

Extreme heat events are the most dangerous weather hazard in the United States contributing to an average of more than 600 reported deaths per year.

Alerts

During days of extreme heat, the Baltimore City Health Commissioner will announce a Code Red Extreme Heat Alert.

Who is at-risk?

People who are living alone, mentally impaired, unable to travel, poor, experiencing homelessness, older adults, infants or those reluctant to leave pets behind are most at-risk during an extreme heat event.

When there is a Code Red Extreme Heat Alert, the City of Baltimore will open Cooling Centers to provide relief from the heat. Cooling Centers have air-conditioning and offer shade and cold water for residents.

Transportation

If you are a senior in need of transportation to a local cooling center, accommodations can be made through CARE's Taxi Card voucher program. Prior registration is required. See http://www.caretaxicard.com/.

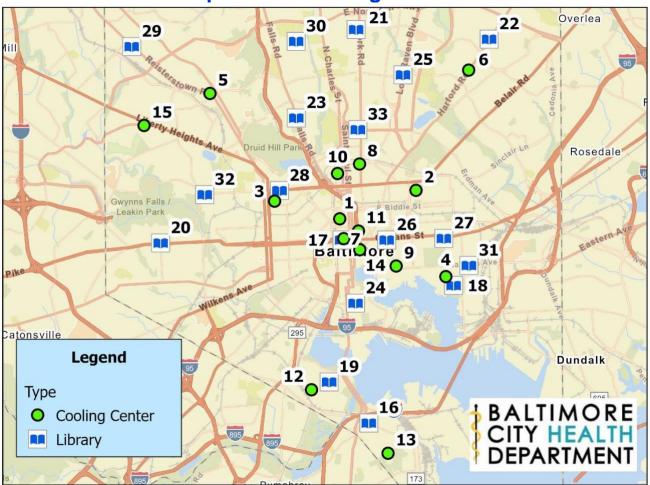
Locations

Consult the map below to locate the **Cooling Center** nearest you. Operating days and times are noted below. For assistance, or more information on cooling centers, call 311, or visit: health.baltimorecity.gov/coderedinfo

911

Any city resident experiencing the signs of heat exhaustion or heat stroke should call 911.

Map of 2024 Cooling Resources



See key and list of locations on the next page.

Cooling Centers* (While locations that serve as cooling centers during Code Red may have regular activities associated with normal operations, they are not activated as cooling centers unless a Code Red is declared). Even during Code Red days, cooling center sites may be temporarily closed if they lose AC or power.

The numbers listed below correspond to the map labels on the first page.

Senior Centers, Weekdays: 9:00 am - 7:00 pm, not open on City Holidays

1. Waxter Senior Center 1000 Cathedral Street

2. Oliver Senior Center 1700 N. Gay Street

3. Sandtown-Winchester **Senior Center**

1601 Baker Street

4. Hatton Senior Center 2825 Fait Avenue

5. Zeta Senior Center 4501 Reisterstown Road 6. Harford Senior Center

4920 Harford Road

Mayor's Office of Homeless Services (MOHS) Sites-available beginning June 1st - Sept. 1st

7. My Sister's Place Women's Center 8. Manna House

(Women and Children Only) 17 W. Franklin Street

Everyday: 10:30 am - 5:30 pm

435 E. 25th Street

M – F: 11:30 am – 3:00 pm

9. Beans & Bread 400 S. Bond Street

M - F: 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

10. Franciscan Center

101 W. 23rd Street M - F: 10:00 am - 1:00 pm

11. Weinberg Housing & Resource Center (WHRC)

620 Fallsway

Everyday: 11:00 am - 5:00 pm

Housing Authority of Baltimore City Weekdays: 8:30am - 3:30 pm **NOT OPEN ON CITY HOLIDAYS**

12. Cherry Hill Homes 2700 Spelman Road

13. Brooklyn Homes

4140 10th St.

Community Cooling Centers

14. Zion Lutheran Church

400 E. Lexington St. Tuesday - Thursday 11:00 AM - 5:00 PM

15. ShopRite of Howard Park 4601 Liberty Heights Avenue Everyday

6:00 AM - 10:00 PM

Enoch Pratt Free Library

Residents seeking relief from the heat are encouraged to visit open Pratt Library locations during their normal business hours. Bottled water will not be available at these locations. Hours by site may vary. Please call the library branch or 311 to verify libraries' status and hours of operation.

16. Brooklyn

300 E. Patapsco Avenue

410-396-1120

19. Cherry Hill 606 Cherry Hill Road

410-396-1168

22. Hamilton

5910 Harford Road 410-396-6088

25. Northwood

4420 Loch Raven Boulevard

410-396-6076

28. Pennsylvania Ave 1531

W. North Avenue 410-396-0399

31. Southeast Anchor 3601

Eastern Avenue 410-396-1580

17. Central Library

400 Cathedral Street 410-396-5430

20. Edmondson Avenue

4330 Edmondson Avenue

410-396-0946 23. Hampden 3641 Falls Road 410-396-6043

26. Orleans

1303 Orleans Street

410-369-0970

29. Reisterstown Road

6310 Reisterstown Road

410-396-0948 32. Walbrook

3203 W. North Avenue

410-396-093

18. Canton

1030 S. Ellwood Avenue

410-396-8548

21. Govans

5714 Bellona Avenue

410-396-6098 24. Light Street 1251 Light Street 410-396-1096

27. Patterson Park 158

N. Linwood Avenue

410-396-0983

30. Roland Park

5108 Roland Avenue

410-396-6099 33. Waverly

400 E. 33rd Street 410-396-6053