

**DRIVE-THRU DISTRIBUTIONS MON-FRI 10 A.M. TO 1 P.M. AND TUESDAYS 3 TO 5 P.M.**

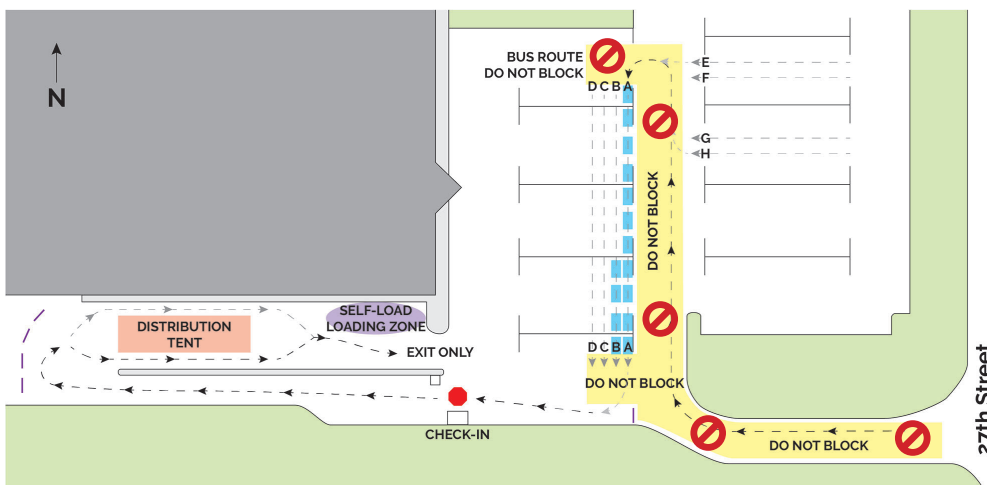
OFFICE HOURS: 9 A.M. TO 3 P.M. — WE ARE NOT CURRENTLY OPEN TO VISITORS.

## Drive-thru flow and waiting lines

As the need in our community increases, so do waiting lines for food and diapers. Here are a few tips to help you avoid waiting:

- Do not arrive early to distribution. There's no difference between the distribution folks receive at the beginning of the day and the end. Arriving early just guarantees you'll have to wait.
- Consider attending at 10:30 a.m. or later. We generally have traffic flowing pretty well by then.
- Don't arrive at the last minute. There's always a little rush right before we close.
- Avoid Tuesdays, if possible. Tuesdays are our busiest day. If you can attend distribution on another day, please do so.

**When there's a waiting line, please follow traffic flow outlined below and park in the designated waiting lines (A, B, C, and D). If these lines are full, we may direct you to waiting lines E, F, G or H.**



We appreciate your patience as we work to keep our community fed and its youngest residents diapered. For more info, visit [cfpin.org/drive-thru](https://cfpin.org/drive-thru).

## Toyland cancelled

We regret to inform you that **Toyland will not take place this year**. The risk of COVID-19 is too high. Several area nonprofits are still hosting their holiday events. Check with KFOR Operation Santa Claus, the Salvation Army and People's City Mission. We apologize for any inconvenience and hope you have a safe and wonderful holiday season.

We will be closed Dec. 24-25 and Jan. 1. Please, plan your visits to the Center for food and/or diapers accordingly. Thank you.

### FOR MORE INFO & UPDATES

[cfpin.org](https://cfpin.org)

[facebook.com/  
centerforpeopleinneed](https://facebook.com/centerforpeopleinneed)

[twitter.com/CFPIN](https://twitter.com/CFPIN)

402.476.4357

Weather may cause a delay or closure. Please keep an eye on our social media or [cfpin.org](https://cfpin.org) or call for updates!

### DRIVE-THRU CHANGES

Distribution after sunset was a safety hazard. So, Tuesday evening distributions are now 3 to 5 p.m.

### FIGHT THE FLU

Get your free flu shot from the Lincoln & Lancaster County Health Department at the Center (3901 N. 27th Street, Door 3) on **Dec. 16th from 5-7 p.m.**

No appointment necessary. For more information, call LLCHD at 402.441.8065.

## SNAP and WIC food programs

If you're having trouble making ends meet, consider applying for the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (formerly known as food stamps). To see if you're eligible, contact Salim at 402.476.4357 x105.

WIC is a special nutrition program specifically for pregnant and breastfeeding women and families with children younger than 5 years old. For more information, visit [dhhs.ne.gov/pages/wic-about.aspx](https://dhhs.ne.gov/pages/wic-about.aspx) or call Family Service WIC (remote services through September) at 402.441.8655 or Lincoln Lancaster County WIC at 402.441.8000.

### Don't forget you can double your food dollars.

Get free fresh fruits and vegetables with your EBT card with Double Up Food Bucks. For details, visit [doubleupnebraska.org](https://doubleupnebraska.org)!

## NeighborLNK connects the homebound with volunteers

This program is designed to help keep homebound residents healthy, connected and independent during the isolation required by this crisis, as well as to cultivate friendships that could last beyond the pandemic.

NeighborLNK volunteers will run errands for the participants and offer companionship through phone or video calls. COVID-19 prevention measures will be followed and volunteers will not enter participants' homes. If you're interested in participating or volunteering, visit [lincoln.ne.gov](https://lincoln.ne.gov) (keyword NeighborLNK) or call 402.441.7575.

## For needs that go beyond food and diapers

The City of Lincoln is maintaining a list of both prevention information and sources of assistance. **If your needs go beyond food and diapers, visit [covid19.lincoln.ne.gov](https://covid19.lincoln.ne.gov)** and click "Resident Resources" for information on getting help with basic needs, housing, unemployment, utilities, healthcare, behavioral health, domestic violence, discrimination, and legal matters.

myLNK is also maintaining a list of resources. Check the special COVID-19 section on the myLNK app available on Apple and Android phones or online at [lincolnne.mylnk.app](https://lincolnne.mylnk.app).

## Holidays are a popular time for scammers

Scammers around the country ramp up their efforts to trick people out of money or steal identities during the holidays. Protect yourself! If you suspect a call or text you receive is a scam, hang up or delete the text without responding. Remember, **when in doubt, don't give it out.**

Visit [consumer.ftc.gov](https://consumer.ftc.gov) for more info on protecting yourself from scams.

## Help coping during a pandemic

The Nebraska Strong Recovery Project is an outreach program working with public and private partnerships to provide community-based counseling and identify unmet needs in Nebraska during the pandemic. Call 800.464.0258 or 888.866.8660 for immediate needs, constructive assistance, public information, connections to social supports, and physical/emotional support.

For more info, connect on Facebook @NebraskaStrongRecoveryProject or on Twitter at @NebraskaStrong.

## DATES TO REMEMBER

**Dec. 16, 5-7PM**  
Flu Vaccination  
Clinic at the Center  
*No appointment needed!*

**Dec. 24-25**  
Center Closed

**Jan. 1, 2021**  
Center Closed

## CARES ACT FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

The Center no longer has funds available. For other financial assistance options, go to [covid19.lincoln.ne.gov](https://covid19.lincoln.ne.gov).

## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

For a list of companies currently hiring in Lincoln along with information about the positions, visit [lccoc.com/job-postings/](https://lccoc.com/job-postings/)

For one-on-one coaching and career planning, resume building, interview preparation and assistance using [NEworks.nebraska.gov](https://NEworks.nebraska.gov) to connect with employers, email [NDOL.NERes@nebraska.gov](mailto:NDOL.NERes@nebraska.gov) and include your location.

## PROTECT OUR COMMUNITY

Please, wear a mask and avoid large gatherings.