

**Dear Community:**

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, we have received an extraordinary number of new applications for service. We are working to process all applications, and will respond to inquiries as soon as we can. The current application processing time is 6 weeks. We ask for your patience during this time.

To see if you might be eligible for our meal program, please **[check your eligibility here](#)**.

For other food resources, call 311 or visit [www.nyc.gov/getfood](http://www.nyc.gov/getfood) and [NYC Food Policy website](#).

## **COVID-19 Response from God's Love We Deliver**

God's Love We Deliver was designated as an [essential provider](#) for New York City. As such, we continue to cook, package, and deliver medically tailored meals to individuals living with severe and chronic illness, and their families, from our SoHo headquarters. We continue to do all we can to adjust to the ever-changing news around the coronavirus (COVID-19).

Because not all of your individuals impacted by COVID-19 ramifications may need our medically tailored meals, we are pleased to share that the City has implemented an expanded home delivery model that many of your members would qualify for due to the closure of senior centers and social adult day programs. Your members or staff can access services through [nyc.gov/getfood](http://nyc.gov/getfood) or by calling 311.

## **Our Emergency Shelf-Stable Meal Delivery For our Current Clients**

God's Love has been open and delivering as an essential service provider throughout these many weeks. Throughout that time our clients' wellbeing has been front of mind. Early on, we mobilized to deliver an extra week's worth of shelf-stable meals to our thousands of clients so that they would be nourished if we had to close. **We are now delivering the next wave of shelf-stable meals.**

As of April 19, 2020, staff and volunteers will have assembled and delivered 140,000 more shelf-stable meals (a 2-week supply per person) to our clients. These meals have been designed by our RDNs and meet all our clients' dietary requirements.

In total, God's Love has delivered 210,000 shelf-stable meals to all clients on our program since the start of COVID-19.

[Sponsor a Shelf-Stable Meal Bag](#)

## **Check Eligibility for our Program**

## **Why Medically Tailored Meals?**

Our meals help you achieve key outcomes in healthcare and the social determinants of health

### **Our meals address:**

- Severe and/or chronic illness
- Hospital discharges
- Weight loss
- Cognitive Impairment or serious mental illness
- Medically at-risk conditions
- General fatigue
- Difficulty chewing or swallowing
- Difficulty walking or getting around
- Difficulty shopping or cooking

Our RDNs and Executive Chef Build Each Menu

## **Our menu is:**

Free of fillers and preservatives

Nutritionally tailored to address specific health and illness goals

Designed by our Registered Dietitian Nutritionists to be both nutritious and delicious

Research-proven to improve the health and well-being of members

we're here to help

## **Learn more about:**

Our [menu](#)

[Research](#) backing medically tailored meals

Our nutrition team's [publications](#)

## **Updates During COVID-19**



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## **Responding to the Coronavirus: Volunteer Protocol**

UPDATED ON MARCH 30, 2020: Dear Community, At this time, we are looking for volunteers on every shift throughout the week. All of our shifts are listed online where you can view and SIGN UP to volunteer ([here](#)). If you are not...



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## **Responding to the Coronavirus: Delivery Protocol**

Dear Community, Our clients' health and safety is our highest priority. Our delivery team is taking additional steps to prioritize the health and safety of our clients, and themselves. As part of our new protocol, drivers now...



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## **Responding to the Coronavirus: Essential Service Provider**

As many of you know, New York City is currently under Executive Order 202.6 which states that nonessential employees must stay at home. What does this mean for organizations like God's Love We Deliver? We are very thankful th...