



# Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19)

## Resource Sheet

To streamline information and help the community find what they are looking for, we have compiled some resources with websites and links. We will continue to gather data to assist you as it becomes available. Listed below are some that may be helpful:

### **New Emergency Grant information:**

<https://www2.illinois.gov/dceo/SmallBizAssistance/Pages/EmergencySBAInitiatives.aspx>

### **Stimulus Update**

**Hospitality Industry** (link will take you to landing page) <https://us.accion.org/news/covid-19-hospitality-business-grant-program/> (awaiting updates on this program)

### **Stay at Home Information:**

<https://www2.illinois.gov/sites/coronavirus/FAQ/Pages/Stay-At-Home-FAQS.aspx#gst23>

**IDPH: Illinois Department of Public Health:** Information regarding health updates:

<http://www.dph.illinois.gov>

**COVID-19 or Other Public Health Emergencies and the Family and Medical Leave Act Questions and Answers:** <https://www.dol.gov/agencies/whd/fmla/pandemic>

**US Chamber of Commerce** Emergency Small Business emergency loans

**Kendall County Health Department**

**Kane County Health Department**

**Illinois Department of Public Health**

**Center for Disease Control**

**World Health Organization**

The Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity (DCEO) has provided a link to report the anticipated impact of COVID-19 on your business:

<https://form.jotform.com/200717156003039>

For more about the Illinois Small Business COVID-19 Relief Program, visit [bit.ly/SmallBizRelief](http://bit.ly/SmallBizRelief).



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SBA Disaster Assistance: <https://www.sba.gov/about-sba/sba>

[HANDOUT SBA Disaster Assistance Resources for Businesses \(002\) 1.pdf](#)

<https://covid19relief.sba.gov/#/>

[www.ComEd.com](http://www.ComEd.com)

IEDA: Illinois Economic Development Association has provided the following links.

## COVID-19 RESOURCES FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPERS & COMMUNITIES

- CDC Guidance on Group Gatherings [[CDC](#)]
- Illinois Daily Press Briefings [[IDPH](#)]
- Tips for employers, employees, and business checklists [[US Chamber](#)]
- LinkedIn Group focused on Business Retention and Expansion [[LinkedIn](#)]
- Facebook Group focused on issues within the Hotel & Tourism Industry [[Facebook](#)]
- Resources for Restaurants [[IL Restaurant Assn](#)]
- Legislative Update? Don't expect much this session. [Sun Times]

Previously shared links...

- [IDPH: Illinois COVID-19 Information](#)
- [CDC: Interim Guidance for Businesses and Employers](#)
- [CDC: Environmental Cleaning and Disinfection Recommendations](#)
- [CDC: Interim Guidance for Ships on Managing Suspected COVID-19](#)
- [CDC: COVID-19 Information for Travelers](#)
- [CDC: Preventing Spread in Communities](#)
- [WHO: Getting Your Workplace Ready For COVID-19](#)
- [WHO: Phishing Emails & Scam Alert](#)

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## SBA Loans Available

All Illinois small businesses ([according to SBA's size standards](#)) and private non-profits can now apply for loans of up to \$2 million through the U.S. Small Business Administration's [Economic Injury Disaster Loan Program](#). If your businesses have been affected by the coronavirus pandemic, this program offers working capital to meet needs including payroll, accounts payable, and fixed debt payments until the situation improves. Interest rates are 3.75% for small businesses and 2.75% for non-profits. Your businesses may apply now at <https://disasterloan.sba.gov/ela/>

- [Economic Injury Disaster Loan Program FAQ](#)
- Daily Webinars will be available at [www.sba.gov/il](http://www.sba.gov/il)
- Disaster loan information at <https://disasterloan.sba.gov/ela/Information/Index>
- Information for small businesses affected by coronavirus at [www.sba.gov/coronavirus](http://www.sba.gov/coronavirus)

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- All coronavirus-related federal government resources: [www.usa.gov/coronavirus](http://www.usa.gov/coronavirus)

