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Organization	Description	Who is this for?	How to Apply or How to Access	Website
Government of British Columbia	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• COVID-19 Provincial Support and Information• Probably the most comprehensive list of links to government-related services, education and news on <i>*all*</i> COVID-related topics, whether money-, legal-, health-, or service-availability- related	All BC residents	<i>[Internet access]</i>	https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/safety/emergency-preparedness-response-recovery/covid-19-provincial-support
City of Vancouver	A new web page provides the most comprehensive links to changes in city government services and laws due to the pandemic, as well as advice on good citizen behavior	All Vancouver residents	<i>[Internet access]</i>	https://vancouver.ca/home-property-development/covid-19-coronavirus-within-vancouver.aspx

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Government of Canada	Published online the most comprehensive list with description and web links to all the new *economic* services and benefits that have been created to address the COVID-19 financial crisis	Any tax or fee payer or any Canadian suffering financial loss from the COVID-19 crisis	<i>[Internet access]</i>	https://www.canada.ca/en/department-finance/economic-response-plan.html
Dr Jennifer Robson	This Carleton University Political Science professor has carefully compiled and annotated a 15-page list of *government* resources that are available to any Canadian suffering financial hardship	Any Canadian put out financially by COVID-19 repercussions	<i>[Internet access]</i>	https://drive.google.com/file/d/11OJn7XS6ETIkBLRodYk681M_2dxkkQsc/view

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COVID 19 Health Literacy Project	COVID 19 fact sheets reviewed by physicians. Available in 35 languages	Open to all	<i>[Internet access]</i>	https://covid19healthliteracyproject.com/#languages
Public Health Agency of Canada	Source of information regarding health news and COVID-19. They also provide a self-assessment tool and various awareness resources.	Open to all	<i>[Internet access]</i>	https://www.canada.ca/en/public-health/services/diseases/coronavirus-disease-covid-19.html
				https://www.canada.ca/en/public-health/services/diseases/2019-novel-coronavirus-infection/awareness-resources.html
BC Centre for Disease Control	Information regarding COVID-19 as well as prevention, risks and self isolation.	Open to all	<i>[Internet access]</i>	http://www.bccdc.ca/health-info/diseases-conditions/covid-19
UBC - COVID 19 Multilingual Resources	Consolidated and accurate information available in various languages	Open to all	<i>[Internet access]</i>	https://digem.med.ubc.ca/covid-19-multilingual-resources/

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COVID 19 Phone Lines	Answers to general COVID 19 questions in various languages	Open to all	<i>[Internet access]</i>	https://www.divisionsbc.ca/sites/default/files/Divisions/Surrey-North%20Delta/COVID-19%20Phone%20Lines%20Pamphlet%205.pdf
ISS of BC Virtual Multicultural Peer Support Group for Immigration	Online group for newcomer women interested in connecting with other women during this time to share experiences, challenges and resources. Sessions start May 2nd.	Newcomer women	<i>Rasha Youssef to register by phone or email Tel: 604-684-7498 ext.1694 E-mail: rasha.youssef@issbc.org</i>	https://issbc.org/event/virtual-multicultural-peer-support-group-for-immigrant-and-refugee-women/2020-05-02
BC211	Information and referral of all human services that exist in B.C.	Open to all	<i>[Internet access]</i>	http://www.bc211.ca/coronavirus-2019-outbreak

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North American Center for Threat Assessment and Trauma Response	Information regarding how administration can support staff on how to engage parents of students of concern. Document includes a script.	Specifically for administrators but may also be of interest to education departments, school district leaders, support teachers, social workers, psychologists, counsellors, and other school staff.	<i>[Internet access]</i>	https://www.nactatr.com/files/2020NACTATR-RCapxB.pdf