HCRA Handbook Appendix J

NOTE: The Federal Poverty Guidelines will be issued in late February or early March each year

HEALTH CARE RESPONSIBILITY ACT (HCRA)

INCOME LIMITS

(100% of the Federal Poverty Level)

(Does Not Include Income Limits for Counties Eligible for the Spend-Down Provision)

If family unit's gross income is <= the amount shown on the chart for a household of the same size, then the applicant has met the income criterion for the HCRA program and may be eligible to participate.

If the family unit's gross income is > the amount shown on the chart for a household of the same size, then the applicant has not met the income criterion for the HCRA program and is not eligible to participate, unless he or she is a resident of a spend-down provision eligible county.

2025 Federal Poverty Guidelines 100% FPL Effective 1/01/2025					
			Size of	Annual	Monthly
			Family Unit	Income	Income
1	\$15,650	\$1,304			
2	\$21,150	\$1,763			
3	\$26,650	\$2,221			
4	\$32,150	\$2,679			
5	\$37,650	\$3,138			
6	\$43,150	\$3,596			
7	\$48,650	\$4,054			
8	\$54,150	\$4,513			
For each additional family unit					
Member over 8 add:	\$5,500	\$458			

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SOURCE: U.S. Department of Health & Human Services (HHS), Office of The Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation (Poverty Guidelines, Research, and Measurement – issued each year in the Federal Register by the HHS) https://aspe.hhs.gov/topics/poverty-economic-mobility/poverty-guidelines

https://aspe.hhs.gov/sites/default/files/documents/dd73d4f00d8a819d10b2fdb70d254f7b/detailed-guidelines-2025.pdf