

GUEST DIGEST

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COVID Update

Governor Tim Walz has extended the Stay at Home order until May 4th.

Call the Front Desk at 612-332-4500 to discuss special needs.

As of right now, there are no known cases of or exposures to COVID-19 in the shelter. Guests do not need to remain in their room, but should work on practicing social distancing. If you are sick or been instructed by a medical professional, please stay in your room.

Shelter & Supports

PSP Reminders

People Serving People maintains a commitment to promote a healthy and safe environment for you and your family. You are expected to adhere to People Serving People's policies and procedures; failure to do so will result in warnings, community service or restriction from shelter. We would like to remind you that with this, Guest's can't enter another Guest's room for any reason, unless there is a babysitting form on file at the Front Desk. Visiting other Guest's rooms is also a public health hazard that could increase the chance of catching COVID-19 (there is no known case in shelter, but that may change).

Clinic Update

Clinic hours have been extended and are listed below.

At this time, in-person clinic services will be limited.

The Clinic is available during the following times: and clinic staff will help you over the phone.

Mon & Wed 9am-4pm

Tues, Thurs, Fri 9am-12pm

Please call first: 612-396-6157

If you have any questions please check in with the Front Desk.

Outside of the clinic times listed above you may call

612-348-5553 to speak to a provider.

Stay up to date on our resource page at:

www.peopleservingpeople.org/shelter-guests/

Here you will find answers to more commonly asked questions, community and public health updates, previous flyers and much more!





K-12 Programming

TRC: Homework Time

After School Activities staff will be providing space for students 5th-12th grades to do homework on computers in the TRC. Parents can sign their students up for sessions and drop them off. The TRC will be open for two different sessions each day, Monday- Friday.

Session 1 is from 3:15-4:15pm

Session 2 is from 4:30-5:30pm

Sign ups will be posted outside room 213/214

The TRC will be still be available for families to use outside of the times listed above. Please refer to the hours posted on the TRC door for these times.

Quiet Space:

After School Activities will also be providing space for students grades K-12 to do homework quietly in rooms 213/214. This will consist of 3 sessions that are based on grade level Monday-Friday

Session 1 is from 9:15am-10:15am

Session 2 is from 10:30am-11:30am

Session 3 is from 1:15pm-2:15pm



More details and sign ups will be posed outside of room 213/214

Students must bring their own work and will be expected to work quietly during the session.

Only sign up for sessions for your student's grade level

For any questions on either of these programs please see Megan Rm 206 or call/email with any questions: 612-332-4500 mcollins@peopleservingpeople.org

Masks Q&A

When do you need to wear a cloth face covering?

According to the CDC, if you decide to wear a cloth face covering, it should be worn whenever people are in a community setting, especially in situations where you may be near people. These face coverings are not a substitute for social distancing. Cloth face coverings are especially important to wear in public in areas of widespread COVID-19 illness.

Who should not wear cloth face covering?

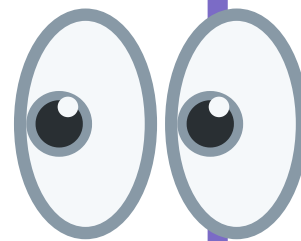
Cloth face coverings should **not be placed on young children younger than 2 years of age**, anyone who has trouble breathing, or is unconscious, incapacitated or otherwise unable to remove the cover without assistance.

Why is CDC recommending cloth face coverings instead of medical grade face masks?

Surgical masks and N95 respirators are in short supply and should be reserved for healthcare workers or other medical first responders, as recommended by CDC guidance.

Be on the lookout!

Next week staff will be delivering some donated items such as coloring books, activity pads, crayons and snacks.



Please Remember With Masks:

