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Pinellas County
Urban League

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Resource Guide

Financial Assistance Programs

Organization	Assistance Category	Phone	Type of Assistance Requirements
Assurance Wireless	Free Wireless Cell Phone Service	(888) 321-5880	Recipients of: Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF), Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), Medicaid, Supplemental Security Income (SSI), Section 8, Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP), free/reduced lunch, or Bureau of Indian Affairs Program
Campbell Park Resource Center – Suncoast Centers Emergency Assistance	Electric and Utilities	(727) 644-0918	Case by Case basis
CAP Centers (Citizens Alliance for Progress, Inc.)	Electric Bill	(727) 934-5881	Assists with water and gas for Tarpon Springs residents only.
Catholic Charities	Rent	(727) 893-1313	Household may not be above 30% area median income, all utility bills must be in the name of an adult member of the household & address must match property address listed on lease.
CHAP (Community Housing Assistance Program)	Utility Bill		
Day Star	Water and Electric	(727) 825-0442	Pays last \$50.00 owed on the bill. All Pinellas County residents are eligible to apply and considered on an individual <u>needs</u> basis
Florida Lifeline Telephone Assistance	Phone Bill Assistance	(800) 540-7039	Assistance is provided to low income only and varies according to the size

			of the household. Access website for the most current information: www.floridaopc.gov .
Free Clinic / We Help	Water Bill	(727) 823-4471 / (727) 821-1200 x 115	Pays the last \$50.00 owed on the bill, one time only, and within a 12 month period.
Good Samaritan Program	Water, Electric and Gas	(727) 644-4795	
High Point Neighborhood Family Center	Electric Bill	(727) 533-0730	<u>Provides assistance for residents living in the following zip codes: 33760, 33762, 33764, 33770 and 33771</u>
Mattie Williams Neighborhood Family Center	Water and Electric Bill	(727) 791-8255	<u>May provide assistance with the following services for residents living in Clearwater, Dunedin, Largo and Seminole: City of Clearwater (water and gas), City of Dunedin (water) and Pinellas County Utilities.</u>
People that Love Church and Mission	Water and Electric	(727) 820-0775	All Pinellas County residents are eligible to apply and considered on an individual needs basis
Pinellas County Urban League (PCUL)	Electric, Gas, Auto Gas Card, Bus Pass, Cell Phone Payment, and Misc. Household Needs (gift card)	(727) 327-0977	Household income must be at or below 150% of the poverty guidelines for the year prior to the month of application.
Pinellas Opportunity Council (POC)	Rent/Mortgage Payment, Water, and Electric Bill	(727) 823-4101, x10	Assists with one of the following bills – water, electric or gas. Agency may also assist with deposit on electric services for individuals of 60 years old or more.
<u>Safelink</u> Wireless	Free Cell Phone Service	(800) 977-3768	Recipients of: Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF), <u>Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)</u> , Medicaid, Supplemental Security Income (SSI), Section 8, Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP), free/reduced lunch, or Bureau of Indian Affairs Program.
Safety Harbor Neighborhood Family Center	Water, Electric and Surface Water Assessment	(727) 791-8255	Assists with water and electric in zip code areas of 34695, 34677, 33759 and 33761. Assistance with Surface Water Assessment is reviewed on a case by

			case basis
Salvation Army	Water, Electronic, and Gas	North of <u>Ulmerton Rd:</u> (727) 446-4177 South of <u>Ulmerton Rd:</u> (727) 822-4954	Properties north of <u>Ulmerton Road</u> only - assists with water for City of Clearwater, Dunedin, Pinellas County Utilities and Safety Harbor, along with Clearwater Gas and Duke Energy. Properties south of <u>Ulmerton Road</u> only - assists with water, electric and Gas.
St. Nicholas <u>Philoptochos</u>	Water, Electric, Gas, Rent and Mortgage	(727) 944-3366	Assistance provided for residents living in Tarpon Springs, New Port Richey and Palm Harbor areas. Organization is unable to assist with foreclosure.
St. Patrick Roman Catholic Church	Electric Bill	(727) 584-2318, x330	Assists with electric only for Largo residents living within the following boundaries: North of <u>Ulmerton Road</u> , West of Highland Avenue and South of Rosary Road.
Society of St. Vincent de Paul North/South Pinellas Inc.	Water and Electric	North Pinellas: (727) 442-5306 South Pinellas: (727) 823-2516 x101	Referred to local churches. Assistance for water, electric or rent is determined by your zip code area and as funds are available. No assistance provided for security deposit <u>payments.</u> / Pays last \$50.00 owed on the bill. Customer must have received a shut-off notice
211 Tampa Bay Cares	Financial, Food, Shelter, Support for Adults, Children, Youth, Veterans and Military Families, Persons with Disabilities along with Physical and Mental Resources	211 or (727) 210-4211 Text Zip Code to 898211	211 Tampa Bay Cares is a non-profit organization that provides the only free, confidential, multi-lingual <u>24 hour</u> telephone #211, for access to community information, services and resources for the residents of Pinellas County.

