

April 2021 DIRECTORY OF SERVICES-EAST VALLEY
Compliments of Apache Junction Food Bank

ABBREVIATIONS

ID = Photo Identification
POR = Proof of Residency
POI = Proof of Income

ARIZONA COMMUNITY INFORMATION & REFERRAL SERVICES

Get Connected/Get Answers
211 or 1-877-211-8661, <https://211arizona.org/>

FOOD BOXES (organized by location)

St. Vincent de Paul Food Boxes
602-254-3338, Call for location near you.
8AM-5PM offer Medical & Hope Line
www.stvincentdepaul.net

APACHE JUNCTION FOOD BOXES

Apache Junction Food Bank – Myra Garcia
575 N Idaho Rd, Suite 701, Apache Junction, AZ 85119
480-983-2995 Bring ID and POR for all adults on first visit and for yourself thereafter
Mon, Tue, Wed, Thurs, Fri, 2-4 PM

Commodities Senior Food Program

Apache Junction Food Bank
575 N Idaho Rd, Suite 701, Apache Junction, AZ 85119
480-983-2995, Bring ID, POR.
3rd Thursday, 7:30 AM to 1 PM

Hope Women’s Center – Cecilia Voron, Center Mgr.
252 N Ironwood Drive, Apache Junction, AZ 85120
480-983-4673, for women 13 and up
Tue, Wed & Thu 9 AM to 2 PM
Childcare on Wed coming soon, HWC clients 12-2PM.
Provides food, clothing, pregnancy testing, mentoring, baby supplies for those who attend their classes.

Salvation Army: Apache Junction Corps
Michelle Blair, Michelle.Blair@usw.salvationarmy.org
605 E Broadway Avenue, Apache Junction, AZ 85119
480-982-4110, bring ID and POR
Food Services - Mon through Friday 9 AM -12:00 PM
Office 9 AM to 3PM, closed 12 PM to 12:30 PM for lunch

St. George Roman Catholic Church -closed

WIC—Pinal County Health Department
866-960-0633 or 520-866-6300, 575 N. Idaho Rd. #301, Apache Junction, AZ 85119. For women and children age 5 and under. Bring ID for self and children, POR, POI; birth certificate, shot record, school photo ID, crib card. Tue – Fri. 8AM to 5:30 PM. Call for appointment

Wings of Life Worship Center
1030 N Valley Drive, Apache Junction, AZ 85119
480-695-0072, Wednesday, 9-11 AM, ID
AJ residents only. Food & clothing, every 2 weeks

CHANDLER FOOD BOXES

AZCEND Food Boxes
345 S. California St., Chandler, AZ
480-963-1423, ID, POR
Mon noon-3 PM, Tue 3-6 PM, Wed & Thu 9 AM-noon,
Fri 9-11 AM 1st come 1st serve, 9:00 until gone. 3rd Sat. 9 AM to 12 PM

Chandler Care Center
777 E Galveston St, Chandler, AZ
480-812-7900, serves Chandler only
Mon thru Fri 8-11 AM

Matthew’s Crossing Food Bank
1368 N Arizona Avenue, #112, Chandler, AZ 85225
480-857-2296, bring ID and POR, all welcome
Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri 8 – 11:30 AM; Wed 4-6 PM
www.matthewscrossing.org

Salvation Army: Chandler Corps
85 E Saratoga, Chandler, AZ 85225
480-963-2041, bring ID and POR
Mon-Fri 8:30-11:30 AM,

FLORENCE FOOD BOXES

Florence Baptist Food Bank
30 N. Willow, Florence, AZ 85132
520-868-1728, Friday 9 AM until gone
Bring your own bags, come as often as needed
Wed 6 PM church service, 10 AM and 5 PM after church
Sunday

GILBERT FOOD BOXES

Open Arms Care Center
522 N Gilbert Rd, #103, Gilbert, AZ 85234
480-539-0175, Need referral from Gilbert CAP or any church; Food and clothing, serves Gilbert only
Mon & Wed 1-3 PM, Tues & Thurs 9-11 AM, 6-8 PM,
Sat 9-11 AM www.openarmscc.com

St. Anne’s Annex

14 N Cottonwood Drive, Gilbert, AZ
480-507-4466, serves Gilbert only, bring POR, utility bill
Utilities, rent
Food Tue, Wed, Thu 9-11 AM; Non-Gilbert residents Sat 8:30-10:30 AM

