

# Union County CARES

**Union County has resources available to help residents experiencing issues due to COVID-19.**



United Way  
of Union County  
[www.unitedwayofunioncounty.org](http://www.unitedwayofunioncounty.org)

## UNITED WAY OF UNION COUNTY COVID-19 COMMUNITY PORTAL

Are you looking for assistance? The United Way of Union County maintains a list of COVID-19 community resources on its website: <https://bit.ly/UCCOVIDINFO>. Please visit this site for more information or call 211.

### EASY ACCESS TO AVAILABLE RESOURCES

**211** is a great resource for information about community services in Union County. It's an easy way to connect with information on where to get help.



### UNEMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE

Anyone experiencing unemployment (temporary or permanent) due to COVID-19, including those unable to work due to quarantine, can file for unemployment online: <https://unemployment.ohio.gov> or by phone at 877-644-6562 or 614-387-8408.

### RENT & MORTGAGE ASSISTANCE

Short-term rent and mortgage assistance is available from The Hope Center, Bridges Community Action, and The Salvation Army. Foreclosure prevention programs are also available. Contact: United Way of Union County, 877-644-8381.

### FOOD & PERSONAL NEEDS

Food and personal/hygiene items are available throughout Union County, including in Marysville, Richwood, Plain City, Magnetic Springs, and Milford Center. Contact: United Way of Union County, 877-644-8381.

### ENERGY & UTILITY ASSISTANCE

Those struggling to pay energy bills (natural gas, electric) or other utilities can contact the United Way of Union County at 877-644-8381.

### WI-FI HOT SPOTS

The State of Ohio has been working with providers to find public hotspot locations that residents can use in areas where they may not otherwise have access to internet from home. For more information, please visit: <https://innovateohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/innovate/news/news-and-events/04042020>

### MENTAL HEALTH RESOURCES & CRISIS INTERVENTION

This is a difficult time for everyone. If you are overwhelmed and feeling hopeless or helpless, there are resources available right here in Union County.

- 24/7 Hotline: 800-731-5577
- Text 4help to 85511
- Walk-In Crisis Assessment - Maryhaven at the Mills  
715 South Plum Street, Marysville  
Available 5:00 PM to Midnight, 7 days a week



### LOST INSURANCE COVERAGE

Those who lost insurance coverage are eligible for a special enrollment period to gain new coverage. For more information, contact the Ohio Department of Insurance at 800-686-1526.

### PRESCRIPTION MEDICATION ASSISTANCE

The Union County Health Department provides short-term assistance for those needing help with prescription medication. For assistance, please call Tim Kelley, Union County Health Department, at 937-642-2053.



## Questions about COVID-19?

If you have questions regarding COVID-19, including potential symptoms or where to get tested, please contact the Union County Health Department by calling **937-642-2053** or visiting <https://unioncountycovid.org>.

You can also call the Ohio COVID-19 Resource Line:

**833-4-ASK-ODH**

### COVERAGE OF TESTING & TREATMENT

Testing and treatment related to the COVID-19 virus has been declared an emergency medical condition under Ohio law. Such services must be covered without preauthorization at the highest level among three rates: in-network, out-of-network, or Medicare.



### ASSISTANCE FOR VETERANS

The Union County Veterans Service Commission offers temporary and emergency financial assistance to eligible Union County Veterans or their immediate family members. Help with food, basic utilities, prescriptions, mortgage and/or rent, and other bills may be considered on a case-by-case basis.

Please contact the Veterans Service Commission by calling 937-642-7956.

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