Funds Established By NJ Non-Profit Groups Providing Emergency Cash Assistance to Immigrant Families Excluded from Federal and State Assistance (Please Donate)*

ALICE Recovery Fund (#ALICErecovery)

This fund was established by United Way of Northern New Jersey in partnership with United Way of Hunterdon County to address emerging needs of <u>ALICE</u>® (Asset Limited, Income Constrained, Employed) households and those in poverty in response to the COVID-19 pandemic. The state of emergency created by the spread of the coronavirus is exposing critical shortcomings in our economy, health care system, and public education. No one is immune to its direct or indirect effects, but ALICE families are particularly vulnerable to hardship from both illness and economic disruption. These households struggled to afford the basics even before COVID-19 hit. Across our six counties, 30 percent of households are ALICE and in poverty and United Way expects more will become ALICE as this crisis persists. http://www.unitedwaynnj.org/ALICErecovery

Make the Road New Jersey

New Jersey's half million undocumented immigrants and their 128,000 U.S. citizen kids have been left behind by virtually every form of federal COVID-19 relief. New Jersey's undocumented immigrants pay \$1.1 billion in federal taxes and \$600 million in state and local taxes each year. 125,000 NJ undocumented immigrants work in the hardest hit industries and are likely to lose their jobs. Still others are continuing to do the back breaking, risky frontline work to get key goods and services to New Jerseyans sheltering in place. None will receive a penny of relief or health coverage. Make the Road New Jersey builds the power of immigrant and working class communities to achieve dignity and respect. Our fund will distribute cash assistance to New Jersey families and individuals left behind by government aid.

https://www.maketheroadnj.org/covidrelief

One Fair Wage Emergency Fund

Tipped workers and other service workers were already struggling. In this crisis, they need our help.We're providing cash assistance to restaurant workers, car service drivers, delivery workers, personal service workers and more who need the money they aren't getting to survive.our generosity can immediately help a service worker and their family not slip even further into poverty during this crisis. Tipped workers and other service workers who are seeing their customers decline, or those forced to quarantine at home

and not get paid, need immediate support. Please give what you can! <u>https://ofwemergencyfund.org</u>

Coronavirus Care Fund - National Domestic Workers Alliance

For many in-home care workers, nannies, and house cleaners the threat from Coronavirus is especially severe. Without access to health care, paid sick leave, or job security, they are being forced to navigate this crisis alone — **without a safety net**. The money donated to the Coronavirus Care Fund will provide immediate financial support for domestic workers, and enable them to stay home and healthy — **protecting themselves, their families and their communities while slowing the spread of the Coronavirus**.

https://secure.actblue.com/donate/coronavirus-care-fund?refcode=covidfundwebpage

New Labor

The very same people who are holding up the New Jersey economy during the time of the COVID-19 crisis are the folks who are being disproportionately exposed to this deadly virus. These are working class immigrants of color; these are the members of New Labor. New Labor is a statewide worker center with a 20 year history of organizing low-wage workers to improve, enforce, and fight for their labor rights. Today, the New Labor members who have fought for and shaped so many worker protections that benefit everyone, are the same people who are the most at risk. That is why we have built a fund for New Labor members aimed at supporting those who are COVID-19 positive and those who are out of work and unable to afford basic necessities. The fund has already gone to so many folks to help them get better or to make it one more month paying the rent. And while we continue to push for a larger financial support from the government, we rely on the kindness and support of individual donors to help New Labor members get by. Every bit counts. https://bit.ly/3acM6mi

South Jersey Undocumented Solidarity Fund

There are many who have lost their jobs, experienced reduced working hours, are dealing with health issues from the virus, and potentially face unexpected funeral costs due to the COVID-19 pandemic. However, the undocumented immigrant community is excluded from unemployment insurance and has been left out of other federally funded programs.

The current crisis with COVID-19 has revealed what many immigrant workers have always known. While our society now classifies their work in agriculture, food

processing, and services as essential to keeping our grocery shelves stocked with food and our economy running, they have always been treated as expendable.

