Special COVID-19 Funding Available to Qualified Families

DAYTON -- Families with children age 18 or younger may now apply for special COVID-19 relief funds under the Prevention, Retention and Contingency (PRC) program. You could qualify if you make up to 200 % of Federal Poverty Level guidelines as shown on this page.

If your family is experiencing hardship due to COVID-19, you could apply for a payment of $400 to be used for cleaning supplies, thermometers and hygiene items. In addition, you can be considered for up to 1,000 in funding if you are having trouble making your rent, mortgage or utility payments. Families can then potentially qualify for up to $1,400 in COVID-19 PRC relief funds.

Customers should fill out this application, and email it to montgomery-workactivities@jfs.ohio.gov. Hard applications are available in the green Child Support entrance, 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays, on the west side of The Job Center. Hard applications can be placed anytime in the drop box in front of the blue Family Assistance entrance, or you can take a photo of the application and email it to montgomery-workactivities@jfs.ohio.gov.

Pregnant mothers can apply for this special funding even if they don’t have other children. Grandparents and other relatives who have custody of children may apply as well. Customers can also apply if they applied for another type of PRC funding not related to COVID-19, but the combined housing and utility funding cannot exceed $1,000 in a 12-month period.

Customers need to fill out the COVID-19 PRC application completely and also include a current telephone contact to ensure the fastest processing possible.

While it is not mandatory, applicants are also encouraged to submit this voter registration form with their application to help ensure that their voices are heard in election season.

https://www.mcohio.org/Voter%20Registration%20Form.pdf