GOLD CANYON FOOD BOXES

Gold Canyon Food Bank

8330 E. Sunrise Sky Dr., Gold Canyon, AZ 85118
480-982-6789, MWF 9 AM to Noon, ID required

MESA—CENTRAL FOOD BOXES

Casa De Amor Community Resource Center

819 S MacDonald, Mesa, AZ
800-678-0648, Food, Clothing – statewide
Monday-Wednesday 9 to Noon
www.abcs.org

Christ the King Catholic Church HOPE Outreach Ministry

1616 E Broadway Road, Mesa, AZ
480-964-1719, Tues 10:30-Noon, Thurs 4:45-6:15 PM
Serves Horne to Val Vista, Brown to Baseline

First Presbyterian Church Food Pantry

161 North Mesa Drive, Mesa, AZ
480-964-8606, serves Mesa residents only
Friday 8:00 AM until food gone, arrive early.
Bring ID, POR

Gateway Bible Church

1621 N Pasadena, Mesa, AZ 85201
480-834-9091, 2nd Thursday, 3-5 PM
Serves only 85201 zip code

Lutheran Social Services of the Southwest

First Evangelical Lutheran Church Food Pantry

142 N. Date St., Mesa, AZ 85201
480-489-5772, Bring ID and POR
Tues & Thurs 9-11:15 AM, Closed 2nd Tues

Resurrection Street Ministry

1135 E Main St, Mesa, AZ 85208
480-615-2799, ID and POR, Maricopa County only
Self serve out of thrift store M thru F 10 AM to 3 PM

Salvation Army: Mesa Citadel Corps

241 E 6th St, Bldg 3, Mesa, AZ 85206
480-962-9103, bring ID, POR, and shot records for children.
Serves Mesa west of Ellsworth Rd
Food Boxes 8 AM to 11:30 AM
<http://mesa.salvationarmy.org>

St. Mark's Episcopal Church Food Pantry

332 N. Horne, Mesa, AZ 85203
480-964-5820, bring ID and POR
Serves Mesa residents. 2nd & 4th Tues 10-11:30 AM

United Food Bank— CLOSED

MESA—EAST FOOD BOXES

Broadway Christian Church New Hope Community Ctr

6915 E University Drive, Mesa, AZ
480-807-1668, bring ID and POR
Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, 9 AM to noon
For Zip codes 85205,-206,-207,-208,-209

Central Christian Church

933 North Lindsay Road, Mesa, AZ
480-924-4946
Food Bags Monday to Thursday 8-3:00 PM
Hot meal, showers, haircuts, 1st and 3rd Saturday

Church of the Master

6659 East University Drive, Mesa, AZ
480-985-1660, Monday 9-11 AM
Food once a month. \$100 utility assistance

Desert Manna Food Pantry

590 N 96th Street, Mesa, AZ
480-981-3993, Saturday 8-11 AM, ID & POR
Serves McKellips to Southern, Power to Meridian

East Mesa Baptist Church

752 South Ellsworth Road, Mesa, AZ 85208
480-986-9827, may come weekly, bring bags or boxes
Wed 10 to 11 A.M. Call first.

Lutheran Social Services of the Southwest

Victory Lutheran Church Food Pantry

5946 East University Dr., Mesa, AZ 85205
480-654-4539, bring ID and POR, Mon, Wed 9-11:30 AM

Red Mountain United Methodist Church Food Pantry

CLOSED

St Vincent de Paul: Holy Cross

1244 S Power Rd, Mesa, AZ 85206
480-985-4259, 480-981-2021 Mon-Thursday 9-11 AM
Serves Main to Baseline, Meridian to Val Vista

QUEEN CREEK FOOD BOXES

Calvary Chapel of Queen Creek

19248 East San Tan Blvd, Queen Creek, AZ 85142
480-988-2984, ID and POR required first time
Serving the area south of Ocotillo Road
2nd & 4th Saturdays 9-11 AM or until food gone

Father McGivney Food Bank

20614 East Ocotillo Road, Queen Creek, AZ 85142
Only for Queen Creek and San Tan Valley residents
480-313-5603, Monday 8:00 to 10:00 AM

