

Southern York County Resources

Food Assistance & Medical Assistance

School Lunch Program (Free Reduced Lunch) – apply online at <https://www.schoolcafe.com/>

Southern York County Food Pantry

Located at St. John The Baptist Church
315 N. Constitution Avenue
New Freedom, Pa
Call: 717-235-6370

Harvest Food Pantry

Located at Grace Fellowship Church
82 E. Forrest Avenue
Shrewsbury, PA
Call 717-235-7474, Option 5

Gifts of Grace Food Pantry

473 Plank Road
New Freedom, PA
Call 717-235-4029

Southern Community Services /YMCA Southern Branch (Food Pantry/Emergency Food Assistance)

Located at the YMCA in Shrewsbury
100 Constitution Avenue
Shrewsbury, PA 17401
Call 717-235-0446 ext.408
Contacts: Theresa Geroux, SCS Director

SNAP (Food Stamps) – apply by phone: #877-999-5964

Compass in PA - Apply for state benefits online (medical, food or cash assistance, Liheap, etc...)

<https://www.compass.state.pa.us/Compass.Web/Public/CMPHome>

Financial Assistance for other needs (security deposits, bills, car, medication, etc..:

St. John the Baptist Church, Philanthropy program
Contact: St. Vincent DePaul Society
717-235-2156 ext. 234 (leave a message and should receive a call within 24 hours)

Clothing Closets in the area (call to make sure time are still accurate)

Dream Center Community Closet

78 E. Forrest Avenue
Shrewsbury, PA
717-235-7474, Option 2
Open: Monday: 12-2 PM and Wed. 4-7 PM

St. John the Baptist Clothing Bank

315 N. Constitution Avenue
New Freedom, PA
Open Wed. 10-11 AM and Sat 9-11 AM

Housing Assistance/Financial Case Management

The Next Door Program (Bell Socialization Services) – Control main list/funding for county housing assistance

16 West King Street
York, Pa
717-356-2957

Community Progress Council (CARES ACT rental assistance)

226 E. College Avenue
York, PA 17403
Phone: (717) 846-4600
Fax: (717) 854-8658
Website: www.yorkcpc.org

York County Assistance Office (Call or apply in person for emergency assistance-utilities/cash/food)

130 N. Duke Street
York, PA
717-771-1100

Southern Community Services /YMCA Southern Branch (*Homeless Referral/Assistance+CARES ACT Rental Assistance*)

Located at the YMCA in Shrewsbury
100 Constitution Avenue
Shrewsbury, PA 17401
Call 717-235-0446 ext.22
Theresa Geroux, Director

Shelters - Housing

Changing Lives Shelter (Women, Children and Men)

136 Carlisle Street
Hanover, PA
717-633-6353

York Rescue Mission – (Women and children)

17 & 27 Jefferson Ave
York, PA
717-845-5947

Bell Family Shelter – (Families)

852 E. Market Street
York, PA
717-845-9536

PA 211 - Resource Call Center

Call 211 from any phone in PA and they will provide you with a list of services in the area to meet your needs.

***If you have any questions regarding these resources or face barriers accessing the help you need, please contact Ms. Jill Platts, Social Services Coordinator, at SYCSD for assistance. You may reach Ms. Platts at jill.platts@syncsd.org or (717) 235-4811 Ext. 4571. Resources may also be located on our district website, www.syncsd.org, under Departments/Social Services.**