

Jewish Federation

of Greater Philadelphia

Mitzvah Food Program

Need Help Applying for Benefits? We are here to help!

- SNAP (Food Stamps)
- Medical Assistance (Medicaid)
- LIHEAP (Energy Assistance)
- Rent/Property Tax Rebate Program

We can assist you with questions about eligibility requirements, application process, as well as provide you with community resources.

To get started contact, Natalya Gorbachik, at 215.832.0831

Documents Needed for Your Application:

- 1. Proof of identity and for immigrant applicants, verification of residency status (one of the below documents for each member of your household)
 - Driver's license/Photo ID
 - Birth certificate
 - o Passport
 - o Visa
 - Permanent Resident Card (Green card)
- 2. Social Security number
- 3. Proof of Income
 - o Pay stubs
 - Federal income tax return
 - o Social Security award letter
 - Child support
- 4. Proof of residency and housing costs
 - o Mortgage statement
 - o Rent lease
 - Utility bills (gas, electric, water, phone)
- 5. Bank statements
- 6. Proof of child care costs or court-ordered child support



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15 LOCATIONS IN PENNSYLVANIA AND NEW JERSEY PENNSYLVANIA

DELAWARE COUNTY

Chester, PA Chester High School 232 West 9th Street, Chester, PA 19013 Tuesdays, 12:30-1:30 PM

Sharon Hill, PA Mount Zion CME Church 701 Felton Ave., Sharon Hill, PA 19079 Wednesdays, 1:30-2:30 PM

MONTGOMERY COUNTY

Souderton, PA Grace Bible Church 423 N Main St, Souderton, PA 18964 Tuesdays, 1:00-2:00 PM

BUCKS COUNTY

Warminster, PA* Warminster Community Park 1100 Veterans Way, Warminster, PA 18974 Tuesdays, 12:00-1:00 PM

Ottsville, PA* At the intersection of 611 and 412 Ottsville PA, 18942 Thursdays, 11 AM-12 PM

Bristol, PA* Bucks County Community College 1304 Veteran Highway, Bristol, PA 19007 Fridays, 12-1 PM

PHILADELPHIA

Philadelphia, PA Murrell Dobbins Career & Technical Education HS 2150 W Lehigh Ave. Philadelphia PA 19132 Wednesdays, 12:30-1:30 PM

Philadelphia, PA Lillian Marrero Library 601 W. Lehigh Ave., Philadelphia, PA 19133 Wednesdays, 12:30-1:30 PM

Philadelphia, PA
Salvation Army
5830 Rising Sun Avenue, Philadelphia PA, 19120
Thursdays, 10:30-11:30 AM

Philadelphia, PA Einstein Medical Center 5501 Old York Rd, Philadelphia, PA 19141 Thursdays, 10:00 – 11:00 AM

Upper Darby, PA Christ Lutheran Community Church 7240 Walnut Street, Upper Darby, PA 19082 Fridays, 9:30-10:30 AM

Philadelphia, PA Under 95 Overpass Front and Tasker Street, Phila PA, 19147 Fridays, 1:30-2:30 PM

*For Bucks County residents only



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NEW JERSEY

Glassboro, NJ – Rowan University

Parking Lot D, corner of Joseph L Bowe Blvd. and Carpenter St (across from Glassboro HS) Fridays, 10:00-11:00 AM

Woodbury, NJ – The Mid-Atlantic States Career and Education Center (MASCEC) 28 Harrison Street, Woodbury, NJ 08096 Thursdays, 1:30 PM-2:30 PM

Burlington, NJ at St Katherine Church 502 High Street, Burlington, NJ 08016 Tuesdays, 1:30-2:30 PM

Camden, NJ at St. John Baptist Church 400 N. 30th Street, Camden, NJ 08105 Tuesdays, 9:30-10:30 AM



Phone # (610) 660-0190

https://www.jewishrelief.org/get-help.html

Food boxes of nonperishable items delivered to your home once a month





Find local food pantries in your neighborhood 215-430-0555

http://www.hungercoalition.org/food-pantries

Stretch your Budget & Eat Healthier!

Programs for Seniors



SNAP (Food Stamp) Hotline: 215-430-0556

The Coalition Against Hunger can help over the phone with SNAP (Food Stamps) applications or problems. *Free, convenient, and confidential.*

To find food pantries near you, and learn about other food programs, call us or visit: www.phillyfoodfinder.org



FREE FOOD FOR SENIORS (please see requirements for each program)

Philadelphia Corporation for the Aging: Serves meals at senior centers across Philadelphia. Delivers free meals to income-eligible seniors. Gives out farmers' market vouchers each summer. 215-765-9040, www.pcacares.org

Senior Boxes (Commodity Supplemental Food Program): Income-eligible adults 60+ can pick up a free box of food each month. For locations contact the SHARE Food Program 215-223-2220 or the WhyHunger Hotline 800-548-6479.

