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# **BDCA FOOD BANK CHANGES FROM WEDS MAY 19TH**

It has been a joy to provide you with food over the past year, but with lockdown lifting we will be taking a short break.

**There will be no food bank on May 5<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>.**

**When we reopen on May 19<sup>th</sup> we will focused on those who need our help most, meaning there will be some important changes**

- We will only be able to help people who can prove they live at an address with an E6 postcode.
- Guests will only be able to claim food a maximum of 3 times in a 6-month period.
- All guests will need to have a referral to us from another organization vouching for your level of need to get a full allocation of food (list of referring organizations on rear of this letter)

## **IF YOU NEED MORE HELP OVER NEXT 2 WEEKS WHEN WE ARE CLOSED OR THEREAFTER**

The Newham Food Alliance:  
[frontdoor@newhamfoodalliance.org](mailto:frontdoor@newhamfoodalliance.org) or 07790-975086

## **Live in E6 and need a Referral?**

### **From a local school, if your children attend one**

Oliver Thomas Nursery and Children's Centre  
Brampton Primary  
Altmore Primary  
Vicarage Lane Primary  
Nelson Primary  
Roman Road Primary  
Brampton Manor Academy

### **From social prescribers through your local doctor**

### **If you are from the Malayalam Community**

Malayalam Association UK

### **If you are dealing with employment services**

Job Centres  
Workplace – now called 'Our Newham; Work'  
Maximus People

### **If you are speaking to advice services**

Moneyworks – now called 'Our Newham: Money' 0208-430-2041  
Citizen's Advice Bureau 0208-525-6377  
Community Links 0207-473-2270

### **Through the Council-run food access point**

Newham Food Alliance 07790-975086

### **Through other charity sessions you might be attending**

Including ones run by Bonny Downs Community Association.

### **Through services you may already be accessing for other reasons**

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