Here’s how it works:

**CONNECTICUT UNITED WAYS COVID-19 Response Fund**

Connecticut United Ways COVID-19 Response Fund will get cash into the hands of people who are financially struggling as a result of the pandemic. Most of these people were already living paycheck to paycheck and are part of a population United Way calls **ALICE® (Asset Limited, Income Constrained, Employed)**. Connecticut United Ways** are partnering with EML***, as well as state entities, social service agencies, and philanthropic partners to alleviate some of the financial stress these individuals and families face. It is an easy way to get funds for necessities into the hands of people who need it most.

**STEP 1**

Approved agencies send weblink and code to participant. Participant fills out form.

**STEP 2**

United Way forwards participant form to EML Rewards for processing.

**STEP 3**

Participant receives text from EML Rewards notifying them of eligibility.

**STEP 4**

Participant downloads funds to mobile wallet.*

*The EML Rewards Mastercard is accepted at millions of locations. Valid only in U.S.

**United Way of Central and Northeastern Connecticut and United Way of Western Connecticut are administering this fund and agree to keep each participant’s name, email and phone number confidential and disclose same only to EML and the Pay Provider in order to carry out the terms of this program. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the United Way of Central and Northeastern Connecticut and United Way of Western Connecticut may disclose such information if required by a court, government agency or other regulatory body. After expiration, any funds not spent by participants will be returned to the Connecticut United Ways COVID-19 Response Fund.

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