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What Am I Reading?

Welcome to our brand new 2-1-1 newsletter, "The 4-1-1 on 2-1-1"!

Now more than ever access to available resources is vital. We are starting this newsletter to highlight new and/or timely community updates. This is just a small highlight and may not contain all the information you need.

For more resources and for up-to-date information, please remember to contact us at 2-1-1 Ashtabula County! Just Dial 2-1-1.





Farmers to Families

“Farmers to Families” produce and dairy distributions are now offered at many locations throughout the county.

The distributions will be open to anyone regardless of income level. The distributions will be drive through, while supplies last. Only one order per household, limit of 2 households served per vehicle. Call 2-1-1 for a complete list. For more information, call Country Neighbor, 440-437-6311 (Barb).

This week’s upcoming Farmers to Families will be held on:

Tuesday, July 7th

Kingsville Elementary
5875 Route 193,
Kingsville, Ohio
11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

(or until out, whichever occurs first)

Tuesday, July 7th

Geneva Middle School
839 Sherman Street
Geneva, OH
12:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.

(or until out, whichever occurs first)

Wednesday, July 8th

Dragon Empowerment Center
Huron Elementary School
Ashtabula, OH
1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

(or until out, whichever occurs first)

Thursday, July 9th

Corpus Christi Parish Hall
“Please enter off of Sandusky Street”
744 Mill Street, Conneaut, OH
3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

(or until out, whichever occurs first)

Upcoming Mobile Food Pantry

The mobile food pantry program provides a produce give away in multiple places in the county.

Monday, July 6th

Conneaut Human Resource Center
327 Mill Street
Conneaut, OH
10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

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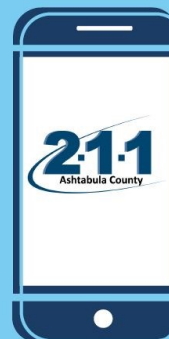
Plymouth United Methodist Church
970 Plymouth Rd.
Ashtabula, OH
2:00 p.m. until gone

Saturday, July 11th

St. John's Lutheran Church
811 South Broadway
Geneva, OH
9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Looking for your local food pantry? Need to know where you can go for a hot meal? Contact 2-1-1 today!

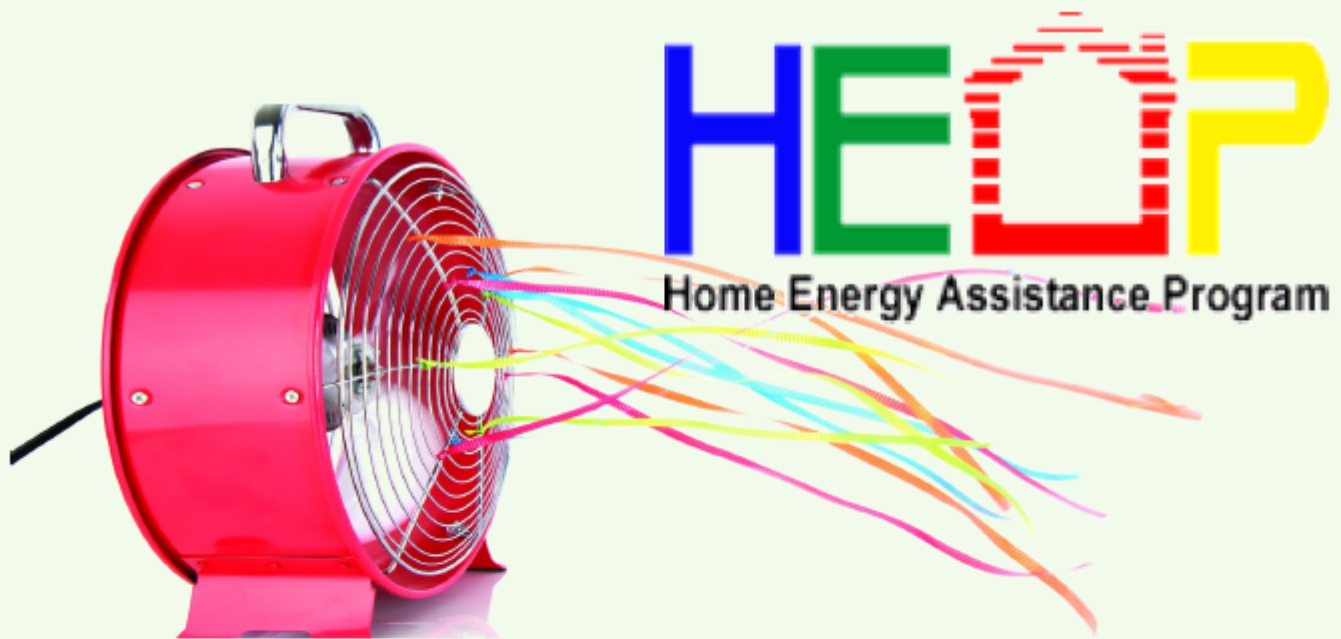
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Local information specialists available

