SUPPORTS FOR SENIORS IN QUEENS COUNTY

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General



Canadian Red Cross

Providing general information to those affected by COVID-19 1 (800) 863-6582 Seniors Info Line Information about provincial programs and services 1 (855) 550-0552

Chipman Community Care

Emergency food boxes available 2nd Thursday of the month. (506) 339-5565

• Care 'N' Share

Chipman Family Resource Centre. Ongoing support for families. <u>chipman@frc-crf.com</u> (506) 339-6726

Community Food Smart

A monthly bulk food buying club that purchases quality fruits and vegetables at affordable prices. Delivery may be available.

- Minto: Contact Emily (506) 327-7906
- Chipman: Contact Valerie
 (506) 339-6726
- Cambridge-Narrows/ Gagetown/ Jemseg/ Cole's Island: Contact Oromocto Food Bank (506) 357-3461

Social Development

Social Assistance Email <u>sd-ds@gnb.ca</u>

1 (506) 453-2001

Minto Services to Seniors

Provides Home Support Service for Seniors and Meals on Wheels in Minto and surrounding areas, (506)-327-6198

Oromocto & Surrounding Area Foodbank

Emergency food provisions serving Gagetown, Jemseg, Cambridge-Narrows, & Cole's Island. Delivery may be available / (506) 357-3461

Grocery Stores and Delivery

Some grocery stores are providing delivery or curb-side pick up. Some are opening their doors early for seniors and those with other health concerns to give them an opportunity to shop with fewer customers around. Hours may have changed. Contact your local store.

• Chimo Help Line (NB)

Feeling lonely? Looking for help? CHIMO offers a 24/7 confidential and caring crisis phone line. They are ready to listen and help. 1 (800) 667-5005

• Friendly Calls (run by the Red Cross)

Feeling isolated or lonely due to COVID-19? Register to receive a friendly weekly phone call. Monday to Friday 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. / Contact 1-833-729-0144

• Ability NB

Support for individuals with a mobility disability /1 (866) 462-9555

• Canadian National Institute for the Blind (CNIB)

Assistance for those with visual impairments / 1 (800) 563-2642

Addictions & Mental Health Services
 A general phone line for mental health concerns / (506) 453-2132



Mental &

Physical

Health





Government of Canada Information on Benefits

Information on benefits/pensions during COVID-19/ Online at <u>https://www.canada.ca/en/services/benefits/publicpensions/notice-covid-19.html</u>/ 1 (800) 277-9914

Service Canada Outreach Support Centre

If you are facing any barriers to accessing benefits and services, the Service Canada Outreach Support Centre can help. Outreach workers are available Monday to Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at 1-(877)-464-2657.

• Low-income Seniors' Benefit NB

Offering a one-time \$400 benefit to low-income seniors/ Online at <u>https://www2.gnb.ca/content/gnb/en/departments/finance/promo/seniors.html</u> 1-(800)-669-7070

Home Energy Assistance Program

Offering a one-time payment of \$100 to help cope with high energy costs/ <u>https://www2.gnb.ca/content/gnb/en/departments/finance/promo/heap.html</u>/ 1 (800) 669-7070

• Emergency Fuel Benefit

Designed to provide assistance to eligible households to assist with the costs of winter heating / 1 (866) 444-8838 <u>https://www2.gnb.ca/content/gnb/en/services/services_renderer.200993.Emergenc</u> <u>y_Fuel_Benefit.html</u>

• NB Drug Plans for Seniors

Plans to cover prescription drugs for seniors/ 1 (800) 332-3692 www.gnb.ca/drugplan



• Emergency Social Services

Phone line to provide crisis counselling and/or arrange for financial assistance/ 1-866-444-8838 (Mon-Fri) or after hours call 1-(800) 442-9799

Questions? Contact: United Way of Central NB (506) 459-7773 ext. 204 / info@unitedwaycentral.com Please note this list of supports is not exhaustive and is subject to change.



