

The Common Table's Community Care Survey

In response to COVID-19 and your safety and well being

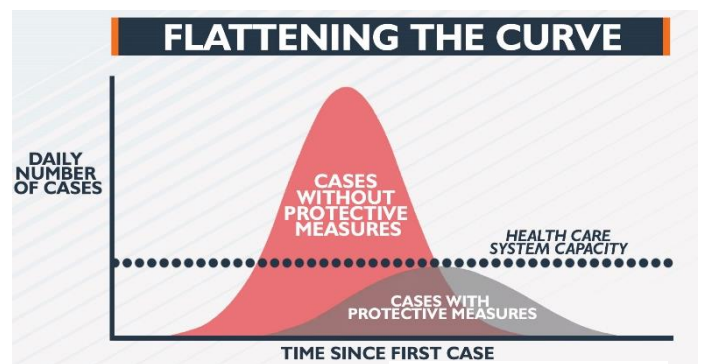
PLEASE READ:

The latest in the news about containing the spread of COVID-19 is all about proactive social distancing (which includes people having 3 feet of distance from each other, and other precautions). This is a helpful graphic below, which is going around on all news sources right now.

What this graphic means, is if society as a whole takes protective measures to slow the spread of COVID-19, we will not over-burden our health system, and many more people will be well and get through this without a problem than if we do not take preventative measures.

This is why you are seeing things start to close down, especially places that have large amounts of people in a small space. Schools will be closed for 2 weeks or more. The catholic church in Rome has closed. Some areas in the US have started to close all community centres and libraries. And locally, many community hub spaces will begin to close to participate in this larger scale plan for wellness for all.

It **MAY** be that soon that The Common Table will need to adjust how we serve the community **TEMPORARILY** and utilize a different method of outreach. **Our biggest concern is your well-being during this possible temporary change.** To help us understand how best we could connect with you and support you through this time, please complete this survey (front and back).



Infographic from Channel3000.com

To be clear- we are not closing the drop-in room yet. We want to hear from you- the people we care about- so if and when we are told to take this step, we know how to reach you and what is most vital and important to our community during a temporary drop-in room closure.

All information gathered here is strictly confidential and will be used only to help us know how best to serve our community during this time.

How regularly are you here at The Common Table?

- Just about every day (M-F)
- 1-2 times a week (M-F)
- 1-4 times a month (M-F)
- Occasionally (once a month or less)

What do you most appreciate from The Common Table? (check all that apply to you)

- Breakfast meal
- Lunch meal
- Access to supplies (toiletries and clothing)
- Community visiting and friendship
- Access to the nurse
- Access to a safe space to sit for the morning
- Access to resources and personal support through the staff

What would be the biggest burden you would have if support places like ours would need to close temporarily? (check all that apply to you)

- Access to food daily
- Access to places to sit and be safe and warm
- Access to needed supplies and toiletries
- Other- please be specific: _____

If we were told to close the drop-in room temporarily, what would be the most helpful things to offer? (check all that apply to you)

- Take-out meals at the door
- Meal delivery if you cannot make it here (to street spot or home)
- Supplies at the door
- Supply delivery- includes clothing, toiletries, vitamins, etc. (to street spot or home)
- I wouldn't want any of these things during a temporary closure

Please fill out the below so we can check in with you if we do have a temporary closure. THIS INFORMATION IS ONLY FOR THE COMMON TABLE STAFF AND WILL NOT BE SHARED BEYOND OUR PROGRAM.

Name: _____

Address, if you have one: _____

Phone number if you have one: _____

Email if you have one: _____

If you do not currently have an address, where do you stay? Tell us an intersection, describe to us where you tend to sleep and hang out in the day. Please be specific and list multiple spots if you need to:

What other ideas or feedback do you have about dealing with this issue together as a community? We want to hear from you and learn from you, please tell us your thoughts.

**We will communicate clearly and honestly with you as things progress.
Please know that the safety of the most marginalized and at-risk are our highest concern.
If we do end up adjusting temporarily how we provide community care, we will re-open to
the regular way of doing things AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.**

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