Jewish Relief Agency (JRA): Delivers free boxes of kosher food once a month to residents of eligible zip codes in Philadelphia and surrounding counties, regardless of religious affiliation. 610-660-9572, www.jewishrelief.org

Aid For Friends: Delivers free meals to isolated, homebound seniors. 215-464-2224, ww.aidforfriends.org

MANNA: Delivers free meals to people at nutritional risk due to chronic or life-threatening illnesses. 215-496-2662, www.mannapa.org



MEALS ON WHEELS PROGRAMS Deliver meals to seniors for a fee.

- Chestnut Hill: Delivers meals to Germantown, Chestnut Hill, parts of Springfield Township. 215-233-5555
- Klein JCC: Delivers kosher meals to Northeast Philadelphia, Eastern Montgomery County, Lower Bucks County, Center City & South Philadelphia. Accepts SNAP. 215-698-7300 x110
- Homelink Inc.: Delivers meals to Northeast, South, West & North Philadelphia. 267-682-1026
- •21st Ward: Delivers meals to Roxborough, Manayunk & Wissahickon. 215-482-0249



(MORE PROGRAMS ON BACK)

FREE PRODUCE PROGRAMS



Farmers' Market Nutrition Program (June-November):

Eligible seniors can receive \$20 in vouchers to buy local fruits and vegetables at farmers' markets and produce stands. Checks are distributed each summer and must be used by Nov. 30. Contact Philadelphia Corporation for Aging: 215-765-9040.

Fresh for All: Philabundance offers free produce year-round, weather permitting. Bring bags. www.philabundance.org Schedule and locations include:

- Thursday 10:30am-11:30am, Houseman Recreation Center, Summerdale & Godfrey Aves., Northeast Philly
- Friday 1:30pm-2:30pm, under the 95 overpass at Front & Tasker streets, South Philly

SAVE ON FARM FRESH FRUITS, VEGETABLES & MORE

SHARE Food Program: Get \$50 in groceries for \$20 plus 2 hours of community service. Seasonal farmstand, fresh produce packages and bulk groceries also available. Accepts SNAP (food stamps) and farmers' market vouchers. 215-223-2220, www.sharefoodprogram.org

Farm to Families: Buy a box of farm-fresh produce worth \$20-\$30 for just \$10-\$15. Eggs, meat and fish also sold. Order one week in advance, year-round. Pay with cash, SNAP or credit card. Order and pick up from 8 locations in Philadelphia or Bucks County. Contact St. Christopher's Foundation at 215-568-1126, http://scfchildren.org/farmto-families-initiative

Double Dollars: Fair Food Farmstand will match your SNAP purchases up to \$10 each week, with a coupon to spend on more fresh produce, poultry and other local products. Reading Terminal Market (12th and Arch streets), 215-386-5211, www.fairfoodphilly.org

Philly Food Bucks (May-November): Spend \$5 in SNAP at your farmers' market, and get a \$2 Philly Food Bucks coupon to buy more produce. Most markets open May/June though October/November. For a list of markets and schedules, call 311 or visit www.thefoodtrust.org/farmers-markets

5 SNAP FACTS

1. SNAP is now the name for food stamps, which come on an ACCESS Card that works like a debit/ATM card.

2. Use SNAP to buy food, seeds and food-bearing plants at grocery stores, corner stores, and farmers' markets.

3. The current range for SNAP benefits for one person is \$16-194 per month.

4. SNAP income guidelines change each October.

5. You can apply for SNAP over the phone, and seniors may be eligible to use a 2-page application that approves benefits for 3 years. Call 215-430-0556 to see if you qualify.



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FOR MORE INFORMATION:





JEVS Career Strategies • 2100 Arch St., 4th Floor • Phila., PA 19103 AND 2770 Red Lion Rd. (*located at Orleans Technical College*) • Phila., PA 19114 Evening hours available by appointment.



Older Adult Transportation Services

We can help you get from here to there



When older adults give up their car or find it difficult to navigate public transportation, Jewish Family and Children's Service of Greater Philadelphia can help. Depending on an individual's location and situation, we offer a wheelchair accessible bus that provides scheduled grocery shopping trips as well as connect older adults to community based and private transportation resources to help transport older adults and enable them to live independently.

PROVIDING TRANSPORTATION

Older members of our community use JFCS transportation services to:

Shopping van services to and from the grocery store on JFCS' wheelchair accessible bus as well as connect older adults to community based and private transportation resources to help transport older adults and enable them to live independently.

Transportation for clients to and from JFCS sponsored social events (Programs that may occur at The Brodsky Enrichment Center, JFCS office locations, and within the community)

You may call 1.866.532.7669 to find out more about these services.