M - F 8AM - 4PM

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Summer Crisis Program

July 1st– September 30th

To apply for the program, clients are required to schedule an appointment with the Ashtabula County Community Action Agency. Appointments can be scheduled by calling **440-381-8230**

Clients need to provide copies of the following documents for their appointment:

Appointments are completed by phone. Documentation can be provided electronically or dropped off at our 6920 Austintown Road location.

- Copies of their most recent energy bills;
- A list of all household members and proof of income for the last 30 days or 12 months for each member;
- Proof of U.S. citizenship or legal residency for all household members;
- Proof of disability (if applicable);
- Physician documentation that cooling assistance is needed for a household member's health (if there isn't a household member over the age of 60).

RESTART ASHTABULA COUNTY

SMALL BUSINESS ASSISTANCE

COVID-19 RELIEF GRANT PROGRAM

Ashtabula County Commissioners have created a small business relief grant program to provide financial aid to small businesses that have sustained economic hardships as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Eligible businesses can receive up to \$10,000 in assistance.

Criteria to be Eligible to Apply

1. Business must demonstrate a negative impact from the state mandated closures. Revenue must have declined by 30% or more as a result of COVID-19 since March 15, 2020.
2. Business must be located in Ashtabula County and had to be in operation prior to February 15, 2020.
3. Business must have more than 2 but fewer than 25 full-time equivalent employees as of March 15, 2020.
4. Annual gross receipts of the business must be less than \$2,000,000.
5. Ineligible businesses include tobacco, vaping, tattoo parlor, sexually-oriented, and primary alcohol sales such as carry-out or convenience stores. Non-profits and places of worship are also ineligible.
6. Businesses must be in good standing with local, state, and federal jurisdictions with respect to taxes.

How to Apply

- **Apply online at:**
www.ashtabulacounty.us.
- **Applications will be accepted starting July 1, 2020**
- **Must upload financial documents documenting revenue loss.**
- **Applications due July 31, 2020**

Eligible Expenses

- **Lease or Mortgage Assistance**
- **Operational Expense Assistance**
- **Unforeseen Expenses**



Review Criteria

- **Fully Completed Application**
- **Qualifying Business**
- **Loss of Revenue and/or Jobs**
- **Impact on Community**
- **Ability to Sustain**
- **Business History**
- **Other COVID Financial Assistance**

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Looking for community resources?

Connect with us!



DIAL 2-1-1

All day. Every day.



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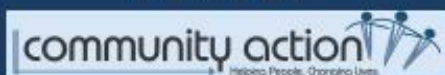
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Coping with COVID Support Group

Signature Health is providing a COVID-19 support group called, "Coping with COVID". It is a weekly case management group, designed to help individuals weather the difficult issues and emotions they are experiencing due to COVID-19.

