



REMOTE ACTIVITIES

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- <http://www.jennyknappenberger.com/remote-learning-activities/>
- <https://www.nypl.org/about/remote-resources/kids-and-teens>
- <https://www.generationgenius.com>
- <https://www.education.com/games/?msckid>
- <https://glittermeetsglue.com/distance-learning-art-projects-resources/>

Legal Assistance for Small Businesses

WHEDco and Volunteers of Legal Service (VOLS) are offering free legal help to small business owners to help address legal issues they may have. Sign up for one-on-one phone or video sessions (Skype/Google Hangouts/etc.) with a lawyer in English or Spanish. Call/text to make an appointment: 347-906-2335.

To all of our Providers, we want to thank you for working so hard to assist our families in the Bronx and citywide during this pandemic. We are reaching out to support programs and families during these challenging times and one thing we know for sure, is that child care providers play an incredibly special role in the lives of the children and families everyday. We want you to know that WHEDco is here to help programs that remain open during the COVID-19 pandemic. We have included links and resources that will assist you and your program. Providers, we are all in this together, so stay connected with us and know that we care. For more information please contact our Outreach & Scheduling Coordinator Janira Soto @ 718-839-1110. Stay safe and well.

Friendly reminder for Programs that remain open:

- Modify drop off and pick up procedures.
- Recruit those with child care experience to ensure you have a roster of substitute caregivers who can fill in if your staff members are sick or stay home to care for sick family members.
- Staff members and older children should wear face coverings within the facility. Cloth face coverings should NOT be put on babies.
- Wash hands often with soap and water or use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer with at least 60% alcohol.
- Communicate to staff the importance of being vigilant for symptoms and staying in touch with facility management if or when they start to feel sick.
- Establish procedures to ensure children and staff that come sick or become sick during care are sent home.
- Be ready to follow CDC guidance on how to disinfect your building or facility if someone is sick.
- Open outside doors and windows to increase air circulation in the areas.

Business Resources

- <https://thebronx.submittable.com/submit/165586/small-business-relief-grant>
- <https://www.connect2capital.com/partners/new-york-forward-loan-fund/pre-application/>
- <https://www.citizensnyc.org/grants/neighborhood-business-grants>

Community Resources

- <https://whedco.org/resources/>
- <https://whedco.org/small-businesses/help/>

OCFS 2020 Forms

- <https://ocfs.ny.gov/forms/ldss/OCFS-LDSS-7021.docx>
- <https://ocfs.ny.gov/forms/ocfs/OCFS-6011.docx>
- <https://ocfs.ny.gov/forms/ocfs/OCFS-4887.dotx>
- <https://ocfs.ny.gov/forms/ldss/OCFS-LDSS-7022.pdf>
- <https://ocfs.ny.gov/forms/ldss/OCFS-LDSS-7020.pdf>
- <https://ocfs.ny.gov/forms/ldss/OCFS-LDSS-4443.docx>
- <https://ocfs.ny.gov/forms/ocfs/OCFS-6050.docx>
- <https://ocfs.ny.gov/forms/ocfs/OCFS-6040.docx>
- <https://ocfs.ny.gov/forms/ocfs/OCFS-6041.pdf>

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Extra Resources

- https://dc6ad1d5-9d66-47c2-adfe-78a5cdad6f0d.filesusr.com/uqd/9bc2d9_870a34e83f61484ba32c5a57e5e5c524.pdf
- <https://www.preventchildabuse.org/covid-19-resources-and-response#REGIONAL%20RESOURCE%20LISTS>
- <https://www.bestrongfamilies.org/covid-19-support>
- <https://earlycareandlearning.org/covid-19-resources-for-ccrrs-providers-and-parents/>
- <https://www.acf.hhs.gov/occ/providers>



