




COMMUNITY RESOURCE NEWSLETTER

Week of February 15 - 21

Newsletter Guide

Icon Key:

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

About Us

Community Resource Center

Available by phone
M-Th 9am-4pm, F 9am-12pm
360-734-5121 ext. 0

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COLLEGE DEADLINES APPROACHING

As deadlines for college applications and many scholarship opportunities approach, stress and confusion for high school seniors and their families is heightened -- especially this year while students are socially isolated and uncertain about what college may look like this fall. For Whatcom County students, there is good news: Futures Northwest is dedicated to ensuring every student has the information and guidance they need to succeed in high school, college, and beyond. Offering a wide variety of free services, such as mentoring, tutoring, financial literacy, virtual support programs, and a myriad of online resources, there is help available for all high school students, whether they want to pursue higher education or jump right into a career after graduation. Check out a few of their many amazing [resources](#) below, and visit their [website](#) for additional information.

RESOURCES:

- [Podcast](#) for and by first generation students
- [Pathways Support](#) for next steps after high school
- [Career and apprenticeship](#) guidance
- [Financial aid & scholarship](#) support
- Free [tutoring](#), [mentoring](#), and much more!



New phone line for

RENTAL ASSISTANCE



In an effort to make access more streamlined, Opportunity Council has established a new and more direct rental assistance phone line. Landlords and tenants can call anytime to hear the most up-to-date rental assistance information in both English and Spanish. Help us get the word out to the community, and be sure to download and share our [updated flyer](#) with information in English, Spanish, and Russian.

 Rental Assistance Phone Line: 360-746-3826

Resource Guides

Food and Meal Guide

whatcomabc.org/food-access

Homeless Housing Guide

whatcomabc.org/homeless-housing

2021 Tax Guide

whatcomabc.org/taxes

Housing Pool Information

[Informational Poster \(11x17\)](#)

Whatcom County COVID-19 Resources

Resources During COVID-19

whatcomabc.org/covid-19

Basic Food Updates

whatcomabc.org/bf-updates

Whatcom County Health Department

[Testing](#)

[Vaccine Information](#)

[Data Dashboard](#)

COMMUNITY NEWS BULLETINS

News, announcements, & community updates



- [Bellingham Community Meal 2/27, 12:30 - 2:30pm](#)
- [TechConnect Community Helpdesk provides free technical support to WA residents by phone or online](#)
- [Financial Literacy and Renter's Education registration open](#)

COMMUNITY OPPORTUNITIES



Responding to Client's "Now, Soon, & Later" Needs
3/3, 11am - 12:30pm | [Webinar Registration](#)

WA Fatherhood Summit: Fathering in Challenging Times
3/16 - 18, 8:30am - 12pm | [Webinar Registration](#)

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

GRACE - Sea Mar

[Crisis Integration Specialist I or II](#)

Lydia Place

[Financial Manager](#)

Northwest Regional Council

[Multiple Openings](#)

Northwest Youth Services

[Assistant PAD Program Manager](#)

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