



# WORK UNITED NEWSLETTER

The latest news and updates from your  
Work United Resource Coordinators

## Fuel Assistance VT/NH

Don't Wait until it's too late!

It's time to sign up for Fuel Assistance in **VT**. Anyone can sign up at this time. **Click link -> VT Fuel Assistance**

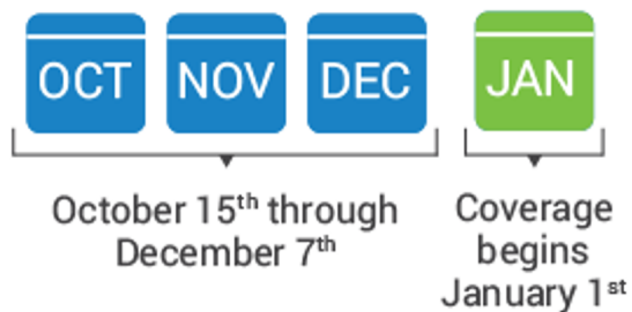
It's time to sign up for Fuel Assistance in **NH**. You will want to apply through your local Community Action Program (CAP). Click on this link to find your CAP -> **NH Fuel Assistance**

### Program Application Dates

- Households with children under the age of 6, disabled and/or elderly or heat with wood (wood pellets) can start applying July 16th
- Households that heat with oil, kerosene, and propane can start applying September 1st
- Electric heat and heat included with the rent households can start applying October 15th
- All Applications– October 15
- Program Opens-December 1

**Your Work United Resource Coordinator can assist you through this process**

## When Is the Open Enrollment Period?



## Medicare Open Enrollment for the 2020 Coverage Year

For the 2020 Medicare coverage year, open enrollment will run from **October 15, 2019 to December 7, 2019**. During the annual enrollment period (AEP) you can make changes to numerous aspects of your coverage.

- You can switch from Original Medicare to Medicare Advantage, or vice versa. Plans are based on where you live.
- You can also switch from one Medicare Advantage plan to another, or from one Medicare Part D (prescription drug) plan to another.
- And if you didn't enroll in a Medicare Part D plan when you were first eligible, you can do so during the general open enrollment, although a late enrollment penalty may apply.

If you become eligible for Medicare part D (prescription plan) and you don't think you need it now, you might want to consider paying for the cheapest part D plan you can find. As noted, a late enrollment penalty may apply if you decide to sign up at a later date.

For more information on Medicare you can contact your local senior center. This link also has quite a bit of information:  
**<https://www.medicare.gov/>**

We understand this can be a confusing process to get through. Your Work United Resource Coordinator is happy to help you navigate this process.



**Reminder**



- It's **FAFSA** time for the 2020-2021 year. Opens October 1, 2019
- LISTEN Community Service's **Holiday Basket** Program is open. Need help locating your local holiday program? Ask your Resource Coordinator. We will let you know when Toys For Tots is open for referrals
- Wheels for Warmth - A program in VT where you can purchase **cheap tires** October 27th. Your Resource Coordinator can give you the details

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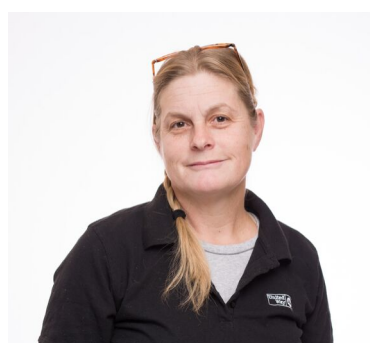


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