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DENTAL SERVICES

<p>City of Houston Dental Bureau</p>	<p>houstontx.gov/health/Dental/index.html</p>	<p>Provides care to children with Medicaid, CHIP, Title V funding, City Dental cards and legal guardians enrolled in WIC. Has different locations: Magnolia: 7037 Capitol Street Houston, TX 77011; 713-928-9578 Northside: appointments only 8504 Schuller Houston, TX 77093; 713-742-1320 Sharpstown: for children with Medicaid and CHIP only 6201 Bonhomme Rd Houston, TX 77036; 713-780-5680 Sunnyside: 4605 Wilmington Houston, TX 77051; 713-732-5065</p>
<p>Denver Harbor Clinic</p>	<p>denverharborclinic.org</p>	<p>Provides care to children of all ages. Accepts Medicaid, CHIP, CHIP Perinatal, Medicare; offers sliding scale fee discount. 424 Hahlo Street Houston, TX 77020; 713-674-3326</p>
<p>Good Neighbor Health Care Center</p>	<p>freeclinics.com/det/tx_Good_Neighbor_Healthcare_Cente</p>	<p>Provides care to patients 7 years and older 190 Heights Blvd Houston, TX 77007; 713-529-3260</p>
<p>Harris County Public Health Clinic</p>	<p>publichealth.harriscountytexas.gov/Service-S-Programs/Services/HWC/Health-and-Wellness-Clinic-Locations</p>	<p>Clinic is available for maternity clients, children with current Medicaid eligibility and Title V funding, and other children with family income up to 200% of the federal poverty guidelines. Call for an appointment. Antoine Health Clinic: 5815 Antoine, Suite A Houston, TX 77091; 713-602-3355 Southeast Dental Clinic: 3737 Red Bluff Pasadena, TX 77503; 713-740-5013</p>
<p>Houston Children's Dental Center</p>	<p>houstonchildrens.com</p>	<p>Provides care to children (18 months-21 years) and those with special health care needs. Accepts Medicaid, CHIP, and most private insurances. 7007 N Frwy, Suite 400 713-481-9500</p>
<p>Legacy Clinic (Baker-Ripley)</p>	<p>legacycommunityhealth.org</p>	<p>Provides care to mainly children (6 months - 14 years). Accepts Medicaid, CHIP, other private insurances; offers sliding scale fee discounts. 6500 Rookin St, Building B, Suite 200 Houston, TX 77074 713-351-7350</p>

San Jose Clinic Mission Dentistry Group	sanjoseclinic.org	Offers exams, fillings, extractions, and cleanings. Cash only. Eligible for children (5 years +) and adults. 2615 Fannin; 713-228-9411
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EYE GLASSES AND HEARING AID ASSISTANCE

Assistance for eye exams, glasses or hearing aids should be requested through your local Lions Club. Local clubs determine their ability to help individuals based on their club funds availability. Your local Lions Club organization will be able to advise you on and possibly offer assistance for the purchase of hearing aids or eyeglasses. You can search for and contact your local Lions Club using our [FIND A LOCAL CLUB](#) website.

With the Club Locator there are two ways to search for clubs:

- “Keyword” search allows users to type in a club name or a partial address, and will yield results that match your search term exactly. This is great if you want to find a particular club by name or find all the clubs in your city or country, for example.
- “Location” search is powered by Google Maps, and it allows users to find all the clubs nearby a particular location. A search by town name may yield several results because it will approximate the location of the town on a map and search for all the clubs within a certain radius of that location. This is a powerful way to search if you want to find clubs near your home address.

Once you've located a club, click the envelop icon to send a message to the club.

SCHOOL CLOTHING & UNIFORM ASSISTANCE

Area schools have reported that they have a counselor on site or will collaborate with another school in the area to provide social services including clothing/uniform assistance. Contact counselor at specific campus and they will assist in getting clothing/supplies for any in need. Not only can counselor provide uniforms and school supplies, if needed, but they can stay in contact with families in case they need other types of services, including basic needs, mental health supports, etc. If your child is enrolled in a magnet or private school other options for assistance are listed below.

