

# COVID-19 COMMUNITY RESOURCES

Visit **211WNY** at: <http://www.211.org/services/food>, to search for health and many other resources in our community. You can also dial 2-1-1 to be connected.

**Salvation Army** is providing emergency food parcels and many other services to residents during the time of isolation. Visit: <http://easternusa.salvationarmy.org/use/contact-the-salvation-army>

Visit **NY Connects** at <https://www.ny.gov/services> to search for health and many other resources in our community. You can also dial 1-800-342-9871

**United Way** - Covid-19 Community Economic Relief Fund to help with bills, rent and food.

Visit: <https://www.unitedway.org/find-your-united-way/> or Call 1-866-211-9996.

Give your Zip Code and you will be given a list of local agencies to provide assistance.

Visit **Aunt Bertha** at <https://www.auntbertha.com/> to search for health and many other resources in our community.

## Is your family having trouble paying for diapers?

The National Diaper Bank Network, a nonprofit organization, is working to set up diaper banks across the United States. To find a diaper bank near you, visit [www.diaperbanknetwork.org/](http://www.diaperbanknetwork.org/). If there is not a diaper bank near you, your local social services organization or religious group may provide diapers to families. You also can dial 2-1-1, a hotline available in most areas, for help.

<http://aapnews.aappublications.org/cgi/content/full/aapnews.20130729-1v1>

## What should I do if I cannot afford formula?

Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children (WIC): Mothers who qualify based on income can enroll in WIC to receive vouchers for formula, <https://www.fns.usda.gov/wic/wic-how-apply>

Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP): You can use your SNAP Electronic Benefits Transfer card (formerly called food stamps) to buy formula. If you are enrolled in WIC, you also might qualify for SNAP.

Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF): This program offers temporary cash assistance to qualified families. Locate your state TANF program at <https://www.acf.hhs.gov/ofa/help>.

<https://www.aappublications.org/news/2019/02/25/homemadeformulapp022519>

## Where can I get help if I do not qualify for benefits?

Feeding America is a nonprofit network of 200 food banks. Many provide free baby food, infant formula, diapers and other supplies. Visit <https://www.feedingamerica.org/find-your-local-foodbank>.