



Mason County COVID-19 Response

Daily Information Release

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"Stay Home, Limit Travel, Save Lives"

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COVID-19 KNOWN AS NOVEL CORONAVIRUS:

Mason County has eighteen (18) confirmed cases of COVID-19 at the time of this release.

Positive cases are **located throughout Mason County**. Assume **everyone**, including yourself (with or without symptoms) could have COVID-19 and act accordingly.

FOOD DONATIONS AND LOCATIONS IN OR NEAR MASON COUNTY:

All donations **MUST** be pre-scheduled and received in person. Anything dropped off or left unattended must be thrown away due to safety concerns.

- **Saint's Pantry: 214 South 2nd St, Shelton WA 98584** 360-427-8847
Open: Tuesday and Wednesday, 9:30-11:45 am
*giving out pre-made bags of food
- **Hood Canal Food Bank: 331 N Finch Creek Rd, Hoodspport WA 98548** 360-877-6507
Open: 1st and 3rd Mondays, 12:15-2:45 pm
*serving Brockdale, Hoodspport, Lilliwaup, Union, Alderbrook, and the Tribal Reservation
- **McCleary Food Bank (in Beerbower Park): 100 3rd St, McCleary WA 98557.** 360-495-3667
Open: 2nd and 4th Mondays, 9:00-11:00 am,
- **Community Food Bank: 71 NE Old Belfair Highway, Belfair WA 98528** 971-813-4027
Open: Mondays, Tuesdays, and Fridays, 12:00-5:00 pm
*curbside deliveries and operating until the food is gone
- **North Mason Food Bank: 22471 E State Route 3, Belfair WA 98528** 360-275-4615
Open: Tuesday, 10:00 am-1:45 pm, Wednesday, 1:00-4:45 pm, Thursday, 2:00-3:45pm
- **Matlock Community Church & Food Bank: 218 Matlock-Brady Rd, Elma WA 98541**
360-426-3091
Open: Wednesday 12:00-2:00 pm
- **Meals on Wheels Delivery in Mason County: Available by phone or email**
7:00 am-3:00 pm Stephanie Penland 360-586-6181 ext. 124
NutritionCoordination@SouthSoundSeniors.org

UNEMPLOYMENT QUESTIONS:

- For **questions about Unemployment** and how the processes work, please visit the Chamber of Commerce websites for more information.

BUSINESS/NON-PROFIT ASSISTANCE:

- **Working Washington Small Business Emergency Grant program** available to small businesses. For more information on eligibility and for the application visit Washington State Department of Commerce at <http://startup.choosewashingtonstate.com/covid-grants/>

AGENCIES:

Hospital and Medical Facilities:

- Mason Health is offering telehealth services in support of our patients. Patients can schedule phone consultations and video conferencing with their primary care, behavioral health and specialty providers. Contact your provider for more information -- and check <https://www.masongeneral.com/services/telehealth> for updates.
- Mason Health is now accepting donations of cloth masks and we are also now requesting pediatric masks. To donate, send an email to foundation@masongeneral.com.
- All Patients/Visitors must wear a mask when entering Mason Health facilities.
- Anticoagulation services and pregnancy ultrasounds have been relocated to the former MGH Surgery Clinic at 1710 N. 13th Street in Shelton. Please schedule any appointments for these services as usual.
- COVID-19 Respiratory Illness Triage Line 360-427-3615
- District (Hospital and Clinics) visiting hours are restricted and by appointment only for Birth Center and End-of-Life patients. Only one visitor permitted.
- For up-to-date Hospital and clinic hours changed, please visit our website at www.masongeneral.com or on the following social media platforms – Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and LinkedIn.
- Birth Center patients – Please follow the signs on the north side of the building (Emergency Department side). Call 360-427-9558 before your arrival. One visitor allowed. Masking is required.
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Mason County Transit Authority (MTA):

- Beginning today, April 13, 2020, the **MTA route to and from Olympia is suspended** due to The Olympia Transit Center closure. Dial-A-Ride services will be used to fulfill those essential trips to and from Olympia. Please call the customer service line Monday through Friday, 8:00 am to 5:00 pm at 360-427-5033 to set up your rides.

WHERE DO I FIND INFORMATION?

For more information visit:

- Mason County's website <http://www.co.mason.wa.us/COVID-19/index.php>
- WA State Department of Health's website www.doh.wa.gov
- CDC's website www.cdc.gov
- Mason County Public Health Information line 360-427-9670 ext. 599
- The Mason County Links page has been updated with more helpful links.
- State Coronavirus Website: <https://coronavirus.wa.gov/>