Meal Distribution Locations

The PCS Food and Nutrition Team will be distributing free meals at our schools for Pinellas County Schools students ages 18 and younger.

- o Monday, April 13 – 2 days-worth of meals
- o Wednesday, April 15 - 4 days-worth of meals
- o Monday, April 20 - 2 days-worth of meals
- o Wednesday, April 22 – 6 days-worth of meals
- o Wednesday, April 29 – 6 days-worth of meals

Time	School Name	Phone	Address
10:30am – 12:30pm	Anona Elementary	(727) 588-4730	12301 Indian Rocks Rd, Largo, FL 33774
	Azalea Middle	(727) 893-2606	7855 22nd Ave N, St. Petersburg, FL 33710
	Bay Point Elementary	(727) 552-1449	5800 22nd St S, St. Petersburg, FL 33712
	Clearwater Intermediate	(727) 298-1616	1220 Palmetto St, Clearwater, FL 33755
	Dunedin Middle	(727) 469-4112	70 Patricia Ave, Dunedin, FL 34698
	Eisenhower Elementary	(727) 725-7978	2800 Drew St, Clearwater, FL 33759
	Fairmount Park Elementary	(727) 893-2132	575 41st St S, St. Petersburg, FL 33711
	Garrison-Jones Elementary	(727) 469-5716	3133 Garrison Rd, Dunedin, FL 34698
	Gulfport Elementary	(727) 893-2643	2014 52nd St S, Gulfport, FL 33707
	High Point Elementary	(727) 538-7440	5921 150th Ave N, Clearwater, FL 33760
	John Hopkins Middle	(727) 893-2400	701 16th St S, St. Petersburg, FL 33705
	Kings Highway Elementary	(727) 223-8949	1715 Kings Hwy, Clearwater, FL 33755
	Largo Middle	(727) 588-4600	155 8th Ave SE, Largo, FL 33771
	McMullen Booth Elementary	(727) 669-1800	3025 Union St, Clearwater, FL 33759

	MK Rawlings Elementary	(727) 547-7828	6505 68th St N, Pinellas Park, FL 33781
	New Heights Elementary	(727) 521-5350	3901 37th St N, St. Petersburg, FL 33714
	North Shore Elementary	(727) 893-2181	200 35th Ave NE, St. Petersburg, FL 33704
	Oak Grove Middle	(727) 524-4430	1370 S Belcher Rd, Clearwater, FL 33764
	Plumb Elementary	(727) 469-5976	1920 Lakeview Rd, Clearwater, FL 33764
	Sawgrass Lake Elementary	(727) 570-3121	1815 77th Ave N, St. Petersburg, FL 33702
	Southern Oak Elementary	(727) 588-4654	9101 Walsingham Rd, Largo, FL 33773
	Tarpon Springs Elementary	(727) 943-5500	555 Pine St, Tarpon Springs, FL 34689

BreakSpots/Grab & Go Meals for Kids

Date/Time	Location	Phone	Address
M-F 12:00 PM to 2:00 PM	Barbara S. Ponce Public Library		7770 52nd St. N, Pinellas Park, 33781
M-F 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM	Lealman Asian		4255 56th Avenue N. St. Petersburg, FL 33714
M-F 10:30 AM to 11:30 AM	Pinellas Sheriff's PAL @ Landing		6835 54th Ave N, Bldg F, St Petersburg, FL 33709
M-F 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM	Pinellas Pal		3755 46th Ave N, St. Petersburg, FL 33714
M-F 4:00 PM to 5:30 PM	Pinellas Park Boys & Girls Clubs		7790 61st St. N Pinellas Park, FL 33781
M-F 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM	SPPF M.A.S.T.R. Kids at Friendship Missionary Baptist Church		3300 31st Street South, St. Petersburg, FL. 33712
M-F 4:00 PM to 5:30 PM	Royal Theater Boys & Girls Clubs		1011 22nd St. S St. Petersburg, FL 33712
M-F 12:00 PM to 2:00 PM	Youth Park Teen Center		4000 66th Ave. N. Pinellas Park, 33781

Upcoming Food Distribution Events

Event/Date/Time	Location	Phone	Address
St. Petersburg Free Clinic – Mobile Food Distribution April 22 & May 6, 20 10:30 a.m.-12 p.m.	Childs Park YMCA		691 43rd St. S.
Pinellas County Drive-Thru Mega Pantry April 25 9:00 AM – 12:00pm	Tropicana Field (Lot 4)		1 Tropicana Dr., St. Petersburg, FL 33705
St. Pete Free Clinic - Free Food for Kids and Families Drive Thru Distribution April 29; May 13; May 27, 20 10:30 AM – 12:00 PM	First Baptist Church of St. Petersburg		1900 Gandy Blvd N., St. Petersburg, FL 33702

Reemployment/Employment Assistance

	Phone	Email	Website
Pinellas County Urban League	(727) 321-2081	alewis@pcul.org	www.pcul.org
Pinellas County Urban League @ CPRC	(727) 601-2116	cbrown@pcul.org	www.pcul.org
St. Pete Works	www.stpeteworks.org/hot-jobs	info@stpeteworks.org	https://stpeteworks.org/