Organization	Website	Service
Alief Independent School District	aliefisd.net	Contact counselor at specific campus and they will assist in getting clothing/supplies for any in need. Not only can counselor provide uniforms and school supplies, if needed, but they can stay in contact with families in case they need other types of services, including basic needs, mental health supports, etc 281-498-8110
Alvin Independent School District	alvinisd.net	Contact counselor at specific campus and they will assist in getting clothing/supplies for any in need. 281-388-1130
Assistance League Operation School Bell	assistanceleague.org/houston/operation-school-bell	Assistance with school supplies, clothing and uniforms 281-675-2493. Program services school districts including: Houston, Spring Branch, Alief and Harris County Head Start. contactus@alhouston.org
Catholic Charities	Catholiccharities.org	Clothing closet 713-526-4611
Christian Community Service Center	ccschouston.org	Assists with back to school items including clothing for following zip codes: 77002, 77003, 77004, 77005, 77006, 77007, 77009, 77010, 77011, 77012, 77016, 77019, 77020, 77021, 77023, 77025, 77026, 77027, 77028, 77029, 77030, 77031, 77033, 77036, 77046, 77056, 77057, 77072, 77074, 77081, 77096, 77098, 77401. 713-961-3993
Clothed By Faith	clothedbyfaith.org	Assists with school supplies, clothing and uniforms from three locations. clothedbyfaith.org/request-individuals (to request clothing). 281-676-8837
Compassion Katy	compassionkaty.org	Provides backpacks and school supplies for children attending Title I schools in Katy ISD. School counselors inform guardians of children receiving free/reduced lunches

		about the service. The caregiver may voluntarily register for assistance as well. 832-535-2542
Conroe Independent School District	conroeisd.net	Community Outreach Office. 936-709-7752 To get assistance go to counselor at your specific school and explain medical situation, financial burden and assistance will be given without application.
Dickinson Independent School District	dickinsonisd.org	Contact counselor at specific campus and they will assist in getting clothing/supplies for any in need 281-229-6000
Fort Bend Independent School District	Fortbendisd.com	Contact counselor at specific campus and they will assist in getting clothing/supplies for any in need. Rachel McCune is the counselor coordinator and can be reached at Rachel.mccune@fortbendisd.com . 281-634-1000
Galveston Independent School District	gisd.org	Contact counselor at specific campus and they will assist in getting clothing/supplies for any in need. 409-766-5100
Goose Creek School District	gccisd.net	Contact counselor at specific campus and they will assist in getting clothing/supplies for any in need. 281-420-4800
Hitchcock Independent School District	hitchcockisd.org	Contact counselor at specific campus and they will assist in getting clothing/supplies for any in need 409-316-6545
Houston Independent School District	houstonisd.org	Contact counselor at specific campus and they will assist in getting clothing/supplies for any in need. Not only can counselor provide uniforms and school supplies, if needed, but they can stay in contact with families in case they need other types of services, including basic needs, mental health supports, etc. 713-556-6000
Interfaith Caring Ministries	icmtx.org/school-supplies	Assistance with school supplies, clothing and uniforms for students in Clear Creek and Friendswood school districts 281-332-3881
Katy Independent School District	katyisd.org	Contact counselor at specific campus and they will assist in getting clothing/supplies for any in need. Not only can counselor provide uniforms and school supplies, if needed, but they can stay in contact with families in case they need other types of services, including basic needs, mental health supports, etc. 281-396-6000
Klein Independent School District	kleinisd.net	Contact counselor at specific campus and they will assist in getting clothing/supplies for any in need 832-249-4000