QUEEN CREEK FOOD BOXES continued

Mountain View Family Church

4815 W Hunt Hwy, Queen Creek, AZ 85142
 480-415-9814, Call for appointment.
 Bring ID and POR first time.

Restore Food Pantry**Shelly Vance Kohler**

21805 S Ellsworth Rd, Queen Creek, AZ 85142
 480-229-7356, Monday 6-6:45 PM, 1st and 3rd Tuesdays,
 5:30 to 6:45 PM

SAN TAN FOOD BOXES**JO Combs School District Food & Clothing Bank**

301 E Combs Rd, San Tan Valley, AZ 85140
 480-987-5322, only school age children
 M 6:30 to 8:30 AM
jocombs.org

OTHER SERVICES**DISABILITIES****DES—Division of Developmental Disabilities**

110 S Idaho Rd, Suite 240, Apache Junction, AZ 85119
 480-982-0018
 Call for current hours

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE**A New Leaf Domestic Violence Shelter**

480-969-4024, 480-890-3039 (24 hr. Hotline)
dvstop@turnaleaf.org

CAAFA-Community Alliance Against Family Abuse

879 N Plaza Dr #101D, Apache Junction, AZ 85120
 24-hour Crisis Hotline 480-982-0196,
 Shelter 120 days and case management
Caafaaz.org

EMPLOYMENT SERVICES**Arizona at Work, Arizona Job Connections**

<https://www.azjobconnection.gov>

Mesa Employment Services
 120 W 1st Ave, Mesa, AZ 85210
 602-771-6900

Casa De Amor Community Resource Center**Paula Compton**

819 S MacDonald, Mesa, AZ 85210
 480-464-2877, Mon-Wed, 9 AM to Noon
 Clothes and Food
Casadeamor819@gmail.com

DES—Vocational Rehabilitation**Darrell Ferrell**

11518 East Apache Trail, Suite 110
 Apache Junction, AZ
 480-983-0427, Mon to Friday 8 AM to 5 PM
Desaz.gov

FINANCIAL SERVICES**Arizona Community Action Association****Mary Lou Rosales**

Mesa—480-833-9200, Pinal County—520-466-1112
 Diapers/Wipes, Education, Homeless Services, Rent,
 Utilities, Weatherization

CAHRA-Community Action Human Resources Agency

For Pinal County, 1-877-472-2472
 Utilities, rent/mortgage assistance. For appt. call 520
 466-1112.
Cahra.org

Christian Assistance Network

6659 East University Drive, Mesa, AZ
 480-985-1660, Monday 9-11 AM
 Limited to once a year utility assistance within 4 mile
 radius of church
 No rent, food boxes

Mesa Presbyterian Ministries

480-649-0206 must be Mesa resident.
 Rent and Utility Assistance, bring ID

Salvation Army: Chandler Corps

85 E Saratoga, Chandler, AZ 85225
 480-963-2041, bring ID and POR
 Utilities, Rent, Youth programs, Christmas toys & food
 Tuesday – Friday 8:30-11:30 AM,

St. Vincent de Paul

Call 211 for nearest site.
 Home improvements, eviction prevention, working
 poor, stranded travelers, services to incarcerated

HOMELESS SERVICES**I-HELP (Interfaith Homeless Emergency Lodging Program)**

AZCEND, 345 S. California St, Chandler, AZ 85225
 480-963-1423 Ext. 112; www.azcend.org
 Leandra Reels, Coordinator, Leandra@azcend.org
 Shelter, shower, hot meal, case management
 ALL guests must get prescreened for services.
 MON 12-3PM, TUES 3-6PM, WED 9-12PM, TH 9AM-
 12PM, 3RD SAT 9AM-12PM

A New Leaf East Valley Men's Center

2345 N Country Club Drive, Mesa, AZ 85201
480-610-6722, 8 AM to 3:30 PM, Mon –Fri
www.turnanewleaf.org/east-valley-mens-center
Dave Hughes, 480-610-6722 Ext 3303
dhughes@turnanewleaf.org or
Chrystal or Jackie

PAZ De Cristo

424 E Broadway Rd, Mesa, AZ 85210
480-464-2370 Office Hours 10 AM to 3 PM
www.pazdecristo.org
Daily evening meal, 5:30-6:45 PM
Food boxes 10 AM TO 12 PM 1st, 2nd, & 3rd Tues ,
Clothing Thur 4PM, Job assistance and medical Tues
1PM, Shower Wed 10 AM, ID vouchers and birth
certificate help. Senior food boxes -3rd Thur. 10 -11 AM

HOT MEALS

Apache Junction Active Adult Multi-Generational Center

1035 N Idaho Road, Apache Junction, AZ 85119
480-474-5260 Meals Mon-Fri at 11:30 AM
Make reservation 48 hours ahead.
\$4 donation for seniors, \$6 donation under 60
No one over 60 is denied a meal for inability to pay.
www.ajcity.net

