COVID-19 Resource: Eviction Prevention

Due to COVID-19 services and programs are changing rapidly.
Please contact agencies directly to determine the availability of their individual programs.

Dakota County residents who are experiencing a short-term financial hardship with an eviction or utility shut-off can take the following actions to apply for financial assistance.

Youth-headed households with or without children who are 18-24 can contact Stephanie Plaster from The Link at 612-205-7944 for youth specific eviction prevention funds.

Veterans who have been financially impacted by the COVID-19 Pandemic should contact Dakota County Veterans Services at 651-554-5601 or vets@co.dakota.mn.us

Eviction Prevention

Rent Help MN
Special instructions: you may qualify if you can answer “yes” to the following questions:
- Are you a renter household?
- Does your household income meet the program’s limits?
- Has someone in your household (1) qualified for unemployment, or (2) had a decrease in income or increase in expenses due to COVID-19?
- Is someone in your household at risk for housing instability or homelessness?
Call 211 if you have questions or need assistance with the application. Go to the Rent Help MN website for more information.

Dakota County Emergency Assistance or Emergency General Assistance
Call 651-554-5611 or go to the Dakota County website for more information.

CAP Agency
Call 651-322-3500 or visit the CAP Agency website for more information.

Neighbors Emergency Assistance
For households in:
- South St. Paul
- West St. Paul
- Inver Grove Heights
- Mendota Heights
- Mendota
- Sunfish Lake
- Lilydale
Call 651-455-5000 and request to speak with a Client Engagement Specialist.
360 Communities – Burnsville Resource Center
For households in:
- Burnsville
- Eagan
Call 952-985-5300 for assistance.

360 Communities – Rosemount Resource Center
For households in:
- Rosemount
- Farmington
- Lakeville
- Apple Valley
Call 651-322-5113 for assistance.

Hastings Family Services
This agency serves households in the Hastings community. Call 651-437-7134 for help.

Legal Aid
Southern Minnesota Regional Legal Services
Contact the agency for eligibility. Call 1-888-575-2954 or go to the SMRLS website for assistance.