<p>LaPorte Operation School Supplies</p>	<p>lpisd.org</p>	<p>Assistance with school supplies, clothing and uniforms. For students in this district only. School vouchers through counselor. Each campus has a clothing closet. On Aug 5 they hold a back pack and school supply give away. If want to reserve school supplies or clothing you can email Janci Alfaro at Alfaroj@lpisd.org and she will reserve items for child (281-604-7123). 281-604-7000 main campus phone</p>
<p>Memorial Assistance Ministries</p>	<p>mamhouston.org/services</p>	<p>Assists with back to school items including clothing for following zip codes: 77008, 77009, 77018, 77022, 77024, 77037, 77039, 77040, 77041, 77043, 77055, 77076, 77079, 77080, 77088, 77091, 77092 346-415-6169</p>
<p>My Brother's Keeper</p>	<p>houstonhealth.org/services/family-child-health/mbk</p>	<p>Assistance with school supplies, clothing and uniforms 281-498-9933 12621 Bissonnet, Houston TX 77099</p>
<p>New Caney Operation School Supplies</p>	<p>newcaneyisd.org</p>	<p>Contact counselor at specific campus and they will assist in getting clothing/supplies for any in need 281-577-8600</p>
<p>Santa Fe Independent School District</p>	<p>sfisd.org</p>	<p>Contact counselor at specific campus and they will assist in getting clothing/supplies for any in need 409-925-3526</p>
<p>Spring Branch Independent School District</p>	<p>springbranchisd.com</p>	<p>Contact counselor at specific campus and they will assist in getting clothing/supplies for any in need. Not only can counselor provide uniforms and school supplies, if needed, but they can stay in contact with families in case they need other types of services, including basic needs, mental health supports, etc. Maria UribePizana is the contact for all districts if you have questions: 713-251-2212</p>
<p>St John Methodist</p>	<p>stjohnsdowntown.org</p>	<p>Assistance with school supplies, clothing and uniforms 713-659-3237</p>
<p>St John Vianney</p>	<p>stjohnvianney.org</p>	<p>Assistance with school supplies, clothing and uniforms. Must make appointment by calling. They operate a resale ship called Joseph's Coat and can assist families through that program. Service area 77077 and 77079. 281-497-1500</p>

FOOD ASSISTANCE

Houston Food Bank

Operates several programs for those in need of food assistance. You can put in your zip code and the site will pull up all food pantries in a three mile radius.

- The Houston Food Bank Client Assistance Program (CAP) provides assistance to people who don't have enough money to buy food, and to people who need healthcare for their families through Medicaid, CHIP, Women's Health Initiative. In some cases, help is available to pay bills through TANF cash benefits. Keegan's Kitchen
- Keegan Kitchen is named after Mary Barden Keegan, a community volunteer and activist who founded the End Hunger Network in 1985. Her determination to help Houston's hungry was sparked by a televised report about poverty and hunger within the Houston area.
- Visit their website to find a food pantry, meal site, and/or shelter near you:
houstonfoodbank.org/agency-locator
- You can also call the Houston Food Bank Helpline (number below) to find a pantry near you. 832-369-9390
- HFB has an app that can locate food assistance within 3 miles of your location.

Emergency Food Pantry

- The purpose of the Emergency Food Pantry is to serve working families who can't access their neighborhood pantry.
- Requirements: Photo ID or two other forms of identification
- Proof of employment like a paycheck or paystub from an employer dated within 30 days of your visit
- These services can be provided every full 30 days
- To find a pantry near you, call 832-369-9390; 535 Portwall Street, Houston, TX 77029

Your Texas Help

- yourtexas.org
- This site will assist with food location, rental assistance etc.

Gulf Coast Community Association

- gccsa.org/food-assistance
- The **GCCSA Food Pantry** is a Gold Status Houston Food Bank Partner that serves individuals and families who are in need of food in the Greater Houston area. Help with food for 3 – 5 day supply. Assistance one time per year.