Health and Mental Health Care Assistance

	Location	Phone	Address
Free COVID-19 Testing April 25; May 2, 20 8:00 AM – 12:00PM *Appointment only	4/25: Childs Park Recreation Center 5/2: Tangerine Plaza	(727) 568-8028	4301 13 th Ave S St. Petersburg, FL 33711 1794 22 nd St S St. Petersburg, FL 33712
Directions for Living Emotional Support Call Line 8:00 AM – 8:00 PM	(727) 524-4464 Ext. 1001	(727) 524-4464 Ext. 1001	Call the number, leave your name and number, and someone will return your call within two operating hours
The Well for Life (Dr. Butler)			*5 Counseling groups (United Way)

Next STEP Pregnancy Center

Human Resources Assistance Programs

Organization	Assistance Category	Phone	Type of Assistance Requirements
HEP (Homeless Emergency Project)	Shelters	(727) 442-9041	Provides shelter 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.
Bay Area Legal Services	Legal Issues		
<u>Boley Centers</u>	Housing, Mental Health and Employment	(727) 821-4819	Households at or below 50% of the median family income (MFI), must be homeless and coming from a shelter or transitional housing. Assists with mental health, Section 8 and employment. No financial assistance provided.
Clearwater Housing Authority	Housing	(727) 461-5777	Provides housing assistance. Access website for the most current information: www.clearwaterhousingauth.org .
Community Help Services	Clothing and Household Items	(727) 448-0005	<u>Provides assistance to families and single parents with children.</u>

Consumer Protection	Landlord/Tenant Disputes	(727) 464-6200	No financial assistance. Offers mediation only
F.E.A.S.T.	Food	(727) 789-5275	Food pantry only, for residents living in the following zip codes: 33761, 34660, 34677, 34681, 34683, 34684, 34685, 34695 and 34698. Must provide proof of residence and income (if applicable), along with a Social Security card
Gulf Coast Legal - Clearwater	Legal Issues	(727) 443-0657	Provides foreclosure and housing assistance for individuals under 60. This would include landlord/ tenant disputes.
Gulf Coast Legal - St. Petersburg	Legal Issues	(727) 821-0726	Provides any legal assistance for individuals 60 years and over. For individuals under 60, they provide legal assistance with specific concerns such as domestic violence, family issues, Social Security, immigration, human trafficking, taxes and foreclosures
Housing Authority of Tarpon Springs	Housing	(727) 937-4411	Provides low income public housing assistance.
Neighborhood Care Network Programs:			
Adult Day Care	Supervised Adult Activities	(727) 573-9444, x3051	Request is reviewed and evaluated on a case by case situation
Meals on Wheels	Meals Delivered to Home	(727) 573-7773	Provides meals to individuals over 60 but will make exceptions to the age. Individuals would need to call to have their request reviewed.
Pharmacy	Prescription and Over the Counter Drugs	(727) 892-5781	Free delivery, open to everyone, accepts Medicare Part D, individuals with no insurance and cash payments. No private insurance accepted.
Senior Dining	Food and Entertainment	(727) 573-9444, x3280	Meals served along with socializing, informational programs and activities. Ages 60 years old or more.
Transportation	Transportation	(727) 571-4384	Provides transportation for individuals 60 years old or more.
Pinellas County Veterans Services	Various Non-Financial Assistance	(727) 464-8460 (Clearwater) (727) 582-7828	Wide variety of available assistance including filing claims for benefits.

		(St. Petersburg)	
Pinellas County Housing Authority	Housing	(727) 443-7684	Provides subsidized and HUD housing for the unincorporated areas of Pinellas County, excluding St. Petersburg and Clearwater.
Pinellas Heights	Housing	(727) 443-7684	Provides housing for seniors, 62 years old or more. This is affiliated with Pinellas County Housing Authority.
Pinellas Opportunity Council/ Chore	Yard Work/Heavy Cleaning	(727) 327-3091	<u>Provides assistance to people 60 years old and above. No income restrictions</u>
St. Ignatius Catholic Church	Food	(727) 937-4050	Food pantry for Tarpon Springs residents only.
St. Vincent DePaul Society St. Petersburg	Clothing and Vouchers for Food and Furniture	(727) 823-2516, x101	<u>Provides assistance with clothing, along with vouchers for food and furniture</u>

DID YOU KNOW ?



DOH-Pinellas is partnering with the community to offer no-cost COVID-19 Testing.

Testing with Appointment Only

Call 727-568-8028

Saturday April 25, 2020

8am – 12pm

Childs Park Recreation Center

4301 13th Ave South

St. Petersburg, FL 33711

Saturday May 2, 2020

8am – 12pm

Frank Pierce Recreation Center

2000 7th St S

St. Petersburg, FL, 33705

Symptoms of COVID-19:

- o Fever
- o Cough
- o Shortness of Breath or Difficulty Breathing

Consider Testing if you have these symptoms

The following high risk individuals may experience severe illness:

- o Adults 65 and older
- o Immunocompromised or have underlying medical conditions like heart disease, diabetes and lung disease