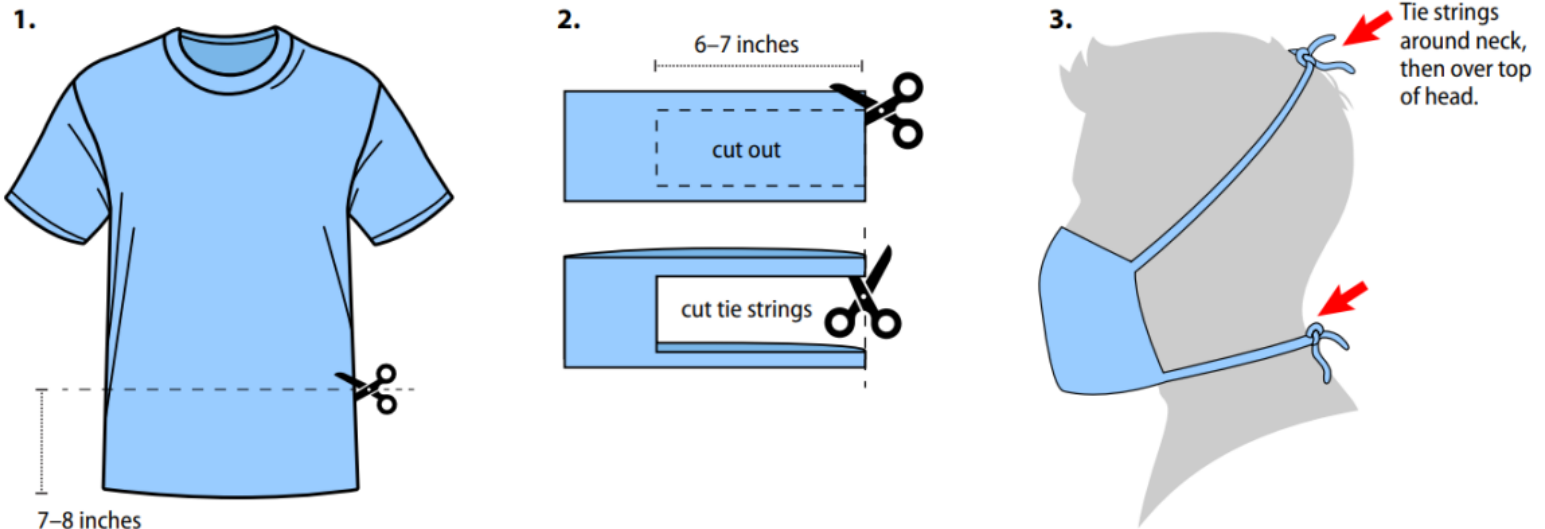
- Make sure you can breathe through it
- Wear it whenever going out in public
- Make sure it covers your mouth and nose
- Wash after using
- DON'T use if under two years old

Quick Cut T-shirt Cloth Face Covering (no sew method)

Materials

- T-shirt
- Scissors

Tutorial



If you opt to wear a mask, the CDC and World Health Organization (WHO) recommend the following:

- Put on ("Don") and take off ("doff") your mask using the guidance in Figures 1 and 2.
- Make sure the mask covers both the mouth and nose and try to limit any gaps between the face and the mask.
- While in use, avoid touching both the mask and your face. If you must touch your mask, wash your hands before and after with soap and water.
- Replace masks with a new clean, dry mask as soon as they become damp/humid.
- Masks should be thoroughly cleaned between each use. A washing machine should suffice for properly cleaning a cloth face mask.
- Always wash hands after removing your mask.

Figure 1. Putting On or "Donning" Mask



- Secure ties or elastic bands at middle of head and neck
- Fit snug to face and below chin
- Fit-check respirator

Figure 2. Removing or "Doffing" Mask



- Front of mask/respirator is contaminated- DO NOT TOUCH!
- If your hands get contaminated during removal, immediately wash your hands or use hand sanitizer
- Grasp bottom ties or elastics of the mask/respirator, then the ones at the top and remove without touching the front
- Discard in a waste container or wash

Career fairs and events



Virtual Event – Employers of the Day – April 13

All are welcome to attend the upcoming Employers of the Day virtual event.
Monday, April 13, 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

If you'd like to register prior to the event, please visit <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/connect-with-employers-of-the-day-virtual-event-tickets-101898830144>. Pre-registration is not required to attend this event.

Event links and registration will also be posted on the Hennepin County Employment Service website, at <https://www.hennepin.us/employmentservices>.

Virtual Event Agenda:

Guests can join the event online at <https://hc.adobeconnect.com/employersoftheday/> or by phone at (612) 543-9329 with participant code: 52660138.

Each employer will give a short presentation about their company, the positions they are currently hiring for and how to apply. After each presentation, there will be a short, guided question and answer session.

Event Schedule:

10:00 a.m. – 10:10 a.m. - Welcome

10:10 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. – Mains'l (Direct Support Professionals)

10:30 a.m. – 10:50 a.m. – Minnesota Veterans Home – Minneapolis
(Maintenance Workers, CNA, LPN)

10:50 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. - Upcoming events

This event is free and open to all career seekers, workforce professionals, employment services staff, counselors, etc. This event is hosted by Hennepin County and the City of Minneapolis.

After the Event:

Access questions and answers, review employer presentations, and register for the next event at: <https://www.hennepin.us/employmentservices>.

If you have questions, please contact:

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