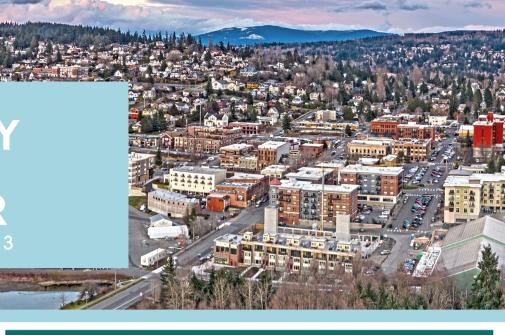


COMMUNITY RESOURCE NEWSLETTER

Week of October 17 - 23



Newsletter Guide

Icon Key:

- S Asset Building Opportunity
- New Resource
- C Updated Resource
- 3-in-30 Survey

About Us

Community Resource Center
1111 Cornwall Ave.
M-F 9am-4pm

Visit <u>whatcomabc.org/crn</u> to learn more about the CRN and to view past newsletters

To subscribe or submit content to the newsletter, email <u>communityresources@oppco.org</u>.

SNAP EMERGENCY ALLOTMENTS ENDING

At this time, with the ending of the Washington state public health emergency on 10/31/2022, DSHS anticipates November 2022 will be the last month of emergency allotments for food benefits. Starting in December, these additional emergency benefits will end and regular benefit amounts will resume.

We anticipate this change will have a significant impact on families and we are here to provide support during this transition. Community members can visit whatcomabc.org, or contact Opportunity Council's Community Resource Center for information and referral to local food resources and other basic needs. Households who have had a change of circumstances may qualify for a higher food benefit amount. Call or visit the Community Resource Center, go to WashingtonConnection.org, or contact DSHS to report changes in household size, income, or expenses.



Community Fridge Now Open

<u>Sustainable Connections is excited to announce the opening of the Freedge</u>, a community fridge packed with free nutritious food. The Feedge is located behind the RE Store, and is open Tuesday – Saturday, 11am– 6pm. The Freedge is stocked weekly with surplus food from local restaurants, schools and medical centers. Donations of unopened non-perishables, individually wrapped baked goods, and hygiene items also accepted.

Resource Guides

Community Resource Library whatcomabc.org/library

Food and Meal Guide
English | Spanish

Homeless Housing Guide English | Spanish

Clothing Resource Guide English | Spanish

Hygiene Guide English | Spanish

Whatcom County COVID-19 Resources

Resources During COVID-19 whatcomabc.org/covid-19

Health Department Info COVID-19 Information

Eviction Prevention Info <u>English</u> | <u>Spanish</u> | <u>Russian</u> | <u>Punjabi</u> | <u>Vietnamese</u>

COMMUNITY NEWS BULLETINS

News, announcements, & community updates

- RFP: Event Planner for April Brews Day fundraiser
- RFP: 3rd-Party Housing Quality Standards (HQS) inspector
- Interfaith Coalition Coat Drive distributions 10/13 27

COMMUNITY EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

Dementia Legal Planning 10/26, 2 - 3:30pm | <u>Webinar Registration</u>

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Cascade Connections: Multiple Openings

Catholic Community Services: Multiple Openings

DVSAS: Multiple Openings
Futures NW: Multiple Openings

Interfaith Coalition: Family Housing Director
Lake Whatcom Center: Multiple Openings
Northwest Regional Council: Multiple Openings
Northwest Workforce Council: Multiple Openings
Northwest Youth Services: Multiple Openings
Opportunity Council: Multiple Openings

Peace Health: Multiple Openings, \$5k sign on bonus offered

Unity Care Northwest: Multiple Openings

Whatcom Council on Aging: Program Concierge

Whatcom County: Response Syst. Supervisor, Behav. Health Spec.

Whatcom Dispute Resolution Center: Multiple Openings

