



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

Financial difficulties and mobility challenges can make it challenging for many seniors to get the food they need to stay healthy. In Georgia, public and private organizations help these older adults by delivering meals, giving out free produce and pantry items and providing cash assistance people can use to buy food on their own.

Meals on Wheels

The Meals on Wheels organization organizes the delivery of millions of meals to isolated seniors throughout the United States, and it has dozens of branches and partner sites in Wisconsin. You can contact a branch near you to arrange delivery of fresh and frozen meals most days of the week at no or little cost.

| | Area Served | Address | Phone Number |
|---|------------------------------------|---|----------------|
| Gathering of Southeast Wisconsin | Milwaukee Metro Area | 804 East Juneau Avenue, Milwaukee, WI 53202 | (414) 272-4122 |
| SSM Health at Home - Meals on Wheels | Madison | 2802 Walton Commons Ln, Madison, WI 53718 | (608) 276-7580 |
| ADRC of Brown County | Green Bay and Surrounding Areas | 300 South Adams Street, Green Bay, WI 54301 | (920) 448-4300 |
| Meals on Wheels of Eau Claire County | Eau Claire County | 721 Oxford Avenue, Suite 1130, Eau Claire, WI 54703 | (715) 839-4735 |
| Kenosha Area Family and Aging Services | Kenosha | 7730 Sheridan Road, Kenosha, WI 53143 | (262) 658-0237 |

Food Pantries

Food pantries in Wisconsin give out free produce, canned goods and other pantry staples to seniors and families who are having trouble affording groceries. These pantries are in most major cities in Wisconsin. The following table lists some of the largest food banks in the state.

| | Area Served | Address | Phone Number |
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| Hunger Task Force | West Milwaukee | 5000 W. Electric Avenue, West Milwaukee, WI 53219 | (414) 777-0483 |
| Feeding America Eastern Wisconsin | Milwaukee Metro Area | 1700 West Fond du Lac Avenue, Milwaukee, WI 53205 | (414) 931-7400 |
| Second Harvest Food Bank of Southern Wisconsin | Madison and Surrounding Region | 2802 Dairy Drive, Madison, Wisconsin 53718 | (608) 223-9121 |
| Paul's Pantry | Green Bay | 1513 Leo Frigo Way, Green Bay, WI 54302 | (920) 433-0343 |
| Feed My People Food Bank | Eau Claire County | 2610 Alpine Road, Eau Claire, WI 54703 | (715) 835-9415 |

Government Assistance Programs

The primary government assistance program in Wisconsin for nutritional needs is the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), called Food Share. It gives families in need of help the ability to purchase food at their neighborhood grocery stores and, in some cases, restaurants and convenience stores.

| | Area Served | Address | Phone Number |
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| FoodShare | Entire State | Contact Your Local County Agency | (800) 362-3002 |
| Elderly Nutrition Program | Entire State | Local Dining Centers | (800) 947-3529 |