

# RESPONSE TO COVID-19 – MASON COUNTY RESOURCES

## **EMERGENCY – DIAL 911**

## **CENTRALIZED INFORMATION – AVAILABLE 24/7**

- DIAL 211 OR 1 (800) 887-1107
- TEXT YOUR ZIP CODE TO 898211
- LIVE CHAT AT [HWMUW.ORG/211](http://HWMUW.ORG/211)

## **DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES (DHHS) – 231-845-7391**

Complete application on line at [www.michigan.gov/mibridges](http://www.michigan.gov/mibridges). Paper applications are also available at DHHS, 915 Diana St., Ludington.

Below are a list of services available through DHHS

- Healthcare Coverage
- Food Assistance Program (FAP)
- Cash Assistance
- Child Development and Care (CDC)
- State Emergency Relief (SER) – Housing, Utilities, Burial/Cremation, etc.

## **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE**

**Communities Overcoming Violent Encounters (COVE) – 231-845-5808**

**Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Hotline – 800-950-5808**

## **EMPLOYMENT**

**Lakeshore Employer Resource Network (LERN) – 231-233-1409**

**Call Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.**

This program connects employees of member companies to needed services and resources.

Following is a list of companies that are members of LERN:

- Brill Manufacturing
- Change Parts
- Floracraft
- Great Lakes Castings
- House of Flavors Manufacturing
- Kaines West Michigan
- Metalworks
- Spectrum Health Ludington
- UACJ Automotive - Whitehall Industries
- West Shore Bank
- Western Land Services

**Michigan Works! West Central – 231-843-2563 (call for questions)**

If your unemployment claim is a result of COVID-19, you are NOT required to report in person. To file for unemployment visit [michigan.gov/UIA](http://michigan.gov/UIA) or call 1-866-500-0017. File for unemployment benefits during off peak hours from 8:00 p.m. to 8:00 a.m.

## **FOOD ASSISTANCE (General)**

**Caritas Food Pantry** (St. Mary's Catholic Church) – **231-301-0626**

**Distribution is Monday and Wednesday from 12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.**

**Lakeshore Food Club – 231-480-4334**

**Distribution is Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 12:00 p.m. -4:00 p.m. Membership fee is waived until further notice.**

Any Mason County household in need of a box is asked to pre-register by using the form on the food club website at [lakeshorefoodclub.org](http://lakeshorefoodclub.org) or by calling the Lakeshore Food Club at (231) 480-4334. Depending on availability you may be able to request cleaning and hygiene items.

**The Salvation Army – 231-843-3711**

**Distribution is Monday – Friday from 10am to 3pm.**

To receive a prepared food box, consumers need to call and complete an application.

**FOOD ASSISTANCE (School Meals)**

Students do not need to be present to pick up meals. Families are encouraged to send one person to pick up the meal for all of the children in the family. A breakfast and lunch meal will be provided for each student/child in the family.

**Ludington Area School District**

**Meal delivery will be Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Two (2) days of meals will be provided each time.**

**Route #1**

Lakeview Elementary School	11:00 a.m. to 11:25 a.m.
Foster Elementary School	11:30 a.m. to 11:55 a.m.
Pere Marquette Early Childhood Center	12:00 p.m. to 12:25 p.m.

**Route #2**

Tamarac Village: Main Entrance	11:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
Hamlin Township Hall	11:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

**Route #3**

Days Inn: 7576 S. Pere Marquette Hwy	11:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
Indian Summer: Parking Lot Brye Rd./Chavez Rd.	11:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.
Cornerstone Baptist Church	11:00 a.m. to 11:30 am
Bryant Soccer Field (corner of Longfellow St/ Washington Ave.)	11:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

**Mason County Central School District**

**Meal delivery will be Monday, Wednesday & Friday**

Scottville Area: MCC Upper Elementary	11:00 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.
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**Route #1**

Victory Baptist Church	11:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
St. Paul's United Methodist Church	12:00 p.m. to 12:30 p.m.

**Route #2**

Legends Taxidermy	11:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
Free Soil Community Center	11:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.
Grant Fire Department	12:30 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.

**Route #3**

Branch Fire Department	11:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
Evergreen Church	12:00 p.m. to 12:30 p.m.

**Mason County Eastern School District**

**Meal delivery will be made Monday through Friday. In addition, Mason County Eastern will make home deliveries, if needed. Call (231) 757-3733 ext. 3601 (Miss Soreneson). Provide your name, addresses and the number of bags needed for all kids in the home. Meals will not be delivered during the week of March 27 – April 6. Meals will resume on April 7.**

Mason County Eastern Schools 18 S. Main. St., Village of Custer	9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.
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Sherman Township Hal1 3854 E. Main St., Village of Fountain	9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.
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Tallman Senior Center 6765 E. Marshall Road, Sheridan Township	9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.
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## **HEALTH CARE**

### **District Health #10 Department – 231-845-7381**

Call Monday through Friday 8:00 to 4:30 p.m. If you have questions directly related to COVID-19 send an email to [info@dhd10.org](mailto:info@dhd10.org) or call the state hotline at: 1-888-535-6136

### **Northwest Michigan Health Services – 231-316-1100**

During COVID-19 Pandemic Northwest Michigan Health Services will be serving patients with essential needs Patients with visits are being screened for respiratory symptoms and fever and conducting phone triage to determine the appropriate follow-up and testing for those individuals with symptoms. Preventive medical care visits are being rescheduled during this time.

### **West Michigan Community Mental Health System – 231-845-6294 (available 24 hours a day)**

Provide behavioral health and substance use services.

## **HOUSING/HOMELESSNESS ASSISTANCE**

### **TrueNorth Community Services – 231-245-6724**

A maximum of seven (7) day hotel vouchers are available for individuals/families meeting the criteria and as long as hotels are available.

## **SENIOR SERVICES**

### **Ludington Area Senior Center – 231-845-6941**

### **Mason County Central Home Delivered Meals – 231-757-5721**

### **Scottville Area Senior Center – 231-757-4705**

## **UTILITY ASSISTANCE**

### **HELP Ministries – 231-843-6811**

Directing their funding toward utility assistance especially propane.

### **The Salvation Army - 231-843-3711**

### **TrueNorth Community Services – 231-355-5880**

## **YOUTH SERVICES**

### **Mason County Family Link**

Call Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

This program connects students and families to needed services and resources

- **231-233-6135** (Ludington Area Schools)
- **231-233-6178** (MCC and MCE Area Schools)
- **[angie@masoncountyuw.org](mailto:angie@masoncountyuw.org)** (West Shore Community College)

### **Staircase Youth Services – 231-843-3200 (office) 888-267-6086 (crisis line)**

Serves youth who are homeless or at risk of becoming homeless. Serve ages 12 to 21 years old

## **VETERANS**

### **Mason County Veterans – 231-583-2028**