



# COMMUNITY RESOURCE NEWSLETTER

Week of April 26 - May 2

## Newsletter Guide

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### Icon Key:

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

## About Us

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### Community Resource Center

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

Visit [whatcomabc.org/crn](http://whatcomabc.org/crn) to learn more about the CRN and to view past newsletters

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## CLOTHING RESOURCE GUIDE

Last fall we asked you, the CRN, about you and your client's needs for community resource guides. From that survey we determined housing resources to be the number one priority, and created a [Homeless Housing Resource Guide](#) and [Housing Access webpage](#). Next to housing, basic needs, especially clothing, consistently came up as another top priority for our community. As a result, we are pleased to present to you a brand new [Clothing Resource Guide](#), and a clothing resource webpage available at [whatcomabc.org/clothing](http://whatcomabc.org/clothing). The 2-page guide and associated webpage provide information on where to find free / low-cost clothing in Whatcom County, as well as where vouchers or financial assistance to purchase clothing is available. This guide is the first in a series of resource guides focused on basic needs, so please stay tuned for more coming soon!



## New online application for **RENTAL ASSISTANCE**



Opportunity Council will resume scheduling for rental assistance on Monday, May 3rd at 8am. Whatcom residents can call the voicemail line at 360-746-3826, or apply online at [oppco.org/whatcomrentalassistance](http://oppco.org/whatcomrentalassistance). Appointments fill up fast, so clients should be prepared to call or apply online when appointments open right at 8am. Appointments are released the first business day of each month, so though we anticipate May rental assistance filling up quickly, more will be available on Tuesday, June 1st at 8am.

## Resource Guides

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### Food and Meal Guide

[whatcomabc.org/food-access](http://whatcomabc.org/food-access)

### Homeless Housing Guide

[whatcomabc.org/homeless-housing](http://whatcomabc.org/homeless-housing)

### 2021 Tax Guide

[whatcomabc.org/taxes](http://whatcomabc.org/taxes)

### Housing Pool Information

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

## Whatcom County COVID-19 Resources

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### Resources During COVID-19

[whatcomabc.org/covid-19](http://whatcomabc.org/covid-19)

### Basic Food Updates

[whatcomabc.org/bf-updates](http://whatcomabc.org/bf-updates)

### Whatcom County Health Department

[Testing](#)

[Vaccine Information](#)

[Data Dashboard](#)

# COMMUNITY NEWS BULLETINS

News, announcements, & community updates

- [Emergency Broadband Benefit application opens 5/12](#)
- [Vaccine clinic for veterans and their dependents open 5/1 at Bellingham Vet Center](#)

## COMMUNITY OPPORTUNITIES

WIC Cash Value Benefit Increase Webinar  
5/6, 1 - 2:15pm | [Webinar Registration](#)

## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

### Lifeline Connections

[Peer Services Supervisor](#)

### Lydia Place

[Multiple Openings](#)

### Northwest Regional Council

[Behavioral Health Clinician](#)

[On-Call Care Coordinator](#)

### Road 2 Home

[Full-Time Case Manager](#)

[Part-Time Case Manager](#)

### Unity Care NW

[Inpatient & Emergency Room Community Connector](#)

[Multiple Openings](#)

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