



**HOWARD COUNTY
LIBRARY SYSTEM**
Public Education for All

HOWARD COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM COMMUNITY DURING COVID-19

Programs Providing Grocery Money

Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)

(Formerly food stamps)

SNAP provides monthly assistance to low-income families to help them purchase food.

To apply: <http://dhs.maryland.gov/food-supplement-program/>

SNAP Ph: 1.800.332.6347

If you or someone you know does not have internet access or requires assistance with completing this online application, Maryland Hunger Solutions can assist over the phone.

Maryland Hunger Solutions SNAP enrollment help:

Ph: 866.821.5552 (leave a message)

Howard County Department of Social Services: Ph: 410.872.8700

Email: Howco.dss@maryland.gov

Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)

Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children (WIC) is a federally funded nutrition education program with healthy supplemental foods. Apply for WIC through the Maryland Department of Health. You may be eligible for WIC if you are pregnant or lactating, or have a child up to the age of 5, and you meet WIC income guidelines. Single fathers with children up to age of five are also eligible. You are already financially eligible to participate in the Maryland Children's Health Program (MCHP) if you receive food stamps, medical assistance, or temporary cash assistance.

For more information, visit <https://phpa.health.maryland.gov/wic/Pages/Home.aspx> or contact local Howard County office <https://www.howardcountymd.gov/Departments/Health/Women-Infants-Children-WIC>

Maryland WIC Hotline: 1.800.242.4WIC (4942)

Howard County WIC Assistance: Ph: 410.313.7510

Email: HowardWIC@howardcountymd.gov

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