

Asotin County Community Services Employment Newsletter

Serving the Lewis-Clark Valley since 1973

All people living, working, learning and playing in a community based on abilities, not disabilities.

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COPING WITH COVID-19

COVID-19 is a new disease. If you catch it, it can make you very sick. It can be deadly, especially for people who have chronic medical conditions. People with a disability alone may not be related to higher risk for COVID-19 or having severe illness. Those who have one of the disability types listed below, however, may be at greater risk.

- ◇ If you have limited mobility;
- ◇ If you have trouble communicating;
- ◇ If you are not able to communicate symptoms of illness;

There are ways to protect yourself.

- ◆ Before anyone touches you, ask them to wash their hands;
- ◆ Ask for help cleaning and disinfecting things you touch;
- ◆ Whenever possible maintain 6 feet of space between yourself and another person;
- ◆ If you are able to put on and remove a face mask, please wear one;
- ◆ Never put a mask on an individual who cannot take it off;

Important Dates in May

- May 3 is world laughter day.
- May 4 is International Fire Fighters Day
- May 5 is payday at ACCS.
- May 10 is Mother's Day
- May 15 is Families Day
- May 21 is Anti-Terrorism Day
- May 25 is Memorial Day



Safer at Home

You miss work, and we miss you. The staff of ACCS are doing our best to avoid or limit face to face interaction. We are essential workers, and we will continue to keep your jobs by doing them ourselves so that you are not in danger. We will let you know as soon as we can operate as normal or even as near normal as possible. Hang in there. Your job is waiting for you.

