

COVID-19 EMERGING NEEDS FUND



UNITED WAY of ROCK RIVER VALLEY COVID-19 Emerging Needs Fund Recipients Second Round

Boone County	Organization	Amount	Purpose
	Belvidere Family YMCA	\$11,000	Contact tracing and food distribution.
	Boone County Council on Aging	\$4,800	Technology upgrades for most vulnerable populations to stay connected and avoid isolation due to safe at home order.
Ogle County	Organization	Amount	
	Chana Education Center	\$1,500	Purchase of 30 food gifts cards for at-risk students.
	Farmwork & Landscape Advocacy Project	\$17,000	Provide crucial monetary support and information to low income Latino families in Ogle and Winnebago Counties who are experiencing financial hardships.
	Immanuel Lutheran Good Samaritan Food Pantry	\$500	Purchase items for food pantry.
	Rochelle Christian Food Pantry	\$5,000	Purchase items for food pantry.
	Shining Star Children's Advocacy Center	\$10,000	Grant will be used for mental health services and forensic medical exams for child abuse victims.
Stephenson County	Organization	Amount	
	First Church of the Open Bible/Open Bible Learning Center	\$5,000	This grant will be used to provide childcare for essential workers, food for children in childcare and day to day expenses.
	The Salvation Army of Freeport	\$11,000	Salvation Army will provide food, financial assistance, rent, utilities, and hot lunches for essential workers
Winnebago County	Organization	Amount	

	Barbara Olson Center of Hope	\$4,000	Technology upgrades enabling Barbara Olson clients to keep in touch with caregivers, be supported and avoid isolation due to safe at home order.
	Boys and Girls Club of Rockford	\$3,000	Personal Protection Equipment purchases and distribution to clients of Boys and Girls Club.
	Children's Home and Aid	\$20,000	Grant supports essential needs of the most vulnerable children and families of Mother House, specifically, diapers, wipes and formula.
	Catholic Charities – St. Elizabeth Center	\$10,000	Pre-packaged meals provided to 60 – 75 families daily for one month
	Easter Seals	\$5,000	Grant will help Easter Seals meet increased needs for basic personal care supplies for children with special needs.
	Emmanuel Lutheran Food Pantry	\$1,500	Food purchases for pantry.
	Goldie B. Floberg Center	\$4,000	Covid-19 protection and care supplies for 22 homes of Goldie B. Floberg clients.
	Greater Rockford Food Pantry Coalition	\$20,000	Assistance to 10 pantries that are experiencing a 15% increase in new clients.
	Jeremiah Development	\$5,000	This grant will go towards creation and delivery of 400 Covid Care packages.
	The Jericho Project	\$2,000	Purchase of food for unemployed and laid off workers and cover utility and other costs for Jericho House
	Lifescape	\$10,000	Grant supplements the increased need of home delivered meals to Lifescape clients.
	Milestone	\$15,000	Purchase of PPE for nursing staff and direct care staff.
	Northern Illinois Food Bank	\$5,000	Meet the increased needs of various area agencies.
	RAMP	\$12,000	Grant will support RAMP in their efforts to deliver hot meals, provide rent assistance, gift cards for groceries, PPE, and sanitizers.
	Rock House Kids	\$3,000	Rock House Kids will receive food bags once a week.
	Rockford Rescue Mission	\$2,400	Rockford Rescue Mission will use the grant to purchase sanitation hygiene stands, permanent Covid-19 signage and support costs for staff nurse.
	The Rosecrance Foundation	\$10,000	Grant will be used to offset costs for equipment to deliver telehealth and purchase PPE.
	The Salvation Army of Winnebago County	\$12,000	With the grant, the Salvation Army will be able to provide rental and utility assistance and food for food pantry.
	YMCA of Rock River Valley	\$25,000	The YMCA is providing childcare and meals for children of essential workers.
	The Youth Service Bureau of Illinois Valley	\$5,000	Funds will be used for various services for their most vulnerable populations.

	Youth Services Network	\$3,000	YSN will use the grant to purchase PPE, disinfectant, paper towels, bedding, and hygiene supplies at MELD and Bridge Shelters.
	YWCA Northwestern Illinois	\$3,600	Grant will be used for La Voz Latina Programs to reach vulnerable populations.