



Marriage & Family SERVICES

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Emergency Assistance Application

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Month:	Date:	Year:
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Name:
Address:
Phone:

- Individual
- Family
- Organization

Reason for Assistance

- Non-Profit Mission Purpose
(Please Explain)

- Emergency Situation
(Please Explain)

- Financial Hardship
(Please Explain)



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Product Request List

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Infant

- Clothing
- Formula/Food
- Stroller
- Diapers/Pull-ups
- Wipes
- Car Seats
- Bottles/Sippy Cups
- Crib/Play Yard
- Other: _____

Child/Adult

- Clothing
- Deodorant/Body Spray
- Body Wash/Sponges
- Toothpaste/Brushes
- Floss/Mouthwash
- Feminine Hygiene
- First Aid Supplies
- Hair/Skin Care Products
- Other: _____

Household

- Hand/Dish Soap
- Laundry Supplies
- Cleaning Supplies
- Paper Goods
- Linen
- Dishes/Utensils
- Appliances
- Furniture
- Other: _____

School Supplies

School District:	(For school supply list purposes)
How many children?	(Amount per family/organization)

(List the grade level below) Additional Amount: _____

- Elementary**
Grade: _____
Grade: _____
Grade: _____
- Intermediate**
Grade: _____
Grade: _____
Grade: _____
- Junior**
Grade: _____
Grade: _____
Grade: _____
- High**
Grade: _____
Grade: _____
Grade: _____



Benefit Assistance

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Please indicate what benefits you are requesting assistance for:

○ **TexCare Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP)**

The TexCare Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) is designed for families who earn too much money to qualify for Medicaid health care, yet cannot afford to buy private insurance. The parents in some of these families have jobs that do not offer health insurance for children. Other parents' jobs offer health insurance, but the insurance is so expensive that families cannot afford it. TexCare offers additional children's health insurance programs through Medicaid, which is provided at no cost to qualifying children, and the State Kids Insurance Program (SKIP). If you are a state employee, you may qualify for an insurance supplement for your dependent children under age 19. Your SKIP supplement will be covered through your state insurance program.

○ **Texas Comprehensive Energy Assistance Program (CEAP)**

The Comprehensive Energy Assistance Program (CEAP) is a utility assistance program designed to assist low income households in meeting their immediate energy needs and to encourage consumers to control energy costs for years to come through energy education. It provides relief to those low income elderly and/or disabled households most vulnerable to the high cost of energy for home heating and cooling from fluctuations in energy costs by providing financial assistance, paying up to four of the highest bills during the year. Furthermore, it provides assistance in an energy-related crisis or during severe weather or supply shortages.

○ **Texas Head Start**

Head Start is a Federal program that promotes the school readiness of children from birth to age five from low-income families by enhancing their cognitive, social, and emotional development. Head Start programs provide a learning environment that supports children's growth in many areas such as language, literacy, and social and emotional development. Head Start emphasizes the role of parents as their child's first and most important teacher. These programs help build relationships with families that support family well-being and many other important areas. Many Head Start programs also provide Early Head Start, which serves infants, toddlers, and pregnant women and their families who have incomes below the Federal poverty level.

○ **Texas Medicaid**

Medicaid is the State and Federal cooperative venture that provides medical coverage to eligible needy persons. The purpose of Medicaid in Texas is to improve the health of people in Texas who might otherwise go without medical care for themselves and their children.

○ **Texas School Breakfast and Lunch Program**

The Texas Department of Agriculture Food and Nutrition Division administers the National School Lunch (NSLP) and School Breakfast Programs (SBP) for Public Schools. The goal of the NSLP and SBP is to safeguard the health and well-being of school children by establishing good eating habits through the availability of adequate food. Public and nonprofit schools, residential child care institutions, juvenile correctional institutions, and boarding schools may participate in these programs.

- **Texas Special Milk Program**
The Special Milk Program (SMP) reimburses contractors for milk that they serve to school and preschool aged children who do not otherwise participate in a Federal child nutrition meal service program. SMP clients include children who are enrolled in private nonprofit schools, child care facilities, or summer camps.
- **Texas Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)**
The Texas Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) is a nutrition program that helps pregnant women, new mothers, and young children eat well, learn about nutrition, and stay healthy. Nutrition education and counseling, nutritious foods, and assistance with access to health care are provided to low-income women, infants, and children through the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program, popularly known as WIC.
- **Texas Summer Food Service**
The Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) provides free, nutritious meals to children who might otherwise go hungry when the school year has ended or is closed. The meals are usually provided along with educational or recreational activities. The program reimburses contractors who serve meals that meet certain nutritional standards to children.
- **Texas Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)**
Many Texans have trouble making ends meet each month. After paying for rent, utilities, transportation, and child care, there's often little left over to buy nutritious food. But it doesn't have to be that way. Each month, hundreds of thousands of families across the state turn to the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) to receive help in the form of Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) benefits to help feed their families. Read on to learn how you can receive help if you qualify. SNAP is a federally funded program that helps low-income families buy nutritious food from local food stores. SNAP assistance is available to qualifying families, elderly people, and single adults. Applicants must reside in Texas, and must apply in the county in which they reside.
- **Texas Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)**
The Texas Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) program, formerly Aid to Families with Children (ADFC), is a support service for Texas families. The purpose of TANF is to provide financial and medical assistance to needy dependent children and the parents or relatives with whom they are living. Eligible TANF households receive monthly cash and Medicaid benefits. TANF uses state funds to provide cash assistance to families with two parents who both receive benefits with children deprived of parental support because of the unemployment or underemployment of a parent.
- **Texas Unemployment Insurance**
Unemployment insurance benefits provide temporary financial assistance to workers unemployed through no fault of their own that meet Texas' eligibility requirements.
- **Texas Weatherization Assistance Program**
The Texas Weatherization Assistance Program (WAP) assists with the weatherization of the homes of low-income elderly and disabled adults and families. The program is administered through contracts with an established network of 26 non-profit agencies and local governments experienced in providing weatherization services. WAP services are available in all 254 counties. Applicants must meet low-income eligibility guidelines based on established Federal poverty guidelines. Activities include: insulation, storm windows, caulking, and other related activities to reduce home energy costs and increase home energy efficiency.

Texas Save & Give On-Site Application Assistance

Location: Main Office

Saturday: By Appointment Only

Managing Agency – Texas.gov: <http://www.state.tx.us>



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Acknowledgment of Services

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Non-Profit Organization

Print Name

Date

Recipient Signature

TCPMFS Representative

Individual/Family

Print Name

Date

Recipient Signature

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Identification Type: (must be valid and not expired) <input type="radio"/> Driver's License <input type="radio"/> State Issued ID	Recorded By:
ID Number:	Issued/Expiration Date:
Disclaimer: The Emergency Assistance Application is the main form used by our company to determine what needs a non-profit organization, family, or individual have. With the completed application, our company can begin servicing applicants with either product donations or helping with benefit assistance. Non-profit organizations being serviced by TCP Marriage & Family Services will provide a copy of their 501(c) (3) tax exemption status from an authorized representative of that organization. Families and individuals will provide a valid copy of identification and be limited to product donations of three times per year unless unforeseen hardships or disasters occur.	