

FAMILY SUPPORT

Critical Resources For Anne Arundel County Families During the COVID-19 Pandemic

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Now that 2020 is in the rearview (thankfully!), we look ahead with optimism to 2021 and all it will bring. This first edition of our Family Support Bulletin for the new year includes many resources to assist families facing urgent needs, and reminds us that while the calendar may have changed, COVID is still with us...at least for now.



Partnership for Children, Youth & Families



Anne Arundel County Public Library



MARYLAND LEGAL AID

Maryland Legal Aid



Early Head Start/Community Action Agency

Food Distribution Sites



Many organizations around our county continue to work diligently to provide critical support to families facing food insecurity during the pandemic. Please review and share this list with families you think will benefit:

Drive-Thru Food Giveaway: Friday, January 15th— Michael Busch Library, 1410 West Street, Annapolis. 3pm—4:30pm (registration required—text 410.384.8200 or www.blessedintech.org)

Food Giveaway: Monday, January 18th—Y Head Start Llyod Keaser, 5757 Belle Grove Road, Brooklyn Park. 1pm—3pm (no registration needed)

Free Produce Boxes: Saturday, January 23rd—Belle Grove Elementary School, 4502 Belle Grove Road, Brooklyn. 11:30am—12:30pm (no registration required)

Eviction Prevention Workshop



MARYLAND LEGAL AID

Attorneys at Maryland Legal Aid, in conjunction with the Anne Arundel County Public Library, are hosting a zoom webinar to equip local citizens with effective educational tools, strategies and updated information they need to fight rental evictions in court.

Can My Landlord Do That? Eviction Prevention in Maryland During the COVID-19 Pandemic

Zoom webinar—Thursday, January 14th at 10am. Registration at www.aacpl.net/events

Early Head Start Services for South County Families



The Community Action Agency is currently offering home-based Early Head Start services for qualifying families with children with special needs ages birth through age 3. Due to the pandemic, construction on the new Early Head Start site in Edgewater (formally the Sojourner Douglass College building on Route 2 & Central Avenue) has been delayed. Once the facility is completed, the center will offer free, full-day Early Head Start programming onsite as well!

Call (443) 822-0536 for more information or to register for home-based services.

COMING SOON TO YOUR AREA!

ANNE ARUNDEL
EARLY HEAD START CENTER
Edgewater Maryland
CALL (443) 822-0536 TO REGISTER

“Full day programming Monday to Friday”



We provide a Developmentally Appropriate Program for Infants and Toddlers birth to age 3 and Children with Special Needs
Serving families in Mayo, Edgewater, Davidsonville, Churchton, Deale, Dunkirk, Friendship, Galesville, Harwood, Lottsian, North Beach, Shady Side, Owings, and West River in South Anne Arundel County, Maryland.

This is a NO COST program for qualifying families. Center-based services also available for parents.

Call: (443) 822 - 0536

Grantee: Maryland Family Network
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⇒ Community Foundation of Anne Arundel County is hosting it's monthly Community Impact Series on Wednesday, January 27th from 10am—11am. **ACES, Trauma and the Pandemic—Becoming a Trauma-Informed County** will feature Dr. Pamela Brown of the Partnership for Children, Youth & Families. This zoom workshop will explore the impact of Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACES) on children and families, examine intergenerational trauma in families, share updated research related to ACES and the current pandemic, and explore how to become a trauma-informed county. Register at: cfaac.org/event/aces-trauma-and-pandemic-becoming-trauma-informed-county-