

THE COVID HOUSING RELIEF PROGRAM



What is the COVID Housing Relief Program?

The COVID Housing Relief Program (CHRP) is for Lake County residents that need help with their rent or utility bills because they have been financially impacted by the COVID-19 emergency, including COVID-related business closures. Renters may qualify for assistance with rent, gas bills, or electric bills, up to a maximum. Homeowners may qualify for assistance with gas or electric bills only. Applicants may receive assistance for up to three months, including arrears.

Who is Eligible?

In order to qualify for the CHRP, you must:

- » Be a Lake County resident
- » Have experienced a substantial loss of income due to COVID-19 (job loss, reduction in compensation, obligation to be absent from work to care for home-bound school-aged children, etc.) OR experienced a large unexpected medical cost
- » Have a household income below 80% Area Median Income (combined income of all adults in the household)

	1 Person	2 Person	3 Person	4 Person	5 Person	6 Person	7 Person	8 Person
80%	\$51,000	\$58,250	\$65,550	\$72,800	\$78,650	\$84,450	\$90,300	\$96,100

- » Have limited liquid assets

Who Can I Contact to Apply?

If a resident believes they are eligible, they should call 211 or text their zip code to 898211, to be referred to a CHRP provider.

Applicants will need to fill out some forms and provide documentation evidence of eligibility criteria and funding will be provided directly to the landlord or utility company.

Additional Information for Landlords:

Landlords, if your tenant may benefit from this program, please forward this flyer or let them know they can call 211 or text their zip code to 898211. If your tenant is eligible for the program, a CHRP provider will contact you. You will need to fill out some forms to verify information, then the CHRP provider will pay you directly.

