







COMMUNITY RESOURCE NEWSLETTER

Week of March 7 - 13

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

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

To subscribe or submit content to the newsletter, email communityresources@oppco.org.

GOODWILL CONNECT

The Goodwills of Washington have collaborated to introduce [Goodwill Connect](#), a statewide effort to improve digital equity, provide access to digital skills and devices, and provide community resources to those in need.

Goodwill Connect can help anyone in Washington State:

- Find affordable and quality internet services
- Get tech support for devices
- Find an affordable computer or device
- Find classes to learn computer skills
- Connect with a job coach to help look for a job, create a resume, and learn job interview skills
- Connect with a case manager who can help with housing assistance, bill support, legal help, and more
- Connect to a local Goodwill JTE center for workshops & classes

To get connected, call 1-844-GWConnect, or visit goodwillconnect.com.

Credit Education Month: **PREDATORY LOANS**



In observance of National Credit Education Month, WABC is releasing a series of weekly articles focused on the relationship between credit and debt. Our latest topic is all about [How to Identify and Avoid Predatory Loans](#). In this week's article you will learn practical tips on how to protect yourself from falling prey to credit offers and loans that may be too good to be true. Check out the [Credit Education Month webpage](#) to find all current and future articles, as well as additional credit education information.

Want to test and expand your credit knowledge? [Take our 6 question credit quiz!](#)

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

- [Register by 3/18 for Goodwill's Job Training and Education spring session \(March 21 - May 12\)](#), including a [Customer Service Essentials course](#)
- [Register by 3/18 for Financial Literacy and Renter's Education \(FLARE\): 7 week series of classes March 23 - May 4](#)
- [Donate gently used furniture and household items to Habitat for Humanity to help Opportunity Council clients furnish their homes](#)
- [Disaster Legal Services information now available in Spanish \(see English version here\)](#).

COMMUNITY OPPORTUNITIES

Integrating Behavioral Health Supports into Respite Care
3/17, 11am - 12pm | [Webinar Registration](#)

Supporting Construction Innovations to Drive Down Housing Costs
3/24, 10 - 11am | [Webinar Registration](#)

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Cascade Connections: [Multiple Openings](#)

Lighthouse Mission Ministries: [Chief Operating Officer](#)

Lydia Place: [Multiple Openings](#)

Northwest Regional Council: [Multiple Openings](#)

Opportunity Council: [Multiple Openings](#)

Unity Care Northwest: [Multiple Openings](#)

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