Brighter Bites

- Non-profit initiative bringing fresh produce to families while also providing nutrition education. Currently working with various Houston area schools and community centers.
- The project introduces families to fresh produce (each family is given 50 servings of fruits and vegetables in a recyclable bag each week) with combined nutritional education over a 16-week program.
- brighterbites.org

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- Call 2-1-1 to get information on food banks in your area. This service also assists with finding many other community health and human services.
- Visit their website below to search for food banks by zip code or city. You can also visit the United Way Houston website, enter your zip code in the keyword box:
referral.unitedwayhouston.org/Search.aspx
- 211texas.org/cms/search-food-resources-in-texas
- Phone: 877-541-7905

Doctors For Change

- Food Banks and other community resources by zipcode
- dfcguide.org/docs/Food%20Insecurity-5.pdf

WIC Enrollment

- WIC provides money (in the form of an EBT card) for eligible mothers to purchase approved foods for their infants and/or children.
- Required to re-qualify every 6 months and to attend nutrition classes every 2 months. Call to make an appointment to begin the application process.
- dshs.state.tx.us/wichd
- Phone: 832-393-5427

SNAP Enrollment

- Formerly called Food Stamps, SNAP Food Benefits provides money (in the form of an EBT card) for food to individuals and families in need.
- The amount and duration of money provided depends on your family size and income status. Instructions on applying for the SNAP program can be found in the document below, or you can apply online using the link below. Call the Houston Food Bank Hotline if you need assistance applying.
- yourtexasbenefits.com/ssp/SSPHome/ssphome.jsp
- Phone: 832-369-9390 (Houston Food Bank Hotline)

LIFE Houston – Local Infant Formula for Emergencies

- Southeast Houston
 - Monday – Thursday 9:30 AM – 3:30 PM; Friday 9:30 AM – 2:00 PM
 - Requires:
 1. Document showing baby's name and birth date
 2. Photo ID for parent/caregiver
 3. Doctor proof of need for specialized formula
 - 2002 S. Wayside Drive, Suite 113 Houston, TX 77023; 713-528-6044
- Central LIFE/Houston
 - Monday – Thursday 9:30 AM – 3:30 PM Friday 9:30 AM – 2:00 PM
 - 170 Heights Blvd. Houston, TX 77007; 713-864-9993
- Southwest LIFE/Houston Monday – Thursday 9:30 AM – 2:00 PM
 - 9600 S. Gessner, Building E Houston, TX 77071
 - 713-270-0369 Food Benefits
 - Client will initially be given enough formula to provide 32 ounces per day for one week

Emergency Food Options

- Loaves and Fishes: Provides free hot meals.
 - Hours: Tuesday - Sunday 11:00 to 11:30AM
 - 2009 Congress Ave Houston, TX 77002
 - Phone: 713-224-1373
 - magnificathouse.org
- Hester House: Food pantry once a month for registered clients.
 - Assists with gas and rental need
 - Phone: 713-672-2573
 - julianchesterhouse.org
- St. John's United Methodist Church: Food and clothing distribution program.
 - Hours: Wednesdays beginning at 7:00AM, until it is gone.
 - 2019 Crawford Houston, TX 77002
 - Phone: 713-659-3237
- House of Amos: Emergency food pantry.
 - Immunizations and ESL classes also offered.
 - Hours: Monday to Friday 9:00AM - 12:00PM Saturdays 10:00AM - 12:00PM
 - 8030 Boone Road Houston, TX 77072
 - Phone: 281-495-9061
 - houseofamos.com
- Community Family Center: Offers food pantry and ESL classes.
 - Hours: Monday to Friday 8:00AM - 4:30PM
 - 7524 Ave E Houston, 77012
 - Phone: 713-923-2316
 - communityfamilycenters.org
- Angel Food Ministries: 70-80 host sites in Harris County.
 - Call for host site information: 1-877-366-3646
- Champions Covenant Church: Services to families in need of food.
 - Low cost daycare available for children ages 6 weeks to kindergarten.
 - Friday night activities for children as well from 6:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.
 - 13111 Bammel N. Houston Road Houston, TX 77066
 - Phone: 281-397-7569
 - championscc.org