FREE CLOTHING SHOPS!



Our Closet operates FREE pop-up shops featuring clothing and accessories for adults and children throughout Philadelphia.

- All are welcome to join us at ONE POP-UP SHOP PER WEEK, NO REFERRALS NECESSARY!
- Most pop-ups are open from **10am-12pm** unless indicated.
- Tickets to shop are distributed on a first-come, first-serve basis once the pop-up shop opens.
- For those who choose to arrive early, please form a singlefile line. Shoppers **must** be present to receive a ticket. You must have a ticket to shop.
- 5 item limit per adult shopper (age 16 and up).
- **10 item limit** at children's and family (5 adult/5 children) shops.
- All items are free, including professional/casual wear, children's/infant clothing, as well as shoes, accessories and costume jewelry.
- We cannot guarantee specific sizes or styles, and inventory changes from week to week.

IN THE CASE OF INCLEMENT WEATHER, OUR CLOSET WILL FOLLOW THE CLOSURES OF THE PHILADELPHIA SCHOOL DISTRICT. SCHOOL DELAYS WILL BE CONSIDERED CLOSURES.

	Spring 2020 POP-UP SHOP SCHEDULE				
Day	Date	Location	Address	Clothing	
WED	Mar 11	CHOP Buerger	3500 Civic Center Blvd	Children	
FRI	Mar 13	Lutheran Church of the Holy Communion	2111 Sansom St. (Enter on Van Pelt)	Adult	
MON	Mar 16	Rodeph Shalom	615 N. Broad St. (at Green St.)	Family	
		Philadelphia Episcopal Cathedral	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	•	
WED	Mar 18	*Special Time: 9:30am-11:30am	23 South 38 th St.	Adult	
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WED	Mar 25	Church of the Advocate	1801 Diamond St.	Adult	
MON	Mar 30	The Common Place	5736 Chester Ave. (at 58th St.)	Adult	
FRI	Apr 3	Nicetown Court	4340 Germantown Ave.	Family	
WED	Apr 8	St. Christopher's *NEW LOCATION	160 E. Erie Ave.	Children	
MON	Apr 13	Providence Center	2557 N. 5 th St. (at Huntingdon St.)	Adult	
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MON	Apr 27	The Common Place	5736 Chester Ave. (at 58th St.)	Adult	
WED	Apr 29	Church of the Advocate	1801 Diamond St.	Adult	
MON	May 4	Gideon Elementary School *Special Time: 4:30pm-6:30pm	2817 West Glenwood Ave.	Family	
WED	May 6	United Communities Houston Center	2029 S. 8 th St. (at Snyder Ave.)	Family	
FRI	May 8	Lutheran Church of the Holy Communion	2111 Sansom St. (Enter on Van Pelt)	Adult	
WED	May 13	CHOP Karabots	4865 Market St.	Children	
FRI	May 15	Immanuel Resource Center/COGIC	6401 Ogontz Ave.	Family	
WED	May 20	Philadelphia Episcopal Cathedral *Special Time: 9:30am-11:30am	23 South 38 th St.	Adult	
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	INFO@OUR	CLOSETPA.ORG	267.256.2179	WWW.OURCLOSETPA.ORG	

TIENDAS DE ROPA GRATIS!



Nuestra Armario **opera tiendas temporales de ropa y moda GRATIS, que incluye** accesorios para adultos y niños por el entero de Filadelfia.

- Todos son bienvenidos a unirse a nosotros en UNA TIENDA POP-UP POR SEMANA, referencias no son necesarios!
- Más las tiendas están abiertas desde las 10am-12pm a menos que se indique lo contrario.
- Los boletos para comprar se distribuyen por orden de llegada una vez que se abre la tienda emergente.
- Para aquellos que eligen llegar temprano, forme una línea de archivo único. Los compradores deben estar presentes para recibir un boleto. Debes tener un boleto.
- Limite de 5 artículos por cada cliente (de edades 16+).
- Limite de 10 artículos a niños y familia (5 adultos/5 ninos) tiendas.
- Todos los artículos son gratis, incluyendo ropa profesional y casual, ropa de niños/infantes, pero también zapatos, accesorios, y joyería de disfraz.
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 No podemos garantizar tamaños específicos o estilos y el inventario cambiara de semana a seman.

EN CASO DE CLIMA INCLEMENTE, OUR CLOSET SEGUIRÁ LOS CIERRES DEL DISTRITO ESCOLAR DE PHILADELPHIA. LOS RETRASOS EN EL HORARIO ESCOLAR SE CONSIDERARAN CIERRES.

CALENDARIO PARA LAS TIENDAS DE PRIMAVERA 2020

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