



# open+ Access Corona Public Library



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# Challenges

- One service site, 39 sq miles, 168,000 residents
- Insufficient Hours of Operation
- Meeting Community Needs



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# How Do We Expand Access to the Library?

Easy...offer more hours

# Solutions

- LaRS on the Go
- Add More Hours of Operation
  - Open+





# What is open+

Meeting community when they are.





**big, medium + small**

open+ works in branches  
of all shapes and sizes

OVER 750



LIBRARIES

operate with open+ hours



**2004**

**concept began**

ten+ years ago



**provides access  
in the North Pole**

Svalbard Library, the most Northern  
Library in Norway

[See open+ in action](#)



# Funding open+

Bringing the Library to You: Mobile Library Solutions Grant

\$5,000 set up & pre-installation needs

Two Years of open+ Annual Fees





# Hours of Operation\*

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Open+	7 – 10 a	7 – 10 a	7 – 10 a	7 – 10 a	7 – 10 a	8 a - Noon
Regular	10 a – 9 p	10 a – 9 p	10 a – 9 p	10 a – 5 p	10 a – 5 p	Noon – 5 p

**Regular: 52 hrs**

**open+: +19 hrs**

\*Library currently on limited hours due to COVID-19 restrictions



# How do you gain access?

- 18+
- CPL card holder in good standing
- Orientation
- Signed Agreement





# What is Accessible?

## Available

- Print Materials
- Audio Visual
- Work Stations
- WiFi
- Printing
- Magazines
- Newspapers
- Self Checks

## Not Available

- Staff (mostly)
- Community Rooms
- Study Rooms
- Heritage Room
- Staff Work Areas
- Maker Exchange

# QUESTIONS?



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