Summer Feeding Program

- The Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) has created the Summer Feeding Program which provides low-income children ages 18 and younger with nutritious meals during the summer vacation.
- Visit their website to find a summer feeding program site near you.
- Summerfood.org
- or text FOOD to 304-304

FREE CELL PHONE SERVICE

Provider	Cost	Eligibility Requirements	Details
qlinkwireless.com/ signup/lifeline-covid- relief-bill/	Through Lifeline and Emergency Broadband Benefit Programs, Q Link Wireless provides Free Unlimited Data, Talk & text to eligible Americans.	You must qualify for Lifeline and/or EBB by participating in government benefit programs like SNAP, Medicaid, SSI, and more. Additionally, you may be eligible if your household income is at or below 135% of the federal poverty level, or if you are currently unemployed.	UNLIMITED Data, Talk & Text with Picture Messaging every month. Bring your own phone and keep your phone number. Will get a free SIM Card with free activation. Part of America's largest 4G LTE/5G Network

LOW COST INTERNET

Provider	Cost	Eligibility Requirement	Details
AT&T att.com/internet/access/	\$5.00-\$10.00/mo. Plus tax. Price based on maximum speed available at your address Free installation No Contract	At least one person in household must participate in SNAP, National School Lunch Program (NSLP), and Head Start Program or meet household income based on 135% or less than federal poverty guidelines.	Include 150 GB of data allowance per month depending on type and speed of service. Will be charged \$10 for each additional 50 GB of data usage if monthly allowance is exceed.
Comcast Xfinity internetessentials.com 855-846-8376	\$9.95/mo. Plus tax. Free 60 day internet service for new customers if apply and approved by 12/31/2021. Afterwards regular price \$9.95/mo.	New and existing Xfinity customers who are eligible for public assistance programs; National School Lunch Program (NSLP), housing assistance, Medicaid, SNAP, SSI, VA pension, or Tribal assistance.	Have not subscribed to Comcast internet in the last 90 days.
Altice Suddenlink alticeadvantageinternet.com 888-633-0030	\$14.99/mo. Plus tax. \$20 installation fee applies. New student customers can benefit from a \$5/mo. discount for 3 months for enrolling in Auto pay & paperless billing.	Live in a household with K-12 and/or college students or are an active certified/licensed teacher, professor, faculty, instructor or staff member of a U.S. K-12 school, or college.	Offer subject to change and discontinuance without notice. Former Suddenlink accounts previously not in good standing may not be eligible.
Federal Communication Commission lifelinesupport.org	\$9.25 off monthly internet or phone bill through certain ISPs. Can only use Lifeline for phone or internet, but not both.	Households that make less than 135% of federal poverty guidelines or have at least one person in household who participates in public assistance programs; SNAP, SSI, Veterans Pension and Survivor Benefits, Federal Public Housing Assistance	Lifeline is a government program funded by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC). It provides a monthly phone or internet service discount for low-income households

		(FPHA), Medicaid, or Tribal Programs	
Emergency Broadband Services getemergencybroadband.org	Discount up to \$50/month towards broadband services and equipment rental.	Household may qualify if they've had a loss of income due to unemployment or are enrolled in other eligible government assistance programs. For more information visit the website.	A one-time discount of up to \$100 for a laptop, tablet, or desktop computer (with a co-payment of more than \$10 but less than \$50) One monthly service discount and one device discount is allowed per household.

HOUSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY DIGITAL MEDIA



hoopla is a groundbreaking digital media service offered by your local public library that allows you to borrow movies, music, audiobooks, ebooks, comics and TV shows to enjoy on your computer, tablet, or phone – and even your TV! With no waiting, titles can be streamed immediately, or downloaded to phones or tablets for offline enjoyment later. Hundreds of thousands of titles to choose from, with more being added daily.

