



# COMMUNITY RESOURCE NEWSLETTER

Week of September 24 - 30

## Newsletter Guide

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### Icon Key:

 Asset Building Opportunity

 New Resource

 Updated Resource

## About Us

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### Community Resource Center

1111 Cornwall Ave.  
M-F 9am-4pm  
360-734-5121 option 3

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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 [register online](#).

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

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### Community Resource Library

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

### Food and Meal Guide

[English](#) | [Spanish](#)

### Homeless Housing Guide

[English](#) | [Spanish](#)

### Clothing Resource Guide

[English](#) | [Spanish](#)

### Hygiene Guide

[English](#) | [Spanish](#)

### SNAP Brochure

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

## Resource Directory

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

[whatcomresources.org](http://whatcomresources.org)

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

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WHATCOM RESOURCE INFORMATION  
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# COMMUNITY NEWS BULLETINS

News, announcements, & updates

- [Road2Home operating short-term Winter Shelter Dec-Feb](#)
- [Fall updates to local Basic Food resources](#)
- [Goodwill job skills classes start October 16th. Registration information available in \[English\]\(#\), \[Spanish\]\(#\), and \[Punjabi\]\(#\).](#)
- [Get tickets to Ferndale Community Services' Beach Bingo Party. annual fundraiser October 12, 6-9pm.](#)
- [Ferndale Severe Weather Shelter recruiting for volunteers](#)

## PROVIDER EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

Calculating Change: The Continuing Conversation on Homelessness Data Reform

10/11, 10-11am | [Webinar Registration](#)

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](#)

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