

WILL COUNTY FOOD RESOURCES

Please use these local resources to connect to food services in Will County:

RESOURCE	DESCRIPTION	CONTACT INFORMATION
Find Food Website	Will County MAPP Collaborative has created a website to connect residents with local food resources (micro pantries, mobile pantries and food pantries)	www.willcountyillinois.com/FindFood
Crisis Line	24/7 information, referral & counseling line.	(815) 722-3344 www.willfinduhelp.org
Food Pantries	Free food and grocery items for people of all ages. Food must be picked-up in person by patient or a proxy.	Northern Illinois Food Bank https://solvehungertoday.org
Grandparents Raising Grandkids	A TANF Grant to cover cost of raising grandchildren including food assistance	(800) 843-6154
Home Delivered Meals	Meals delivered to older adults who cannot otherwise prepare or obtain nutritionally adequate meals	Kankakee County Community Services Council, Meals on Wheels Will County (815) 726-0094 ext. 324 http://kccsi-willco.com/
Soup Kitchens	Free prepared meals for people of any ages	Northern Illinois Food Bank https://solvehungertoday.org
Summer Meal Sites	Free meals for children under 18 available when school is out for the summer. Available for all families	Call (800) 359-2163 or text "FoodIL" to 877877 or visit SummerMealsIL.org for locations
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)	Money on debit card for food purchases. Average benefit is about \$127 per month per person	Application assistance available at: Will County Community Health Center 1106 Neal Ave, Joliet, IL 60433 (815) 774-6069 DHS Family Community Resource Center 45 E. Webster St., Joliet, IL 60432 (815) 740-5350
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program	Vouchers to purchase pre-specified foods for pregnant and postpartum women, infants, and children under the age of 5. Nutrition education and breastfeeding support also provided	For information or to schedule an appointment: Will County Health Department WIC Program <i>Offices in Joliet, Bolingbrook & Monee</i> (815) 727-8524

