf</a></p>	

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Payment Assistance for Gas and Electric (PAGE)	state-funded utility assistance program that helps low to moderate income families in New Jersey pay their utility bills.		Link to application: <a href="https://njpoweron.org/page/page-application/">https://njpoweron.org/page/page-application/</a>	
NJ SHARES	<p>provides energy assistance to moderate and fixed-income households experiencing a financial crisis.</p> <p>Our clients are families and individuals who do not qualify for Federal and State assistance programs due to the household's income. NJ SHARES Grant amounts can be up to \$700 for heating source (natural gas - including cooking gas and electric heat), and can be up to \$700 for electric service. Grants must result in continuance and/or restoration of service. Applicants must demonstrate a temporary financial need and a history of good-faith payments to their energy</p>		Link to apply: <a href="http://njshares.org/aboutNJShares/energy-assistance.asp">http://njshares.org/aboutNJShares/energy-assistance.asp</a>	

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**Mental Health/Wellness Services:**

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Jewish Family Service and Children's Center of Clifton-Passaic	Free Online Support Group: The meetings are open to the entire community, to discuss fears, coping mechanisms, and in general to provide support during this challenging time.	110 Main Avenue Passaic, NJ 07055  (973) 777-7638  info@jfsclifton.org		Each night Sunday – Thursday, a JFS therapist will facilitate this meeting from 9:00 – 10:00 PM.  <a href="https://jfsclifton.org/coronavirus-supportgroup/">https://jfsclifton.org/coronavirus-supportgroup/</a>  Response to COVID-19: <a href="https://jfsclifton.org/coronavirus/">https://jfsclifton.org/coronavirus/</a>

**Medical Resources:**

- The Families First Coronavirus Response Act requires health insurers to cover COVID-19 diagnostic testing at no cost to individuals.
- **COVID-19 Symptom Checker:** <https://self.covid19.nj.gov/>
- **Passaic County Drive Thru Screening** at William Paterson University, Passaic County Residents Only - Doctor prescription required to get screening, Hours of Operation: 9:00am-12:00pm, 300 Pompton Road, Wayne, New Jersey 07470, in Lot 6. The entrance is on Hamburg Turnpike and University Boulevard
- **St Joseph's University Medical Center's Covid Hotline** 973-754-3177 - The hours are 8 a.m. - 10 p.m. for general questions and screening information.
- **Hackensack-Meridian Healthcare** - offering \$20.00 telemedicine visits for any NJ resident regardless of insurance status with coupon code HMMH20.

**Internet Resources:**

- **EveryoneOn** offers broadband service to income-eligible families (for example, those that qualify for free or reduced school lunch, or who live in public housing) at a cost of around \$10-12 per month (varies from state-to-state).
- **Optimum:** free service available, please call 866-200-9522, ask for the sales department and let



them know you wish to qualify for free service.

- **Comcast:** connect low-income families to the Internet at home. New Internet Essentials customers will receive two free months of Internet service, which is available to all qualified low-income households for \$9.95/month plus tax. Apply by April 30, 2020. [Learn more here](#)