

Food Resources

Due to the evolving COVID-19 situation, information on this webpage may be subject to change.

PUSD FREE BREAKFAST + LUNCHES

PUSD will continue to serve free breakfast and lunch for all students under the age of 18. It is available to all PUSD children under 18, whether or not you are already registered for the free & reduced lunch program.

ALAMEDA COUNTY COMMUNITY FOOD BANK

If you need food TODAY, call the helpline at 1-800-870-3663 or (510) 635-3663 or visit foodnow.net. Line is open Monday-Friday from 9am-4pm.

CALFRESH

CalFresh is the new name for California's Food Stamp Program. CalFresh is a Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) that provides assistance for households to purchase nutritious food. The program uses an easy credit card format called Electronic Benefit Transfer (EBT) to purchase food at retail stores and farmers markets. Alameda County Food bank offers services in Spanish, Vietnamese, Cantonese, Mandarin.

Who May Be Eligible

- *All US citizens (Except persons receiving SSI/SSP benefits)*
- *Most immigrants - Legal Permanent Residents*

Online applications can be completed [here](#).

***As of 4/28/20, you will be able to use your CalFresh EBT card to make purchases online at Amazon and Walmart. Click [here](#) to learn more!

***Due to coronavirus (COVID 19), children who are eligible for free or reduced-price meals at school will get extra food benefits. These food benefits are called **Pandemic EBT** or P-EBT benefits. P-EBT benefits help families in California buy food when school is closed. If you have a question about the P-EBT, you can complete [this form](#). To learn how to set up your P-EBT card or why you haven't received your card yet, click [here](#).



CHILDREN'S EMERGENCY FOOD BANK

John Knox Prebyterian Church

The Children's Emergency Food Bank is a local non-profit organization serving Danville, Dublin, Pleasanton and San Ramon. The Food Bank provides food for families in emergency situations, rather than ongoing support. Appointments are made with volunteers, Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., who then meet with the recipients at our Food Storage Building. To make an appointment, please call the Food Bank answering service at (925) 828-5363.

FOOD BANK AT ST. RAYMOND'S CHURCH

This church provides a monthly grocery box. Please let a PUSD Social Worker or Parent Liaison know if you would like to sign up to receive these monthly boxes.

MCC FOOD DISTRIBUTION

5724 W. Las Positas Blvd. #300, Pleasanton

pantry@mcceastbay.org

Anyone in need of food is allowed to access food distributions, groceries, etc. during the shelter in place:

- *MCC Pantry: MCC volunteers distribute and deliver food care packages every other Saturday. To request food, please call our helpline at (925) 272-8325 or submit a request online at <http://mcceastbay.org/care>*
- *Alameda County Food Bank: MCC hosts twice weekly drive-through food distribution with our county partners. Just come to the MCC parking lot from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Tuesday or Thursday.*

OPEN HEART KITCHEN

Click [here](#) for an updated list of currently open locations. Only to-go meals will be offered until further notice.

VALLEY BIBLE CHURCH

7106 Johnson Drive, Pleasanton

Distributes bags of food on Thursdays from 6:30-8pm. Will offer a drive through service until further notice. Contact Wayne@thecrossing.org to confirm if it is still open.

DAVIS STREET FOOD PANTRY


Davis Street's Emergency Food Pantry is offering drive-through grocery pick up weekdays 10AM - 5:30PM. Call 510-561-9042 to schedule a pick up or come to the warehouse: 3081 Teagarden Street, San Leandro, CA 94577.

HEALCIRCLE MEAL PICKUP OR DELIVERY

Free Meals for Seniors, Sick and Those in Need: HealCircle is providing FREE nutritious meals for families of four from local restaurants either as pick up or delivery. If the family is smaller than 4, they can spread the meal out, but if the family is more than 4 individuals, they will need to share the food. You can learn more or request a free meal by completing [this form](#) or FreeHealMeal.com. If you have questions, please email help@healcircle.org. Meals can be requested on a weekly basis.

TRI-VALLEY HAVEN GROCERIES

418 Junction Ave, Livermore



Free grocery distribution, including fresh fruits and vegetables. The pantry is open Monday, Tuesday and Thursday from 1-5pm, Wednesday from 1-7pm, and Fridays and Saturdays from 12-4pm

TEXT ALERTS FOR FOOD DISTRIBUTION

There is contactless grocery box pickup that is available at different locations in the Tri-Valley based on the week. If you text "Get Groceries" to 31996 to receive reminders of when free groceries will be distributed!