

Emergency Rental Assistance Program

Program is available for assistance with rent and utilities for renters in Forest and Warren Counties for expenses which occurred after March 13, 2020.

What do you need to apply?

Please gather the following information **before** you submit an application:

- Tenant head of household information – name, address, social security number, birthdate and contact information
- Total monthly household expenses

If you are applying for rental assistance, you will also need to know:

- Landlord information (including name, address, and phone number)
- Amount of monthly rent
- Amount of rent owed

If you are applying for utility assistance, you will also need to know:

- Utility company name, address, phone number, account number
- Amount of utilities owed
- Number of months owed

Where do you apply?

Please apply online at: <https://www.compass.state.pa.us/Compass.Web/Public/CMPHome>

or go to

<https://www.wfeoc.org> to access all required forms

UNFINISHED APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE SAVED. IF YOU EXIT THE APPLICATION PRIOR TO COMPLETING IT, YOU WILL HAVE TO START AT THE BEGINNING

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Documentation you may be asked to submit:

- Proof of ID for all household members
- Proof of income for anyone 18 years of age or older in the household
- Lease
- Utility bills, utility shut-off notices, eviction notices, proof of rental arrears
- Additional documentation may be requested

How do you know if you might be eligible?

- To be eligible, a household must be obligated to pay rent on a residential dwelling, and Warren-Forest Counties EOC, must determine that:
 - One or more individuals within the household has qualified for unemployment benefits or experienced a reduction in household income, incurred significant costs, or experienced other financial hardship due, directly or indirectly, to the COVID-19 outbreak;
 - One or more individuals within the household can demonstrate a risk of experiencing homelessness or housing instability; and
 - The household has a household income at or below 80% of the area median income

County	80% AMI 1 Person	80% AMI 2 Person	80% AMI 3 Person	80% AMI 4 Person	80% AMI 5 Person	80% AMI 6 Person	80% AMI 7 Person	80% AMI 8 Person
Forest and Warren	\$36,350	\$41,550	\$46,750	\$51,900	\$56,100	\$60,250	\$64,400	\$68,550

**For any additional questions, contact the Warren-Forest Counties Economic Opportunity Council at:
814-726-2400 ext. 107 or ext. 103 or send an email to: hderemer@wfeoc.org**