## **PANDEMIC ASSISTANCE RESOURCES**

Resource	Assistance Available
Healthy at Home Eviction Relief Fund	Kentuckians can visit the site to seek information on
•	how to obtain a portion of \$15 million in federal
teamkyhherf.ky.gov	Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security
	(CARES) Act money. Details of the application of the
On September 4, 2020,, Gov. Beshear	funds include:
updated the state's executive order on	
evictions to reflect the U.S. Centers for Disease Control (CDC) and Prevention's moratorium on residential evictions through December 31, 2020.	<ul> <li>Eligible landlords can be reimbursed for missed rent payments and receive some advance rent payments to keep tenants in their homes.</li> <li>For eligible tenants, the program pays up to 90 percent of past-due rent and may also cover up to</li> </ul>
IMPORTANT NOTE: In order for a	two months of future rent.
homerenter to be eligible for eviction protection under the CDC guidelines, they must submit a declaration to their landlord.	<ul> <li>For approved applications, payments will be made directly to eligible landlords.</li> <li>Kentuckians may submit applications beginning</li> </ul>
The KY Equal Justice center has created an	today, Tuesday, Sept. 8, 2020.
app for renters to create the declaration (free	
of charge) which can be found here:	Please note: This fund is for all Kentucky counties
https://kyequaljustice.app.law/interview?i=do	outside of Jefferson County. Jefferson County has its
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8kM.yml#page2	program. See next row.
Louisville Eviction Prevention COVID-19 Relief Fund  https://louisvilleky.gov/government/develop-louisville/eviction-prevention	Designed to prevent new eviction cases and aid low-to-moderate income households that are delinquent on rent payments as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic. Households earning at or below 60 percent of the area median income (\$45,840 annually for a family of four) are eligible to receive rental assistance.
	Fund will pay for up to three months of rent for households facing COVID-related delinquencies.
	The funds may only be used to pay rent, and all payments will made directly to the landlord. See website for further eligibility requirements.
Kentucky COVID-19 Legal Helpline (Legal	The Kentucky COVID-19 Legal Helpline is sponsored
Assistance)	by Kentucky's Access to Justice Commission and the
	four Kentucky civil legal aid programs, AppalReD
https://www.kycovidlegalhelp.org/	Legal Aid, Kentucky Legal Aid, Legal Aid of the
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Toll-Free: 833-540-0342	
	Kentuckians seeking legal assistance related to:

## Eviction **Unemployment Issues** Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault, and Protective Orders **Custody and Visitation** Bankruptcy and Wage Garnishment **Feeding Kentucky** Numerous food resource links and phone numbers, including: https://feedingky.org/coronavirus/ Food Pantries by County Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) Pandemic-EBT (for families who have lost access to free or reduced school meals) **USDA** National Hunger Hotline Listing of Meal Sites in Louisville, Lexington, and Central Kentucky One Louisville: COVID-19 Response Fund Jefferson County residents with an income below 100% of the area medium income may apply at their local Neighborhood Place for financial vouchers up to https://louisvilleky.gov/government/neighbor hood-place/services/find-your-nearest-\$1,000 to help cover unexpected expenses, including: neighborhood-place-location Rent Childcare **Transportation** Food Utilities Medications **Healthy at Home Utility Relief Fund** Households who have an income up to 200% of the Federal Poverty Line and have been economically impacted due to COVID-19 can apply and receive https://www.capky.org/covid-19-resources/ assistance for the minimum needed to alleviate the water and wastewater crisis up to \$500. Applicants Governor Andy Beshear signed an <u>executive</u> order designating \$15 million in federal can reapply until reaching the maximum benefit. COVID-19 relief funds for the Healthy at Households can apply for electric and natural gas benefits once in a one month timeframe. The benefits Home Utility Relief Fund. The fund will provide relief to Kentuckians affected by each time are the minimum needed to alleviate crisis COVID-19 that need assistance with their for up to \$200. water, wastewater, electric, or natural gas service. Kentucky's Community Action All applicants will be required to supply the following Network is partnering with Team Kentucky to documentation at time of application: distribute these funds statewide.

Most current utility bill

Interested households should contact their local Community Action Outreach Office on how to apply. To locate your local office, please call 800-456-3452.	<ul> <li>Proof of arrearage, payment plan, or disconnect notice for utilities</li> <li>Proof of Social Security Number or Permanent Residence card (Green Card) for each member of the household</li> <li>Proof of all household's (all members) income from the preceding month</li> </ul>
Community Action Kentucky	Lists community resource links, including:
https://www.capky.org/covid-19-resources/ (Website may not allow hyperlink, so please Google "Community Action Kentucky")	<ul> <li>Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)</li> <li>CARES Act Program Funding</li> <li>Team Kentucky Fund</li> <li>Medicaid Enrollment</li> </ul>
Department of Corrections  https://corrections.ky.gov/Reentry/resources/ Pages/default.aspx	Various resources by region for ex-offenders reentering the community. Select region and then "Community Resources."
Kentucky Housing Corporation  http://www.kyhousing.org/Specialized- Housing/Documents/Community%20Resourc e%20Guide.pdf	Link to their "Community Resource Guide," which includes assistance by county for:  • Emergency Shelter • Medical and Mental Health Services • Permanent Housing • Education Services • Mortgage and Credit Counseling
2-1-1  https://www.211.org/services/essential-needs	Various resources, including assistance for:  • Housing • Food • Prescriptions • Healthcare

## **FRYSC**

https://chfs.ky.gov/agencies/dfrcvs/dfrysc/Pages/regions.aspx

Under "Additional Information" (bottom right) select "DFRYSC Database of Center Information" for listing by school district.

For constituents with children, offers assistance for:

- Food
- Educational Support
- Mental and Physical Health Needs

FRYSC is not the provider, but connects with local resources. They do not have a central contact number, so ask constituent what school and school district they are in, age group (see below), and find contact information on website at "DFRYSC Database of Center Information."

- FRCs Family Resource Centers. Typically serve Pre-school to Grade 6 children through elementary schools.
- YSCs Youth Services Center. Typically serve middle and high schools.
- FRYSCs Centers that serve Pre-school to Grade
   Typically in small school districts.