

Helping Hands – Miscellaneous Information for Citizens

COVID-19 Pandemic

UNEMPLOYMENT, LEGAL AID, TAXES

FAQ on Stimulus payments, unemployment, and student loans. <https://www.nytimes.com/.../coronavirus-stimulus-package-ques...>

IRS official FAQ on stimulus payments <https://www.irs.gov/.../economic-impact-payments-what-you-nee...>

Deferring Tax payments <https://home.treasury.gov/news/press-releases/sm948>

Filing for unemployment

<https://unemployment.state.ok.us/>

800-555-1554 (Outside the Oklahoma City calling area)

TTY/TDD: 866-284-6695

FAQ for COVID-19 unemployment.

<https://www.ok.gov/.../Claimant Unemployment Insurance FAQs o...>

Legal Aid Unemployment during COVID-19 FAQ <https://oklaw.org/.../covid-19-unemployment-insurance-fags-im...>

SOCIAL SERVICES

Call 211 for social service referrals, or find social services through their online directory: <https://www.211oklahoma.org/>

Social services in Lawton can also be found in the library's updated Helping Hands handouts. <https://www.lawtonok.gov/.../Helping%20Hands%20Printable%203....>

SMALL BUSINESS

SBA COVID-19 resources <https://www.sba.gov/.../coronavirus-covid-19-small-business-g...>

Free software for remote working [https://www.forbes.com/.../free-software-for-businesses-and.../...](https://www.forbes.com/.../free-software-for-businesses-and.../)

HOUSING

Eviction suspension for some homes - On March 18, 2020, President Donald Trump ordered 60-day the suspension of evictions and foreclosures on single-family homes covered by mortgages insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA).

Mortgage loan servicers have relief options available. <https://www.newson6.com/.../coronavirus-relief-for-rent-and-m...>

If you are being evicted, Legal Aid is still screening people for help:

<https://oklaw.org/resource/covid-19-response>