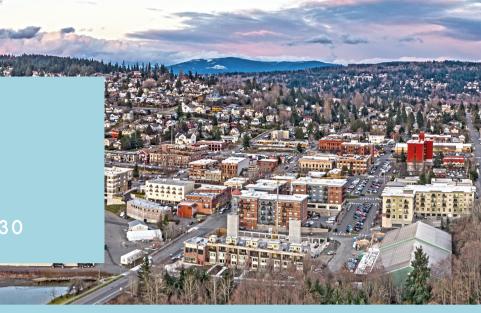


COMMUNITY RESOURCE NEWSLETTER

Week of September 24 – 30



Newsletter Guide

Icon Key:

- S Asset Building Opportunity
- New Resource
- C Updated Resource

About Us

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SEPTEMBER CRN MEETING NOTES

At this month's CRN Meeting we heard from Unity Care NW and McGregor Benefits about the basic ins and outs of Medicaid and Medicare. With the national emergency declaration ended, anyone covered by Apple Health will need to again file an annual renewal with their insurance provider. View the meeting notes for that presentation and how to get in touch with an enrollment specialist.

We also had the opportunity to receive important announcements and updates from NAMI Whatcom, Northwest Youth Services, Lydia Place, Ferndale Community Resources, PSE, Lifeline Connections, Opportunity Council, Whatcom Dream, YWCA, Bellingham School District, Lifelong, Brigid Collins, and Contact Counseling Recovery Services. Check out the meeting notes to review these important announcements.

September 21, 2023 CRN Meeting Notes

SIGN UP FOR F.L.A.R.E SERIES

Financial Literacy and Renter's Education

FREE eight week series on budget skills, credit, debt, savings, landlord/tenant law, rental scams and goal setting. Registration is REQUIRED. Please <u>register online</u>.

Every Wednesday October 18 - December 6, 2023. 5:30pm -7:30pm. Class will be held via Zoom. Link will be provided upon registration. Students must attend all classes. FLARE is a WorkFirst Activity

Resource Guides

Community Resource Library whatcomabc.org/library

Food and Meal Guide

Homeless Housing Guide

Clothing Resource Guide

Hygiene Guide

SNAP Brochure English | Spanish | Russian

Resource Directory

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

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

A PROJECT OF WHATCOM RESOURCE INFORMATION COLLABORATIVE (WRIC)

COMMUNITY **NEWS BULLETINS**

News, announcements, & updates

- Road2Home operating short-term Winter Shelter Dec-Feb
- <u>Fall updates to local Basic Food resources</u>
 Goodwill job skills classes start October 16th. Registration
- information available in <u>English</u>, <u>Spanish</u>, and <u>Punjabi</u>.

 <u>Get tickets to Ferndale Community Services' Beach Bingo Party</u> <u>annual fundraiser October 12, 6-9pm.</u>
- Ferndale Severe Weather Shelter recruiting for volunteers

PROVIDER EDUCATION **OPPORTUNITIES**

Calculating Change: The Continuing Conversation on Homelessness Data Reform

2023 Bank On Washington Forum

10/23 & 10/24, Everett Community College | Info and 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 Council on Aging: Multiple Openings

YWCA: CEO