Chandler Senior Center

202 E Boston St., Chandler, AZ
480-782-2721
www.azcend.org/seniors/

Lunch Mon-Fri 11:15 AM – 1 PM
\$3.50 donation for seniors 60+ and those with
disabilities, all others \$5

East Valley Adult Resources

247 N MacDonald, Mesa, AZ
480-962-5612, Lunch 11:00 AM to 12 PM Mon-Fri,
\$3.50 donation for seniors 60+ and those with
documented disabilities.
Meals on wheels program SIGN-UP

Genesis Project

564 N Idaho Rd, Suite 5, Apache Junction, AZ
480-225-7757, call after 9 AM
www.genesisprojectaz.com

Mon-Fri 12 PM – 2 PM Hot meals & clothing
Shower vouchers – Currently not available

Gilbert Senior Center

130 N. Oak St, Gilbert, AZ 85233
480-503-6061

Serves zip codes 85233, 85234, 85236, 85296, 28297
Lunch Pick-up Mon – Fri 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM, 24 hour
advance reservation. \$3.50 donation for seniors 60+ or
documented disability, \$5 donation for people under 60

PAZ De Cristo -CLOSED

Red Mountain Senior Center

7550 E Adobe Rd, Mesa, AZ 85207
480-218-2221 Call a day ahead to make a reservation
Lunch Mon-Fri, 11:00 AM TO 12 PM, \$3.50 donation

St. Vincent de Paul

67 W Broadway Rd, Mesa AZ 85210
602-919-1658, Lunch daily 9:30-11:30 AM
www.stvincentdepaul.net

MEDICAL & MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

AHCCCS—Medical Assistance Office

1-855-777-8590

www.azahcccs.gov

Horizon Health & Wellness Outpatient & Clinic Services

625 N Plaza Drive, Apache Junction, AZ
833 431-4449 www.hhwaz.org
Mon-Thu 8am-7pm, Fri 8am-5pm
All populations served
Services provided: Children’s Services, Crisis Services,
Family Medicine/Primary Care, Groups, Habituation
Services
Languages spoken: English, Spanish Assistance,
Interpretation Services available

MEDICAL & MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES continued

LaFrontera of AZ, Empact SPC

11518 E Apache Trail, Suite 129
Apache Junction, AZ 85120
480-317-2214 x2356 Office, 480-986-1211 Fax

LaFrontera of AZ, Empact SPC

21476 N John Wayne Pkwy, Suite C101
Maricopa, AZ 85139
480-317-2212 Office, 520-568-6289 Fax

LaFrontera of AZ, Empact SPC

2474 E Hunt Hwy, Suite C100
San Tan Valley, AZ 85143
480-317-2213 Office, 480-783-3408 Fax

St. Vincent de Paul

Call 211 for nearest site.
Medical, dental, dental equipment

PREGNANCY SERVICES

Casa De Amor Community Resource Center

New Life Pregnancy Center

819 S MacDonald, Mesa, AZ

602-7262307, Mon and-Wed, 9 AM to Noon

www.newlifepregnancy.com

CARE Partnerships

466 S Bellview, Mesa, AZ

480-833-8987, Mon-Thu, 8 AM – 5 PM

Prenatal mobile clinic and after school care

www.freeclinics.com

Hope Women's Center

252 N Ironwood Drive, Apache Junction, AZ 85120

480-983-4673, for women 13 and up

Tues 9am-2pm, Wed 9am-2 pm, Thurs 9am-2pm

classes, mentoring and resource referrals.

PROTECTIVE SERVICES**Arizona Department of Child Safety**

480-373-2080

Adult Protective Services of Arizona

877-767-2385

REHABILITATION SERVICES**Transitional Living Community (TLC)**

560 San Marcos, Apache Junction, AZ

480-983-2034, Men only, \$125 weekly with a 90 day commitment, Drug & Alcohol rehab, room, and food

SCHOOL SUPPLIES**Project Help**

195 E Superstition Blvd, Apache Junction 85119, CALL THE OFFICE BECAUSE OF COVID

480-288-2955, POR, POI

Office Hours: Mon-Fri 8:30am-2:30 pm, closed all school holidays and breaks

Assistance Days are Tues and Thurs 8:30am-11am, NO appointment necessary.

Must have children in AJ Unified School District

www.ajusd.org

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