

WAC 388-436-0015 Consolidated emergency assistance program

(CEAP). (1) CEAP is available to the following:

(a) A pregnant woman in any stage of pregnancy; or
(b) Families with dependent children, including families who have stopped receiving their TANF grant under WAC 388-310-1600 so long as:

(i) The dependent child is living with a parent or a relative of specified degree as defined under WAC 388-454-0010; or

(ii) The dependent child has lived with such a relative within six months of the request for assistance.

(2) Applicants must be residents of Washington state as defined in WAC 388-468-0005.

(3) Applicants must demonstrate a financial need for emergency funds for one or more of the following basic requirements:

(a) Food;

(b) Shelter;

(c) Clothing;

(d) Minor medical care;

(e) Utilities;

(f) Household maintenance supplies;

(g) Necessary clothing or transportation costs to accept or retain a job; or

(h) Transportation for a minor, not in foster care, to a home where care will be provided by family members or approved caretakers.

(4) Payment under this program is limited to one time within twelve consecutive months for a period covering no more than thirty consecutive days.

(5) The department may discontinue program benefits issuances during periods of time when state funds appropriated for CEAP are exhausted.

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