



For more information or help completing an application please contact a Resource Specialist at (207) 396-6500 or 1-800-427-7411

Benefit Checklist for **Married/Two person household**

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- Our monthly income is **less than \$2,658** and one of us is at least age 60 or disabled. We have **less than \$5,000** in liquid assets* – You may be eligible for the Food Supplement Program (*formerly food stamps*).
- Our monthly income is **less than \$2,686** and we are at least age 62 or disabled. We have **less than \$87,000** in liquid assets* - You may be eligible for the Low Cost Drug Program. Your income may be higher if you are spending 40% of your income on prescriptions.
- Our monthly income is **less than \$2,004** and we are under 65 and not on Medicare. There is no asset limit- You may be eligible for MaineCare (under new Medicaid expansion).
- Our monthly income is **less than \$1,542** and we are at least age 65 or disabled. We have **less than \$15,000** in liquid assets* – You may be eligible for MaineCare.
- Our monthly income is **less than \$2,786** and we are enrolled in Medicare. We have **less than \$87,000** in liquid assets* – You may be eligible for the Medicare Savings Program (Buy-In). Income can be higher if working or if only 1 spouse applies. Please call to learn more.

DHHS determines eligibility for these programs (turn page over to find the office closest to you)

- If your household monthly income is **less than \$3,181** then you may be eligible for the Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) (*out-of-pocket medical expenses can sometimes be subtracted to lower your monthly income*).

Cumberland County residents

Opportunity Alliance 1-800-698-4959 or 207-553-5900 TTY: 207-874-1013

York County residents

York County Community Action 1-800-965-5762 or 207-459-2950 TTY: 207-490-1078

- Our monthly unearned income is **less than \$1,191** and we are at least age 65 or disabled and have **less than \$3000** in liquid assets* – You may be eligible for Supplemental Security Income (SSI). If you have earned income, it can be higher. Please refer to Social Security. **The Social Security office determines eligibility for this program (turn page over to find the office closest to you).**

***Liquid Assets include cash or other resources that can be changed into cash on demand. Please be aware that if your income/assets are close to the stated limits, it is worth applying as some programs may have disregards for eligibility.**

The Southern Maine Agency on Aging does not determine eligibility for programs. Income guidelines provided are for programs in the state of Maine only.

DHHS-Department of Health & Human Services

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Sanford Office

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Sanford, ME 04073
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Portland Office

151 Jetport Blvd
Portland, ME 04102
1-855-797-5357 (or) 207-822-2000
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Social Security Administration

Portland Office

1355 Congress St, Floor 2
Portland, ME 04102
1-877-319-3076 (or) 1-800-772-1213
TTY: 1-207-773-3981
Fax: 1-833-950-3575

Saco Office

110 Main Street, Suite 1450
Saco, ME 04072
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Portsmouth NH Office

215 Commerce Way, Suite 200
Portsmouth, NH 03801
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TTY: 1-603-436-3086
Fax: 1-833-950-3589

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