

COMMUNITY RESOURCE NEWSLETTER

Week of November 6 - 13



Newsletter Guide

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About Us

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M-F 9am-4pm
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APPLICATIONS DUE FOR FREE 6-RIDE TICKETS FROM WTA

Whatcom Transportation Authority (WTA) invites Social and Health Services Agencies to apply for free 6-ride tickets for distribution to their clients throughout 2024. WTA will provide up to 50,000 sets of free 6-ride tickets to approved agencies.

Organizations seeking free 6-ride tickets—including those who participated in the program in the past—will need to submit an application. The application can be found on the <u>WTA website</u> or you may request an emailed copy from WTA's Planning Division Assistant at 360-676-7433, or GroupPassRequests@ridewta.com.

The deadline for completed applications is 5 p.m. on November 13, 2023.

ACCESS ID CLINIC TIMES EXPANDING

Wednesdays at Opportunity Council starting in December

Access ID Clinics will now be offered at 1111 Cornwall Ave, Bellingham, every Wednesday from 9-11:30 starting in December. See <u>flyer</u> for dates and times this month. Participants must be residents of Whatcom County and 200% below the federal poverty limit.

Clinic consults range from 10-15 minutes, and participants should bring any existing documents relating to their identity if possible, including documents showing a name, date of birth, or photo. The program can cover the costs and fees associated with getting a Washington ID or Enhanced ID card. Free interpreting and ASL services are available.

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

SNAP Brochure English | Spanish | Russiar



Resource Directory

A community designed website for human services & resources in Whatcom County:

whatcomresources.org

Find the resources and information you need. Get connected to social, health and human services in Whatcom County.

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COMMUNITY NEWS BULLETINS

News, announcements, & updates

- Thanksgiving meal guide now available in multiple languages
- Homeless Persons Annual Memorial December 21, 5:30-6:30
- Upcoming financial literacy classes with The Whatcom Dream for teens and adults.
- Diabetes prevention seminar at Bellingham Senior Center 11/10
- Street Hygiene Outreach Team (SHOT) launches shower program

PROVIDER EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

Low-Barrier Shelter Models for People Who Use Drugs 11/14, 10-11:30am | Webinar Registration

Charting a Course Toward a More Inclusive Financial System 12/5, 12-2pm | Webinar Registration

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Cascade Connections: Multiple Openings

Catholic Community Services: Multiple Openings

Lake Whatcom Center: Multiple Openings
Northwest Regional Council: Multiple Openings
Northwest Workforce Council: Multiple Openings
Northwest Youth Services: Multiple Openings
Opportunity Council: Multiple Openings

Unity Care Northwest: Multiple Openings
Whatcom County: Winter Shelter Assistant

Whatcom Co. Health & Com. Services: Behavioral Health Specialist

