

SEPTEMBER RESOURCE HIGHLIGHTS



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Remote Learning/Childcare

Hybrid school schedules and remote learning are going to pose a challenge to many working families, and the landscape of childcare is changing fast right now with new “hubs” being set up by the state. Childcare financial subsidies are available to households on a sliding scale all the way up to those earning \$77,256 for a family of four! Visit <https://dcf.vermont.gov/benefits/ccfap> for the application and a list of the agencies that can help you to find care in your area.

Promoting Mental Health & Wellness

COVID Support VT aims to help alleviate the emotional impacts of the pandemic by connecting Vermonters to: easy-to-access self-help tips, resources for emotional well-being and mental health supports, connections to community services, and local/national helplines.

To learn more, visit

[COVID SUPPORT VT](https://covidsupportvt.org/)

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Need help with past-due bills?

Vermonters suffering hardship from COVID-19 can now get help with past due bills through a new Arrearage Assistance Program. See your Resource Coordinator to learn more about financial support for customers of regulated utilities who may face disconnection of service because of past-due balances.

Visit <https://publicservice.vermont.gov/> for the application.



Getting connected at home

Are you struggling to get the internet at home? Do you have K-12 students or need to work from home due to COVID-19? The Department of Public Service is issuing grants to eligible and qualifying residents to help extend telecommunications lines to their homes. Limited funds area available. See your Resource Coordinator for eligibility information and program guidelines, or go to

<https://publicservice.vermont.gov/>



For even more resources, join our Facebook group at <https://www.facebook.com/groups/WorkingBridgesNorthwest/>

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