CATA has created a fund as a concrete way to distribute financial support to undocumented individuals and families throughout Southern New Jersey who are struggling due to the COVID-19 crisis. We appreciate any amount you can give. To donate, please visit:

www.gofundme.com/f/south-jersey-undocumented-solidarity-fund

Movimiento Cosecha

Undocumented and immigrant families across the country are struggling due to the disastrous effects of the coronavirus outbreak. **Facing either massive layoffs or unsafe working conditions, immigrants are already struggling to keep their families safe and afford basic monthly expenses.** Because undocumented immigrants don't have access to healthcare, unemployment benefits, and most state or federal emergency relief, they are particularly vulnerable during this dangerous and uncertain time. **Movimiento Cosecha** is organizing immigrants and allies to support the undocumented community throughout the pandemic. Sign up now to show your support for immigrants and receive updates about how you can support. <u>www.lahuelga.com/#header-eng</u>

COVID19 Undocumented Families Fund

(New Jersey Hispanic Bar Association of New Jersey, the Hispanic National Bar Association (Regional III), New Jersey Hispanic Bar Foundation)

Please consider supporting such families in need by donating to our COVID-19 Undocumented Families Fundraiser. We have identified a substantial number of undocumented families throughout New Jersey who need assistance. All money raised will be used to purchase ShopRite gift cards that will be confidentially distributed to these families. Please consider sponsoring one or more families for just \$100.00 per family per week. Any and all donation amounts are much appreciated. To donate, please text **"TodosUnidosNJ"** to **44321** or donate directly on our website by <u>clicking</u> <u>here</u>.

American Friends Service Committee

Your contribution supports our COVID-19 response local emergency relief fund, which will provide direct assistance to our clients and community members. 100% of the funds that we raise will go to cover the costs of basic needs such as food, housing and

household essentials. We are taking concrete measures to stand in solidarity with our communities and support each other, especially in this difficult moment. (LINK)

NAKASEC -National Korean American Service & Education Consortium, Inc.

This is a COVID Emergency Mutual Aid Fund offering \$500 in cash assistance for Korean/Asian American immigrants that didn't qualify for governmental aid due to immigration status. Link

Wind of the Spirit

https://www.eservicepayments.com/cgi-bin/Vanco_ver3.vps?appver3=wWsk24ZWJST ZKsGd1RMKlgoBDvsSG3VIWQCPJNNxD8upkiY7JlDavDsozUE7KGonFx2NSo8LdUK GuGuF396vbXOmXyDRAJtYDJAefOfcoHGXHubq5Z7ap5JVmPErc4ZeYHCKCZhESjG NQmZ5B-6dxwOgM2fLGSwWCTyuxcoV134=&ver=3

Laundry Workers Center COVID-19 Emergency Response Fund

Though designated as essential workers, many of our members have been denied essential state and federal aid. No healthcare, no personal protective equipment, and no relief packages. Every day when these workers show up to work at laundromats, restaurants, and warehouses, they must face the risk of life or death infection.

Laundromat workers are at an especially high risk, handling bags of soiled clothing without proper protection in continually overcrowded workplaces. Now, our members are reporting that they and their coworkers are getting sick.

But we can help prevent this. We can limit the spread of coronavirus in the most vulnerable communities by raising emergency relief funds. Take a moment to donate today. La Lucha Continua! Donate here: <u>bit.ly/LWC-COVID-19EmergencyFund</u>

Laundry Workers Center is a 501(c)(3) tax deductible organization. *If you'd like to donate in some other way, please contact us at <u>laundryworkerscenter@gmail.com</u>.

Interfaith Neighbors COVID-19 Emergency Assistance Fund

Interfaith Neighbors is pleased to announce the establishment of a COVID-19 Emergency Assistance Fund for Monmouth County individuals and families experiencing financial distress as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic. Interfaith Neighbors' Rental & Mortgage Assistance Program is administering the fund. The program remains fully operational and is working remotely at this time. Anyone in need of immediate assistance can call the office at (732) 775-0525 and leave a detailed message. Please note that due to the high volume of calls, your call may not be returned on the day it is received. Thank you for your patience during this unprecedented time and stay safe.

