GENERAL FOOD RESOURCES & INFORMATION

DTA Updates

State funded programs including HIP, TAFDC, and EAEDC will continue operating normally. EBT cards will continue to work in November with any carryover benefits, though no new funds will be added. Find more information at link above.

Project Bread – Food Source Hotline

Call/text 1-800-645-8333 for multilingual assistance. Hotline Hours: Mon-Fri - 8am - 7pm & Sat: 10am - 2pm

Extended Weekend Hours For November 1st & 2nd - Sat: 9am-4pm Sun: 9am-1pm

Boston Food Bank Pantry Locator

Boston Community Fridge Map

The <u>Healthy Incentives Program (HIP)</u> is a Massachusetts program that applies state funds to your purchase when you use your EBT card to buy fruits and vegetables at <u>participating vendors</u>. As long as you have \$1 on your card, you can use.

SNAP Household Size & Monthly HIP Allowance.

1-2 people \$40 3-5 people \$60 6+ people \$80

BROOKLINE-BASED RESOURCES

Brookline Food Pantry

Groceries for Brookline residents. Bring proof of address and ID to register.

Locations:

210 Harvard St. United Parish Church

Wednesday: 2 - 5 pm

226 High St. High St. Veterans Community Room

Tuesday: 3 - 7 pm

Egmont St. Community Room

Thursday: 4 – 6p (BHA RESIDENTS ONLY)

Brookline Thrives

Weekend snack bags for children on Fridays. Bags will be delivered direct to your child at school. Registration required.

Brookline Community Fridge

7 Station St. Brookline (near Brookline Village T)

Fresh Truck

Fresh produce at many locations - Accepts HIP (bonus SNAP dollars)

Brookline Farmers Market

Coolidge Corner Centre Street West Parking Lot, Brookline (behind CVS on Harvard St.)

Thursdays, 1:30-6:30 p.m. (through November 20)

Accepts Brookline Bounty coupons and HIP – see website for details.

FOOD RESOURCES FOR SENIORS

Springwell – Home Delivered Meals

Contact Mon- Fri, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. to request the Information and Referral Department or fill out online form.

Phone: (617) 297-7685

Email: inforef@springwell.com

BROOKLINE SENIOR CENTER PROGRAMS

Greater Boston Food Bank Food Commodity

Provides 35 lbs. of shelf-stable food to low-income seniors on the 3rd Wednesday monthly.

Contact: Jamie Jensen at 617-730-2753 or jjensen@brooklinema.gov

Springwell Lunch Program for Seniors

Monday-Friday @ Brookline Senior Center (93 Winchester St.)

Dine-in or Grab 'N Go available.

Call (617) 730-2777 for more information.

Students Helping Older People (S.H.O.P)

Volunteer Brookline High School students' grocery shop for seniors in Brookline.

Contact: Valerie Graf (617) 730-2743, Vgraf@brooklinema.gov

FOR BHA RESIDENTS ONLY

Springwell Lunch Program @ Morse Apartments

For BHA residents of 90 Longwood, 50 Pleasant St., 61 Park St. & 190 Harvard St.

Lunch served Mon - Fri, 12:-1pm

Dine-in or Grab 'N Go available. To register, visit the Community Dining Room Monday through Friday between 10am - 12pm and speak to the Dining Site Manager.

CASE MANAGEMENT & RESOURCE CONNECTIONS

Brookline Center for Community Mental Health – Emergency Financial Assistance

EFA provides assistance with navigating housing, accessing basic needs, and connecting to other support systems. Contact: <u>EFA@brooklinecenter.org</u> or 857-707-3525

Brookline Housing Authority residents may contact their assigned resident service coordinator for assistance.

You may also speak to your primary care doctor, social worker, or other health care provider to see if they may have other referrals available.

BROOKLINE THANKSGIVING RESOURCES

BPD Thanksgiving Feast

Thursday, November 20, 2025 @ 5:30p @ Brookline High School RSVP at https://tinyurl.com/BPDFeast or call (617) 730-2248

United Parish Thanksgiving Dinner

Thursday, November 27, 2025 at 1pm (doors open at 12:30pm)

RSVP here Contact: thanksgiving@upbrookline.org, 617-277-6860 x7

Brookline Food Pantry, Brookline Bounty of the Brookline Public Health Department, and Brookline Housing Authority may offer Thanksqiving resources to clients and partners.

FOOD APPS & DISCOUNTS

To Good to Go - Discount restaurant food.

<u>FlashFood</u> - May have discount groceries at Stop & Shop.

GoPuff for SNAP recipients

- 1. From November 1 at 10 a.m. Eastern to November 15, 2025: use code SNAPRELIEF1 at checkout for \$25 off SNAP-eligible items and FREE delivery.
- 2. From November 16 to November 30, 2025: Use code SNAPRELIEF2 at checkout for \$25 off SNAP-eligible items and FREE delivery.

DoorDash, Instacart, and other companies may offer discounts to SNAP customers.

<u>Star Market</u> -\$30 Off on your first online pickup or delivery order when you spend \$75 or more** Enter promo code SAVE30 at checkout

OTHER LOCAL FOOD RESOURCES (BEYOND BROOKLINE)

Fair Foods

\$2/bag produce in Roxbury, Dorchester, Roslindale, Quincy, & Stoughton