They plan to discuss stress management, coping skills, and available resources. If you are currently a patient of Signature Health, talk with your provider for a referral to the group. If you are new to Signature Health, please call 992-8552 to schedule an intake appointment.

The group will be meeting Wednesdays at 11:00 am to 12:00 pm.

Call the CareLine for Support

The COVID CareLine is a new, toll-free number and emotional support call service created by the Ohio Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services. Behavioral health professionals will staff the CareLine from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., 7 days/week.

After 8 p.m., the CareLine will forward to the National Suicide Prevention Helpline, allowing those calling to have access to someone 24 hours/day.

To use the CareLine call 800-720-9616.

Healthcare Worker Counseling Helpline

The Mental Health Recovery Services Board and Signature Health want you to have the support you need to take care of yourself and your patients.

To that end, they are providing a Healthcare Workers Counseling Helpline. It is staffed 24/7 by Signature Health counselors. Healthcare workers in need can call, 440-578-8208.

Stop the Spread of COVID-19!



Did you know?

At least 40% of Ashtabula County's COVID-19 cases start in the community outside of healthcare facilities.

- This means **YOU** can be a part of the solution:
 - Practice Social Distancing as much as possible. (6 feet of distance between Individuals)
 - Remember to wash your hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds.
 - Please wear a Mask when in public.
 - Try your best to minimize the number of people you come in contact with.

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Protect yourself and others from COVID-19 by taking these precautions.

PREVENTION

For additional information call 1-833-4-ASK-ODH or visit coronavirus.ohio.gov.



YOU CAN STOP THE SPREAD.

Community Counseling Center's M.O.M.S Program Still Active

The M.O.M.S. (Maternal Opiate Medical Supports) program at the Community Counseling Center is still actively recruiting applicants. The M.O.M.S. program is focused on improving the health of pregnant women who have been diagnosed with an opiate use disorder, and their newborn children.

Care coordination and wrap-around services include: medication-assisted treatment options, dual-diagnosis counseling services, psychiatric services, transportation to and from medical appoints, recovery support services, housing assistance, OB/GYN referrals, and supported employment services.

Eligible applicants can enroll at the onset of pregnancy and stay in the program for up to one year after the delivery of their infants. All enrolled applicants will receive a car seat and a stocked diaper bag. For more information, please call 440-885-3027

Stitch and Share

Are you in need of a cloth mask? Not sure where to get one? Community Action is helping our clients and community members who lack the ability to get a mask through the Stitch & Share project.

If you NEED a mask, just dial 2-1-1, email 211@accaa.org, or text "COVID19" to 211-211.

Mask donations can be dropped off at Community Action at 6920 Austinburg Road, M-F from 8:30 am- 4:00 pm; or call 2-1-1 to arrange pick up.

Stitch & Share program hours are M-F from 8:30 am- 4:00 pm



Agencies Working Together for Help With Utilities



Ashtabula County's utility assistance agencies are here to help during the COVID-19 pandemic. The *Energy Assistance Collaboration*, including agencies such as Ashtabula County Community Action Agency, Catholic Charities of Ashtabula

County, the Salvation Army, Country Neighbor and others, are communicating and working together to ensure residents can keep their utilities on and stay connected. Have a change in income or struggling to pay your utility bill(s) due to COVID-19?

Call any one of the utility assistance agencies, or 2-1-1, to see if you may qualify for assistance. Ashtabula County Community Action Agency – 440-997-5957, Catholic Charities – 440-992-2121, Salvation Army – 216-225-8987, Country Neighbor – 440-437-6311, or, call 2-1-1 all day, every day for information on these programs or any other community resources.

**“Knowing Is Not Enough;
We Must Apply.
Wishing Is Not Enough;
We Must Do.”**

– Johann Wolfgang Von Goethe

This is only a short highlight of some of the timely 2-1-1 resources, please contact 2-1-1 for more information.