

SOCIAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT

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Tribal Assistance Program

The Tribal Assistance Program is a general welfare assistance program. The application period begins October 1st and ends September 30th. This program operates on a first come first serve basis depending on availability of funds. Tribal citizens are eligible for this program once per fiscal year.

ASSISTANCE:

Tribal citizens must choose only one of the below listed options per fiscal year.

- **Clothing \$300** **Applicants are required to submit receipts for the items purchased.**
- **Food \$300**
Unapproved grocery purchases include: makeup, jewelry, perfume, hair products, tobacco and alcohol products. **Applicants are required to submit receipt for items purchased.**
- **Utility \$300**
Tribal citizen must be 18 years old or older to receive utility assistance and attach a **utility bill in the tribal citizen's name.** Be aware when submitting cut off notices for utilities: it will take 7-10 business days before a check will be mailed to utility vendor. **Delaware Nation is not responsible for disconnections, late fees or reconnect fees.**

HEALTH:

- **Glasses up to \$400** for tribal citizens (0-59). Reimbursements are now allowable. A paid receipt/invoice must be attached to the application. Payment for glasses must occur in the current fiscal year.

REQUIREMENTS:

- Please complete and sign the TAP application and submit all required documents.
- All applications must have a bill or invoice in the tribal citizen's name if you are applying for UTILITIES.
- Minors (under 18) **cannot** apply for utilities.
- **Our office cannot rush checks for utility cut off notices.**
- **Receipts must be submitted for clothing and food assistance purchases in order to be eligible for the next fiscal year.**

SERVICES AREA

- NATIONWIDE

Applications may be submitted to socialservices@delawarenation-nsn.gov, mailed, faxed (405)247-5942, or dropped off at the Delaware Nation complex.

PLEASE PRINT

Name _____ Enrollment# _____ Male Female
Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Birth date _____ Age _____ Social Security # _____ Phone _____

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY: Minors (under 18) cannot apply for utilities. All cut off notices for utilities will take 7-10 business days before a check will be issued to utility vendor. Payment will be made to the vendor indicated on the utility bill or invoice.

CHOOSE ONE ITEM BELOW

- CLOTHING (\$300) RECEIPTS MUST BE SUBMITTED AFTER PURCHASE.
- FOOD (\$300) RECEIPTS MUST BE SUBMITTED AFTER PURCHASE.
- GLASSES (\$400) An invoice must be attached with the application.
- UTILITIES (\$300) A utility bill in tribal citizen's name must be attached with application.

By signing this application, I certify under penalty of law that all information submitted in and with this form is true and accurate. I further certify that any misuse of funds or fraudulently obtaining funds will result in a reimbursement of fraudulent funds obtained and ineligibility of future assistance for any Delaware Nation program assistance for one-calendar year from the date fraud was committed. I accept the Terms and Conditions and agree to use these funds for the intended purpose stated within this application.

Please check here if 18 or older and have submitted a request for direct deposit and payment is not being made directly to vendor.

PRINT NAME (Parent/Legal Guardian)

Signature (Parent/Legal Guardian)

Social Services Department

Date

Date

OFFICE USE ONLY	
Approved _____	Denied _____
Amount _____	\$ _____