

COVID-19 NEWS BRIEF

May 8th, 2020

PA UPDATES

- Gov. Wolf announces 13 counties to open on May 15th, including Allegheny county. Updates from Gov. Wolf's office can be found: <https://bit.ly/2Wz1q86>
 - Process to reopen PA plan here. Allegheny county will be in "yellow" phase starting May 15th: <https://bit.ly/2yweumN>
- Attorney General released guide on where to get help and rights PA residents have: <https://bit.ly/35DrQcZ>
- 5 Questions about Workers Rights and Returning to Work: <https://to.pbs.org/3ceb8Dq>
- Gov Wolf announce protections against foreclosures and evictions through July 10th <https://bit.ly/3csx0Lz>

EDUCATION RESOURCES

- Remote learning PPS students: <https://bit.ly/2L7Vxcl>
- Grab and go meals (Distributing M, Tu, Fri): <https://bit.ly/2WD4bVE>
 - Pittsburgh Miller 2055 Bedford Ave, 15219
 - Pittsburgh Weil 2250 Centre Ave, 15219
- Info about PPS instructional packet pick up 412-529-HELP or <https://bit.ly/2Lb1zt8>
- Tech Help for Online Learning from Pitt's Technology Hotline (M-F, 9am- 5pm): (412) 383-0805. If prompted enter ID: 702 100 473# or more info at <https://bit.ly/3cp5bmY>
- Online prep: <https://www.khanacademy.org/>
- K- 12 Online Learning Resource: <https://bit.ly/3beK85n>

UTILITY RESOURCES

- All evictions in Allegheny County suspended
- Duquesne Light ceased shut-offs
- Comcast expanding internet to homes in need. Call 1-855-846-8376 or visit <https://www.internetessentials.com/>
- Pennsylvania American Water discontinued service shutoffs
- PA Public Utility Commission resources: <https://bit.ly/2SLdhPg>
- Utility payment support provided by Salvation Army of Western PA: <https://bit.ly/3dvVkMF> or 1-800-842-7279.

FOOD RESOURCES

- NRP food pantry hours: call 412-261-1234
 - M, W, F - 11:30am to 2:00pm; Tue, Th - Hot Meal Service 3:00pm - 5:00pm; Sat - Grab & Go Lunch 11:00am - 1:00pm
- Macedonia FACE lunchbox project provides supplemental food supplies. Call 412-281-2573
- Just Harvest helps in applying for food assistance benefits. Call 412 431-8960 x602
- Free Food Distribution Sites <https://bit.ly/2yqmWE1>

CDC TIPS

- Wash hands often for at least 20 seconds. Use hand sanitizer with at least 60% alcohol if water and soap unavailable.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth with unwashed hands.
- Keep at least 6 ft distance from others and stay home as much as possible.
- Wear cloth face cover when around others <https://bit.ly/3dkLqNu>
- How to make a non-sew mask: <https://bit.ly/2zfl5lo>

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

- Hill resources: <https://bit.ly/2WbmVNO>
- Testing site locations (do not show up without an appt.):
 - UPMC South Side Outpatient Center 2000 Mary St, Pittsburgh, PA 15203
 - Divine Providence Hospital 1004 Arch Street Pittsburgh, PA 15212
 - All the testing locations: <https://bit.ly/2L7VQUL>
- PA worker safety protocols: <https://bit.ly/2SKST0D9>
- Language resources for COVID-19: <https://bit.ly/2ysSbOR>
- Mental health support hotline through PA DHS 1-855-284-2494. For TTY, dial 724-631-5600