Your public library at your fingertips.

Begin your Application!

By Mail or Email:

Complete your Library Card Registration form and attach a quality copy of an acceptable form of identification. Email the completed application to circinfo@hpl.lib.tx.us or mail to:

Houston Public Library
System Circulation Department (Library Card)
500 McKinney
Houston, TX 77002

After applying for a card, you must pick up your card at any of the Houston Public Library locations to access or borrow any physical materials or you can simply benefit from our virtual library. **No physical library card is needed to enjoy the electronic resources!**

HOUSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY TECHNOLOGY RESOURCES

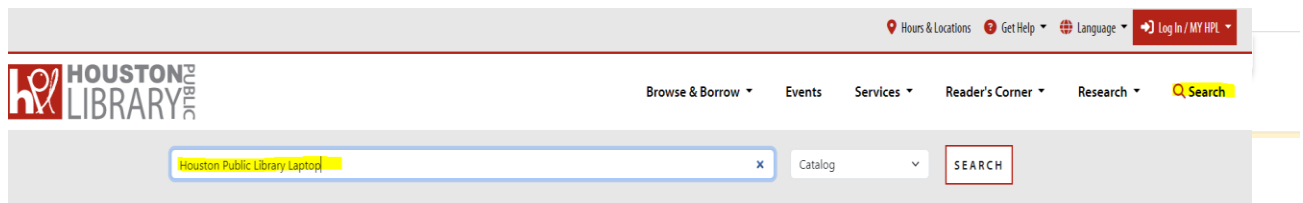
The Houston Public Library (HPL) now has laptops and hotspots available to check out for all library card holders.

Laptops and mobile hotspots can be check out for up to 3 weeks.

To check out a technology resource please visit the Houston Public Library website at houstonlibrary.org

Central Library Phone: 832-393-1313

- At the top of the HPL site select “Search”. Type the technology resource you need; “Houston Public Library Laptop” or “Houston Public Library Hotspot” and click “Search”



- Laptop:** You have two options, “Laptop” or “Laptop with Wifi”. After making your selection, click on “Place Hold”.



Hotspot: click on “Place Hold” to continue checking out device:

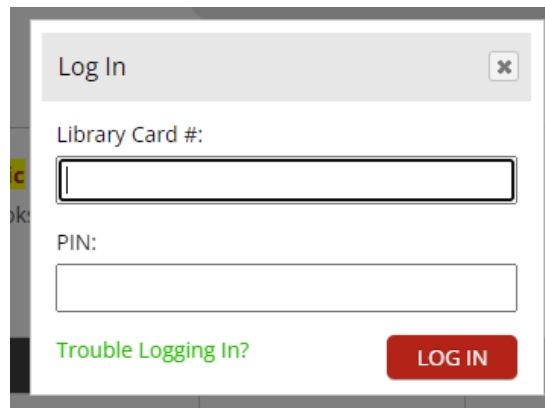
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URL: (Search Results)



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Log In ✕

Library Card #:

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HOUSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY COLLEGE RESOURCES



Houston Public Library is offering premier resources for first time college seekers. Services are free and accessible with experienced staff available to ensure all learners are college and career ready. They offer assistance with career planning and preparing, applying, or enrolling in a college or university.

Located inside Carnegie Neighborhood Library and Center for Learning for in-person advising.
(In-person advising to all walk-ins)

Please scan the QR Code to schedule a virtual advising session.



¡Servicios también están disponible en Español!

Help with Financial Aid	College Enrollment
Assistance with applying for FAFSA, TASFA, scholarships, verification process, and college expenses analysis, financial literacy and student loan guidance.	Assistance with completing college applications, admissions interviewing skills, essay writing, or transfer planning.