Both IFN's Rental & Mortgage Assistance program and COVID-19 Emergency Financial Assistance awards are being made at this time. The financial assistance award for the COVID-19 Emergency Fund can be used for utilities, repairs, food and medicine, insurance payments and other essential living expenses.

IFN is also working in conjunction with local agencies who are also recipients of the Stone Foundation of New Jersey funding support. They include:
– Lunch Break of Red Bank – providing emergency relief up to \$1,000 for urgent living expenses to applicants adversely affected by COVID-19. Call 732-747-8577, ext. 3203

– Parker Family Health Center in Red Bank – emergency funds available by calling 732-212-0777.

– HabCore – providing emergency relief up to \$1,000. Call 732-544-1975 x. 1 or visit habcore.org.

<u>Princeton Children's Fund Coronavirus Emergency Relief Fund</u> (Princeton families)

Our Coronavirus Emergency Relief Fund is supported in part with grants from the Princeton University Relief Fund and the Covid-19 Relief & Recovery Fund of the Princeton Area Community Foundation. We are grateful to Princeton University, PACF, and to all of our donors as these gifts enable us to provide critical support to Princeton residents during these difficult times.

If you need financial assistance amid the business shutdowns and quarantine, please submit a request (Spanish or English) to the Coronavirus Emergency Relief Fund at <u>https://www.princetonchildrensfund.org/</u>

Unidad Latina en Acción

Unidad Latina en Accion NJ is a grass-root organization in Mercer County, New Jersey with community members that are day laborers, domestic workers and low-wage workers. And in the threat of the Coronavirus (Covid-19), ULA NJ recognizes the

vulnerabilities our community faces in the midst of the pandemic and inevitable economic and health emergencies. Their only safety net is their immediate family members, their worker centers, and their community-based organizations. The closure of workplaces, restaurants, and construction sites among others, will have an unprecedented impact on the lives of all low-wage, contingent, and precarious workers.

Due to the nature of the work day laborers perform, there is no aid that they can apply to. There is no reason immigrants should be excluded from obtaining protections, medicine and services in a global pandemic. Day laborers keep our city running; they fix and build our homes; keep our yards beautiful; and support thousands of New Jersey families throughout the state with their accessible and skilled labor.

100% of funds raised will go directly to support Day Laborers in Princeton NJ. This emergency assistance is to be used for reasonable and necessary personal, family and living expenses incurred as a result of the coronavirus pandemic, including--but not limited to--preventive health equipment and medical care. Your donations are tax deductible and your solidarity will never go unseen!

http://unidadlatinanj.org/campaign/DayLaborerEmergency?fbclid=IwARovzgVIW835 J6rMdnd2yS4ZJs7YYVBJTCsVg_fOpXy4aTz4QSj9ZbnmXvk

Mission Asset Fund: Immigrant Families Fund

Millions of immigrants are working on the front lines of the COVID-19 crisis, risking their health and well-being every day to keep our society going. And yet, many immigrants were left out of the CARES Act relief. The COVID-19 Rapid Response Fund is providing financial support to immigrant families who have been left out of the federal government's relief efforts. Immigrants may be eligible to receive a \$500 grant to help cover whatever is most pressing in their lives.

Eligibility

Not eligible to receive a CARES Recovery Rebate (coronavirus stimulus check) from the Federal government.

Earned less than \$99,000 or total household income below \$198,000 in 2019. Experienced an income disruption due to the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic. Process

Sign up today at <u>https://missionassetfund.org/immigrant-families-grant/</u> Based on funding availability, we will invite people to submit a pre-application. We are reviewing

pre-applications on a rolling basis. If funding is available, we will invite eligible applicants to submit a full application. If we approve your application, we will deposit a \$500 grant directly into your bank account.

***PLEASE NOTE:** This is <u>not a comprehensive listing</u> of family relief Funds available during the COVID19 pandemic in New Jersey. This is a partial listing of Funds available now and accepting donations to expand their ability to support more families. Additional Funds can and will be added over time, and this document reissued. To ensure you have the latest draft - contact Yarrow Willman-Cole at New Jersey Citizen Action. <u>yarrow@njcitizenaction.org</u>