

RESOURCES

Richmond Metropolitan Area **(City of Richmond and Counties of Henrico and Chesterfield)**

The Social Care Network

www.auntbertha.com is the link to the social network of resources for free or reduced cost services: food, housing, goods, transit, health, money, care, education, work and legal support for all ages. It also has a list of resources and hotlines for information about COVID-19. The link below has a list of resources for food throughout the Richmond metropolitan area. Go to the site and enter your zip code for services.

Resources for Seniors

Senior Connections, The Capital Area Agency on Aging www.seniorconnections-va.org offers a comprehensive range of Home and Community-Based Services for seniors age 55 and older, caregivers and persons with disabilities in the City of Richmond and the Counties of Charles City, Chesterfield, Goochland, Hanover, Henrico, New Kent, and Powhatan. Senior Connections has access to hundreds of community resources in the public and private sector. Call (804) 343-3000 or email questions to seniorconnections@youraaa.org.

City of Richmond Virginia

Citizens can apply for benefits or check the status of an previously submitted application by going to www.commonhelpvirginia.gov or by calling 1-855-653-4370. For more information citizens may call 311 or 804-646-7212.

www.richmondgov.com/OfficeonAging/index.aspx

The goal of the Office on Aging and Persons with Disabilities is to increase access and awareness of programs and services for older adults 55 and older, as well as for persons with physical and sensory disabilities in an effort to promote independent, healthy and safe environments. The program supports aging in place through a well-coordinated community base level of services for older adults who choose to remain active, independent and vital contributors to their communities, and older adults who may need additional assistance to remain independent. The program is also committed to persons with disabilities, both youth and adults, in ensuring equal access to services and programs that will support independence; as well as support to the caregivers of older adults and persons with disabilities.

www.richmondgov.com/SocialServices/index.aspx

The Richmond Department of Social Services (RDSS) is comprised of several different branches with specific areas of expertise. Each of these branches houses programs that help serve the citizens of Richmond. Programs and services provided by RDSS are funded through federal, state, and local funds, in addition to other grants and donations. All funds are used to further progress our mission of improving the quality of life for all Richmond citizens.

County of Henrico, Virginia

www.henrico.us/dss/

The Department of Social Services provides financial assistance and social services programs that effectively assist individuals and families to meet their basic human needs, increase their capacity to function independently, and to provide protection for abused and neglected children, and aged and disabled adults. Our mission is to improve the quality of life for Henrico county citizens by assisting them in meeting their essential human needs and encouraging their self-sufficiency.

County of Chesterfield, Virginia

<https://www.chesterfield.gov/569/Social-Services>

The Chesterfield-Colonial Heights Department of Social Services is a combined agency serving both the County of Chesterfield and the City of Colonial Heights. The [Social Services Board](#), comprised of 9 members representing both localities, governing the Department of Social Services.

City of Richmond Public Schools

<https://www.rvaschools.net/covid-19>

Beginning Monday, March 16, Richmond Public Schools will distribute meals at 20 school sites throughout the city. All RPS students can participate and families may go to any of the sites listed below. The sites will be open **Monday-Friday from 9:30am-12:30pm**.

Armstrong High School

2300 Cool Ln, Richmond, VA 23223

Binford Middle School

1701 Floyd Ave, Richmond, VA 23220

Blackwell Elementary School

300 East 15th Street, Richmond, VA 23224

Boushall Middle School

3400 Hopkins Rd, Richmond, VA 23234

Broad Rock Elementary School

4615 Ferguson Ln, Richmond, VA 23234

Chimborazo Elementary School

3000 E Marshall St, Richmond, VA 23223

Fisher Elementary School

3701 Garden Rd, Richmond, VA 23235

Francis Elementary School

5146 Snead Rd, Richmond, VA 23224

George Mason Elementary School

813 N 28th St, Richmond, VA 23223

Ginter Park Elementary School

3817 Chamberlayne Ave, Richmond, VA 23227

Greene Elementary School

1745 Catalina Dr, Richmond, VA 23224

G.W. Carver Elementary School *New site open 3/18/20*

1110 W Leigh St, Richmond, VA 23220

Huguenot High School

7945 Forest Hill Ave, Richmond, VA 23225

Lucille Brown Middle School

6300 Jahnke Rd, Richmond, VA 23225

Miles Jones Elementary School

200 Beaufont Hills Dr, Richmond, VA 23225

MLK Middle School

1000 Mosby St, Richmond, VA 23223

Reid Elementary School

1301 Whitehead Rd, Richmond, VA 23225

Oak Grove-Bellemeade Elementary School

2409 Webber Ave, Richmond, VA 23224

Summer Hill Preschool

2717 Alexander Ave, Richmond, VA 23234

Wythe High School

4314 Crutchfield St, Richmond, VA 23225

Additional Resources

<https://www.211virginia.org/consumer/index.php>

2-1-1 Virginia is a free service that can you find the local resources you need. 2-1-1 Virginia is brought to you by the Virginia Department of Social Services in partnership with: Council of Community Services • The Planning Council • United Way of Central Virginia • United Way of Greater Richmond & Petersburg • VAIRS

The Virginia Department for Aging and Rehabilitative Services www.vadrs.org provides quality programs and services that empower individuals with disabilities to maximize their employment, independence and full inclusion into society.

Virginia Easy Access www.easyaccess.virginia.gov for information on services for seniors and adults with disabilities and the providers that support them.

Healthy Richmond

Campaign www.richmondgov.com/CampaignHealthyRichmond/index.aspx

Central Virginia Food Bank & FeedMore www.feedmore.org offers comprehensive hunger programs that help provide food to Central Virginia's most vulnerable residents: children, families, and seniors. Call (804) 521-2500 for additional information.

Capital Area Partnership Uplifting People www.capup.org/CAPUP/Senior_Services provide a wide range of services for low-income, elderly persons. The Senior Center is located at 1103 Oliver Hill Way, Richmond, VA 23223. For more information call (804) 788-0050.

GRTC Transit System www.ridegrtc.com provides transportation services to the Richmond VA area and parts of Chesterfield and Henrico counties. These include fixed route and express route bus service, specialized services such as CARE and C-VAN, and RideFinders. Call (804) 358-4782.

Alzheimer's Association Greater Richmond Chapter www.alz.org/grva informs the community about signs & symptoms, stages, diagnosis, research progress, treatment and care of Alzheimer's disease and dementia. For more information call (804) 967-2580.

AARP www.aarp.org is a membership organization leading positive social change and delivering value to people age 50 and over through information, advocacy and service. For more information call (866) 542-8164.

Senior Navigator www.virginiannavigator.org is an internet service providing aging related information regarding health, housing, financial, legal & etc. for older adults, caregivers and family members. For more information call (804) 525-7728 or (866) 393-0957 (toll free) or info@seniornavigator.org