Benefits Offered

by the DSHS
Community Services Division

Basic Food Program
– helps put food on the table

"Working Connections" Child Care
– helps working families to pay for child care

Medical Assistance Programs
– helps with health care and medical expenses

ADATSA
– helps pay for drug or alcohol treatment

Cash Benefits
– amount varies by program and by applicant's financial need

TANF-WorkFirst
– help for families with children

General Assistance Unemployable
– help for individuals who are not able to work due to a disability

Want to HEAR MORE?

Please call your local Community Services Office. We would be happy to discuss how you can be involved in the partnership.

Name: _____

Office: _____

Phone: _____

You can view our online application at:
https://onlineapp.dshs.wa.gov

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Community PARTNERSHIPS

Communities helping **low income people access money, medical, food and child care through online services**

DSHS COMMUNITY SERVICES
CUSTOMER CONNECTION

How can YOU HELP?

The DSHS Community Services Division is looking for community partnerships to provide access or support to low income persons who want to apply for public assistance.

Depending on the partnership level you choose, you would provide computer access to applicants and some level of support to help them submit their application.

We have identified four levels of partnership that describe the investment you would make to help applicants.

Levels of Partnerships

Associate Level

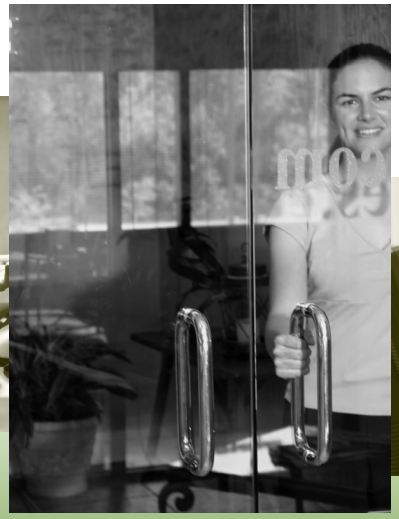
The associate level partner will have a semi-private computer available for people to apply for benefits. An icon on the desktop will make the application easy to find.

Contributor Level

The contributor level partner has the same equipment available as the sponsor level partner. In addition, a trained employee or volunteer will be available to assist and advise the applicant with questions.

Sponsor Level

As with the associate level partner, a computer with an online application icon for people to apply for benefits will be available. In addition, a telephone, printer and scanner or fax machine would be available for applicants to complete the process.

Benefactor Level

As with the contributor level, a trained volunteer or employee will assist and advise the applicant. Additionally, the benefactor will help those with reading, comprehension or language barriers and will ensure the application and possibly verification, is submitted.