



## Pandemic EBT

### P-EBT Cards Coming Soon for NSLP Recipients

Due to the COVID-19 crisis, we know that many children have lost the security of the healthy meals provided at school each day. On April 24th, the USDA approved the P-EBT card for all families that qualify for free or reduced meals at school. Families already approved for FRLP are eligible for up to \$365 per child as part of this program.

Families who are approved via Direct Certification, are part of the CAL-FRESH program, receive Medi-Cal benefits or benefits associated with Foster-Care or Homeless Programs will automatically receive these cards between May 8th and May 22nd without needing to complete an application. Families who provided the school with paper applications at any time prior to March 2020 and were approved for the FRLP benefit will need to complete an online application. **This application will be available on May 22nd and must be completed prior to June 30th to be eligible.**

Additional information on this benefit will be provided in upcoming editions of the WISH Wise Weekly including the application link when it becomes available. If you have any immediate questions about this program, please reach out to Kimberlie Traceski - [kimberlie@wishcharter.org](mailto:kimberlie@wishcharter.org).

Please note that this benefit does not exclude families from accessing meals daily via the Grab & Go Food Centers.

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### >>>[GRAB & GO FOOD CENTER LOCATIONS](#)<<<

Please also see [THIS ATTACHMENT](#) for other local food distribution services available at this time.

If you have any questions or need additional information about available meal programs during this closure, please email Kimberlie Traceski - [kimberlie@wishcharter.org](mailto:kimberlie@wishcharter.org).