



Connection to Community Resources

February 2022

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Check out February's Connection to Community Resources

Including

- SUMMER 2022 Programs
- Screenagers Next Chapter- Uncovering Skills for Stress Resilience- Feb 8
- Presentations: Understanding Adverse Childhood Experiences- open to all adults March 1 & 8
- Free Internet and more

If you have a resource you would like featured in an upcoming newsletter or would like to connect regarding your specific situation, please let me know.

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SUMMER 2022

SUMMER 2022 REGISTRATIONS OPENS SOON

Plan your summer and get ready to register. See dates and links below. Check out the [ERC summer](#) page for links to youth programs in and near Edina.



FEB 15
8 AM

YOUTH ENRICHMENT

KIDS CLUB/WISE GUYS-
SUMMER & 2022-23 SCHOOL
YEAR



FEB 16- NOON
RESIDENTS

FEB 23- NOON
Non-RESIDENTS

PARKS & REC ACTIVITIES



ERC SUMMER RESOURCES

DAY CAMPS
OVERNIGHT
CHILD CARE
ATHLETICS
SCHOLARSHIPS

NEEDS-BASE FINANCIAL SUPPORTS

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EVENTS

GIVE KIDS A SMILE DAY

Normandale Dental Hygiene Clinic is participating in Give Kids a Smile on Tuesday, February 8th 9:00 - 4:30. We are eager to provide free preventative dental care to kids who face barriers to accessing care. Call the dental clinic at (952) 358-8608 for more information and to schedule an appointment.

FULL LIST OF PARTICIPATING CLINICS IN MN

mndental.org/events/give-kids-a-smile/find-a-participating-clinic/



SCREENAGERS NEXT CHAPTER uncovering skills for stress resilience

TUESDAY, FEB. 8, 2022
7:00 PM FREE

Join us for a special virtual viewing of the documentary and facilitated panel discussion. [Register Here](#)

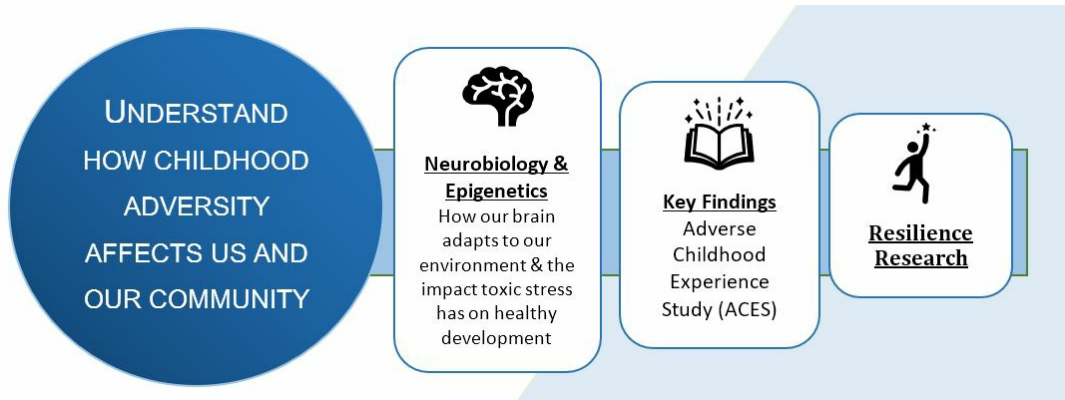
Presented by Edina Community Ed, Edina Public Schools
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Understanding ACEs (Adverse Childhood Experiences) Building Self Healing Communities Presentation

March 1, 2022 4:30 PM – 6:30 PM
Register: <https://bit.ly/ACESMarch1>

March 8, 2022 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM
Register: <https://bit.ly/ACESMarch7>



Open to Parents, Staff, Providers and Community Members. **FREE VIRTUAL EVENT**

Join us for this important conversation so we can begin to make changes to build resiliency in our community. **CEUs available upon request.**

FINANCIAL SUPPORTS

FREE INTERNET

If you live in Edina, you may be eligible for FREE monthly Internet services provided by Comcast Internet Essentials. This is sponsored by the City of Edina.

Visit City Hall or Apply online at <https://www.bettertogetheredina.org/arpa-free-internet>

Emergency Broadband Benefit Program

The **Emergency Broadband Benefit Program** is a Federal Communications Commission (FCC) program that provides a temporary discount on monthly broadband bills for qualifying households. Consumers should visit getemergencybroadband.org or call the toll free number 833-511-0311 specifically for information about the application.

Note: If you are approved for Educational Benefits you qualify!



Energy Assistance Program (Renters & Homeowners)

If you need help paying your energy bills and want to prevent a shut off....The Energy Assistance Program can help you pay up to \$1,200 in energy expenses-- such as a heating bill. This grant is paid directly to your energy provider, to reduce your energy bill. Hennepin County residents contact Community Action Partnership of Hennepin County at 952-930-3541 **Apply Now.**

FOOD RESOURCES

NEW LOCATION-- LOAVES & FISHES

Christ The King Lutheran Church, located at 8600 Fremont Ave S. will host meals Monday-Friday 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM. Former sites in Bloomington (Creekside & Oak Grove) are no longer serving meals. loavesandfishesmn.org/dining-sites/



VEAP FOOD PANTRY

Fresh produce, perishables and food items of your preference. Call **952-888-9616** for an appointment.



VEAP MOBILE PANTRY open to everyone.

Yorktown Continental Apts (Edina: 2nd Thursday of each month 2pm-4pm)

For other locations: veap.org/events/

HEALTH & WELLNESS

NEW!-Order free, at-home COVID tests

The federal government has made free, at-home Covid tests available to every home in the U.S. Each home can receive up to four rapid, antigen tests (not PCR). Shipping takes between 7-12 days. For more information on ordering tests, please visit: covidtests.gov

COVID-19 TESTING

Anyone with symptoms should continue to get tested and follow state guidance on isolation/ quarantine and masking. Many testing sites require an appointment.

[Find Test Locations](#)

[Community Test Sites](#): MSP Airport; Minneapolis Convention Center; Bloomington- former DMV site

[Order an At-Home Salvia Test](#)

[EPS COVID Monitoring](#)

COVID-19 VACCINES/BOOSTERS

COVID19 Vaccines are now available for everyone Ages 5 and older and Boosters for anyone 12+.
Register for an appointment using a link below, find a walk-in or call your health provider.

[MN Vaccine Connector 833-431-2053](#)

[Bloomington Public Health Hennepin County Vaccine Clinic](#)

FLU SHOTS

Flu Shots are recommended each year for anyone 6 months and older. Flu Shots are available at: Health Providers, Pharmacies, and [Bloomington Public Health](#)

CHANGE TO CHILL

Mindfulness & Stress Relief Resources for youth and teens changetochill.org/

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