

ERAP Applications Processed in the Order Received

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Community Action, Inc. advises Jefferson County residents who have applied for the Emergency Rental Assistance Program (ERAP) that due to an influx of applications – both from residents who are first time ERAP applicants and those who are applying to recertify for additional assistance – all applications are currently being processed in the order in which they were received.

[At this time, under guidance from the Pennsylvania Department of Human Services, applications for the following individuals are being prioritized: (1) the income of the household does not exceed 50 percent of the Area Median Income; (2) one or more individuals within the household are unemployed as of the date of application for assistance and have not been employed for the 90-day period preceding such date.]

Caseworkers will contact applicants as applications are processed; please do not call asking for status updates.

For more information on ERAP eligibility, see Emergency Rental Assistance Program flyer on main website page.

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