Find more information for small businesses affected by coronavirus at [www.sba.gov/coronavirus](http://www.sba.gov/coronavirus). Subscribe to email updates from SBA at [bit.ly/SubscribeLL](http://bit.ly/SubscribeLL) to stay up to date on SBA news and events. SBA resource partners (Illinois Small Business Development Centers, WBDC, SCORE, Veterans Business Outreach Center) stand ready to help. Go to [www.sba.gov/local-assistance](http://www.sba.gov/local-assistance) to find a counselor or mentor. You can also email [Illinois.do@sba.gov](mailto:Illinois.do@sba.gov) or call (312) 353-4528 (Chicago office) or (217) 747-8249 (Springfield office) to talk to a Small Business Administration team member directly.

## Illinois Economic Development Association

### VITAL RESOURCES FOR ORGANIZATIONS & BUSINESSES (UPDATED)

- [Medical Personal Protection Equipment \(PPE\) Donations](#) (URGENT)
- [State Emergency Small Business Grants and Loan Assistance](#) (DCEO)
  - Hospitality Emergency Grant Program
  - Illinois Small Business Emergency Loan Fund
  - Downstate Small Business Stabilization Program
- [Illinois COVID Response Fund](#) (for nonprofit/community organizations serving vulnerable populations)
- [What is an Essential Business?](#) (DCEO)
- [Small Business COVID-19 Relief Program](#) (IL Treasurer)
- [COVID-19 and Unemployment Benefits](#) (IDES)
- [Volunteer Opportunities](#) (Serve Illinois)
- [Donation of Personal Protective Equipment \(PPE\)](#) (Serve Illinois)
- SBA Economic Injury Disaster Loans for Illinois Small Businesses
  - [SBA Online Loan Application](#)
  - [SBA Illinois Economic Disaster Loan Declaration Factsheet](#)
  - [SBA Coronavirus \(COVID-19\): Small Business Guidance & Loan Resources](#)
  - [COVID 19 SBA Economic Disaster Loans \(PDF\)](#)
- [Small Business Development Center Lookup](#)
- [Has your business been impacted?](#) (DCEO)
- [Illinois Manufacturing Association FAQ](#)
- [Facebook Grants for Small Businesses](#)
- [COVID-19 Implications for Commercial Leases](#)
- [COVID-19 Resources for Physicians](#)

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- [Workplace Safety & COVID-19](#) (OSHA)
- [Council for Development Finance Agencies Resources](#) (CFDA)
- [Guidance for Closed Restaurants and Bars](#)
- [US Chamber's COVID-19 Toolkit](#)
- [US Government's Response to COVID-19](#)
- [IL Government's Response to COVID-19](#)

## Additional Documents and links

<https://covid19relief.sba.gov/#/>

[Small Business Owners Guide to the CARES Act-final.pdf](#)

[CARES Act Rebates FAQ\\_0.docx](#)

[Rebate Payment Timeline.docx](#)

[COVID-19 Resident Assistance program.docx](#)

[Waubensee college docs\SBA Coronavirus Pandemic Disaster Loans Comparison.xlsx](#)

[Waubensee college docs\Illinois SBDC COVID Resources.docx](#)

Arts for Illinois Relief Fund:

<https://artsforillinois.org/donate-and-apply>

U.S. Dept. of Treasury re: payroll tax credits:

[https://home.treasury.gov/news/press-releases/sm962?utm\\_source=2020+VIA+Members&utm\\_campaign=7d9634f780-EMAIL\\_CAMPAIGN\\_2020\\_04\\_02\\_01\\_55&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_term=0\\_745bad3a44-7d9634f780-326884021](https://home.treasury.gov/news/press-releases/sm962?utm_source=2020+VIA+Members&utm_campaign=7d9634f780-EMAIL_CAMPAIGN_2020_04_02_01_55&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_745bad3a44-7d9634f780-326884021)

[Downstate](#) SBSC Guidebook

[Downstate](#) SBSC FAQ