







COMMUNITY RESOURCE NEWSLETTER

Week of February 14 - 20

Newsletter Guide

Icon Key:

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

About Us

Community Resource Center

Available by phone
M-Th 9am-4pm, F 9am-12pm
360-734-5121 option 3

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DISASTER UNEMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE

Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA) has been activated to help workers directly impacted by the floods in our region from November 5 to December 2, 2021. People who live or work in Clallam, Skagit and Whatcom counties, as well as tribal lands held by the federally recognized Lummi Nation, Nooksack Indian Tribe and Quileute Tribe, could be eligible to receive DUA.

DUA provides financial assistance to people who both:

- Do not qualify for regular state-funded unemployment insurance
- Have lost or experienced interruptions in employment or self-employment as a direct result of a major disaster

Find additional eligibility criteria [here](#).

The deadline to apply is March 9, 2022. Learn more about the program on the [Employment Security Department's DUA webpage](#).

On the Money:

TAX FILING SEASON



Do you have questions about the 2022 tax filing season? Join us for Whatcom Asset Building Coalition's upcoming On the Money webinar. We will break down what free tax preparation looks like for Whatcom County residents, what all those confusing acronyms mean, and how we can help get more money into the pockets of our community members. Register [here](#) for On the Money: Tax Filing Season 2022, Tuesday, February 22, 2 - 3:30pm.

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
[English](#) | [Spanish](#) | [Russian](#) |
[Punjabi](#) | [Vietnamese](#)

COMMUNITY NEWS BULLETINS

News, announcements, & community updates

- [A FEMA Mobile COVID Vaccination Unit will be in Whatcom 2/12-28 at multiple sites, including in-home vaccinations for homebound community members.](#)
- [Preparing for Takeoff Workshop: Small business startup and the Self-Employment Assistance Program. Hosted by WorkSource every 4th Tuesday, 10 - 11:30am](#)
- [2022 Whatcom Tax Guide now available in English \(Spanish translation coming soon\).](#)

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Cascade Connections:
[Multiple Openings](#)

Lydia Place:
[Multiple Openings](#)

Northwest Regional Council:
[Multiple Openings](#)

Opportunity Council:
[Community Services, Early Learning, Facilities, & Housing Programs](#)

Unity Care Northwest:
[Multiple Openings](#)

Whatcom Center for Early Learning:
[Family Resources Coordinator, Office Administrator](#)

Whatcom Council on Aging:
[Lead Cook \(Meals on Wheels & More\).](#)

Whatcom County Health Department:
[Affordable Housing Specialist](#)

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