



Summit County Cares
Emergency Rental Assistance Program

Are you unable to pay your rent or utilities due to COVID-19?

Summit County Emergency Rental Assistance Program is designed to help keep Summit County families and residents housed in the wake of the historic economic recession caused by the COVID-19 pandemic. The Emergency Rental Assistance Program is administered through a partnership of local government and community organizations.

Emergency Rental Assistance Program will be providing assistance for rent, and/or utilities.

- Rent assistance cannot exceed \$1,500 a month
- All unpaid balances will be verified and documented prior to payments being made
- Cooperation from applicants and landlords is required

QUALIFICATION CRITERIA

- Resident of Summit County;
- Member of a household that was financially impacted by COVID-19;
- Unpaid rent, or utility balance; AND
- Gross income at or under 80% of the Area Median Income (AMI) Guidelines

NOTE: Priority is given to households at or below 30% of the AMI guidelines, pregnant women, occupants over 62, and/or households with a court eviction notice, or utility shut-off notices.

This program is not designed to be a first-come, first-serve program.

Utilities must be in the name of the tenant or the landlord.

The application process will take 10-15 minutes. Residents may apply for help for rent or utilities or both. It is important that applicants gather their household, income, landlord and utility information including account numbers PRIOR to starting the application online or calling 2-1-1 to apply.

Further details regarding documents needed to apply, and other program specific details can be found at www.SummitCountyCares.org.

AREA MEDIAN INCOME GUIDELINES

HOUSEHOLD SIZE	30%	50%	80%
1	\$16,050	\$26,750	\$42,750
2	\$18,350	\$30,550	\$48,850
3	\$21,720	\$34,350	\$54,950
4	\$26,200	\$38,150	\$61,050
5	\$30,680	\$41,250	\$65,950
6	\$35,160	\$44,300	\$70,850
7	\$39,640	\$47,350	\$75,700
8	\$44,120	\$50,400	\$80,600

Apply by visiting www.SummitCountyCares.org

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ILENE SHAPIRO
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

