



State Resources for Seniors in Ohio

At PayingforSeniorCare, we understand that learning about and accessing the assistance you need isn't easy. We created this guide to help seniors and their families learn about the available financial assistance options for senior living and senior care in your state so you can focus on what matters: finding the right senior care for your loved one. In the following resource guide, learn about the financial assistance options for senior care and senior living in your state, what benefits the different programs offer, who is eligible, and how to apply.

Food Assistance Programs for Seniors

Everybody deserves access to nutritious food and for seniors, consuming adequate calories and healthy food is a vital part of maintaining wellness. Unfortunately, there are many seniors who can't afford the food they need to stay healthy. For some, the act of purchasing groceries has become too difficult to do alone. Thankfully, programs like Meals on Wheels and local food pantries ensure that every senior citizen in Ohio gets the food they need to survive and thrive.

Meals on Wheels

Meals on Wheels is a nonprofit organization that runs on the kindness of volunteers and donations from local vendors. Its team works to prepare and deliver hot meals to seniors in their homes, typically five days per week. Volunteers also provide some companionship during deliveries and ensure that seniors are safe.

	Area Served	Address	Phone Number
Lifecare Alliance Meals on Wheels	Franklin, Madison, Marion, Champaign and Logan Counties	670 Harmon Ave., Columbus, Ohio 43223	(614) 278-3152
Meals on Wheels of Northeast Ohio	Stark, Summit, Wayne, Portage, Carroll, Holmes and Tuscarawas Counties	2363 Nave Rd. SE, Massillon, Ohio 44646	(330) 832-7220
Senior Resource Connection Meals on Wheels	Montgomery County	105 S. Wilkinson St., Dayton, Ohio 45402	(937) 228-3663
Meals on Wheels - Fairfield County	Fairfield County	1515 Cedar Hill Rd., Lancaster, Ohio 43130	(740) 681-5050
Meals on Wheels Southwest OH & Northern KY	Hamilton and Butler Counties	2091 Radcliff Dr., Cincinnati, Ohio 45204	(513) 721-1025
Westlake Meals on Wheels	Cuyahoga County	2239 Dover Center Rd., Westlake, Ohio 44145	(440) 871-2551
Westshore Meals on Wheels	Fairview Park, Lakewood and Rocky River in Cuyahoga County	21220 Lorain Rd., Fairview Park, Ohio 44125	(440) 331-3842
North Canton Meals on Wheels	Stark County	7707 Market Ave. N., Canton, Ohio 44721	(330) 494-0366

Food Pantries

Seniors in need of nonperishable food items, such as dry cereals and oats, pasta and canned foods, as well as other healthy items like fruits, vegetables and dairy products, may be able to obtain them from local food pantries. Food pantries usually operate on a first-come-first-served basis and have their own eligibility requirements so it's usually best to call ahead to determine if food will be available.

	Area Served	Address	Phone Number
Mid-Ohio Foodbank's On-site Pantry	Belmont, Coshocton, Delaware, Fairfield, Fayette, Franklin, Guernsey, Harrison, Jefferson, Knox, Madison, Marion, Monroe, Morrow, Muskingum, Noble, Pickaway, Ross and Union Counties	3960 Brookham Dr., Grove City, Ohio 43123	(614) 277-3663
Second Harvest Food Bank of North-Central Ohio	Lorain County	5510 Baumhart Rd., Lorain, Ohio 44053	(440) 960-2265
West Ohio Food Bank	Allen, Auglaize, Hancock, Hardin, Mercer, Paulding, Putnam, Seneca, Shelby, Van Wert and Wyandot Counties	1380 E. Kibby St., Lima, Ohio 45804	(419) 222-7946
Broad Street Food Pantry	Delaware and Franklin Counties	760 E. Broad St., Columbus, Ohio 43205	(614) 908-3901
Southside Community Ministries Food Pantry	Delaware and Franklin Counties	225 E. Gates St., Columbus, Ohio 43206	(614) 444-1669
Nnemap Food Pantry	Delaware and Franklin Counties	677 E. 11th Ave., Columbus, Ohio 43211	(614) 297-0533
Greater Cleveland Food Bank	Cuyahoga, Geauga, Lake, Lorain, Medina, Portage and Summit Counties	15500 S. Waterloo Rd., Cleveland, Ohio 44110	(216) 738-2265
Mason Food Pantry	Warren County	406 4th Ave., Mason, Ohio 45040	(513) 229-3191
Athens County Food Pantry	Athens County	13183 OH-13, Millfield, Ohio 45761	(740) 590-7051

Government Assistance Programs

Those who can't receive the food they need from the food pantries and Meals on Wheels programs listed above may require additional help from Ohio's government assistance programs.

	Area Served	Address	Phone Number
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program	Statewide	Administered at the county level.	(866) 244-0071