

**SEAS SVDP LOCAL RESOURCES INFORMATION**  
**WEEK OF MARCH 14, 2021**

**FOOD ASSISTANCE –HOUSTON FOOD BANK PARTNER DISTRIBUTION SITES** (this information is from the Houston Food Bank website). **SOME SITES REQUIRE PRE-REGISTRATION FOR THE FIRST TIME. CONTACT THE AGENCY FIRST.**

Cypress Assistance Ministry 10 AM to 2 PM, Monday to Thursday.

CAM serves clients in the 77065, 77095, 77429, 77433 and 77084 zip codes. Bring ID and proof of residency.

11202 Huffmeister Rd.

Cypressassistance.org phone: 281.955.7684

Monday March 15, 2021

(1) Cy-fair Helping Hands 9:30- 12:30 (food assistance every Mon. and Thurs, and 1<sup>st</sup> and 3d Saturdays).

7520 Cherry Park Dr. Ste B

281.858.1222

Thursday March 18 2021

(1) Cy-fair Helping Hands 9:30-12:30 (see above)

Saturday, March 20, 2021

(1) Cy-fair Helping Hands 9:30-12:30 (see above)

(1) Mesa Outreach 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM

16000 Rippling Water Drive, Houston 77084

281.599.8536

[www.mesa-outreach.org](http://www.mesa-outreach.org)

Other Food Help: Houston Food Bank has food pantry locator map at <https://www.houstonfoodbank.org/find-help/agency-locator/>. The Houston Food Bank also can provide help to persons applying for SNAP (food stamps). Call 832-269-9390 or go to [houstonfoodbank.org/fine-help/snap/](http://houstonfoodbank.org/fine-help/snap/)

School Age Children: Katy and Cy-fair ISD are providing free lunch to all students, regardless of need, whether attending class in-person or virtually. Contact your school for details.

**RENT ASSISTANCE**

Texas Rent Relief: This is a new rent assistance program managed by the State of Texas. Tenants may receive assistance even if their landlord does not apply. Eligibility requirements, registration, and additional information is available at [texasrentrelief.com](http://texasrentrelief.com), or by calling 833.989.7368. **Applications should be filed as soon as possible!**

Houston-Harris County Rent Relief. This is a new rent assistance program managed by the City of Houston and Harris County. Registration for landlords and tenants is now open. Tenants can see if their landlord has registered by using the Landlord Participation tool at the website. However, tenants may receive funds even if the landlord does not register. Additional information, eligibility requirements, and registration at HoustonHarrisHelp.org. **Applications should be filed as soon as possible!**

Harris County Community Development Services: This agency is administering rent relief funds from the State of Texas. The landlord must register and agree to participate in the program. Information at <https://housingandcommunityresources.net/covid-19-rental-assistance/>

Cypress Assistance Ministry- Call: 281.955.7684 to speak to an Assistance Counselor.

Veterans Services – Eligible veterans may be able to receive rental assistance and other services through Baker Ripley. Call 281.488.0318 or visit. [www.texvet.org/resources/supportive-services-veteran-families-houston](http://www.texvet.org/resources/supportive-services-veteran-families-houston)

**EVICTION MORATORIUM** The Center for Disease Control has issued an order for a nationwide moratorium on evictions for qualifying residents that have been substantially affected by the COVID-19 virus. The order is currently effective until March 31, 2021.

To be covered by the moratorium, a renter must provide a written declaration, signed under penalties of perjury, to the landlord. The declaration sets out the requirements to be met in order to be covered by the moratorium.

Information about the moratorium, and a copy of the written declaration that must be provided to the landlord, is available at <https://houstontx.gov/housing/landing/cdc-eviction.html> and at [texaslawhelp.org](http://texaslawhelp.org).

**EMPLOYMENT SERVICES**. Help for finding employment, including subsidized daycare, is available at [workforcesolutions.com](http://workforcesolutions.com). Workforce Solutions is a partner of the Texas Workforce Commission.

**LOW COST INTERNET** Comcast has a low-cost (\$10.00/month) program for new customers who are receiving public benefits. Also, the first 60 days are free. It is called Internet Essentials. Apply at [internetessentials.com](http://internetessentials.com).

**LOW COST AUTO LOANS**. Two non-profits provide low-interest auto loans to qualified applicants. See [www.ontheroadlending.org](http://www.ontheroadlending.org) and [www.carsbygrace.org](http://www.carsbygrace.org) .

**DOMESTIC ABUSE**- Domestic abuse and sexual assault services are available from the Houston Area Women's Shelter . Phone 713.528.2121 and [hawc.org](http://hawc.org).

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