## Federal Poverty Income Guidelines

Once the size and gross income of the economic unit have been determined and documented, staff use the poverty income guidelines included in the chart below to determine income eligibility. The guidelines are published by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS).

185% of Federal Poverty Guidelines (Effective July 1, 2017)							
Size of Economic Unit	Maximum Gross Income						
	Annual	Monthly	Weekly	Bi-Weekly	Twice Monthly		
1	\$22,311	\$1,860	\$430	\$859	\$930		
2	\$30,044	\$2,504	\$578	\$1,156	\$1,252		
3	\$37,777	\$3,149	\$727	\$1,453	\$1,575		
4	\$45,510	\$3,793	\$876	\$1,751	\$1,897		
5	\$53,243	\$4,437	\$1,024	\$2,048	\$2,219		
6	\$60,976	\$5,082	\$1,173	\$2,346	\$2,543		
7	\$68,709	\$5,726	\$1,322	\$2,643	\$2,863		
8	\$76,442	\$6,371	\$1,471	\$2,941	\$3,186		
9	\$84,175	\$7,015	\$1,619	\$3,238	\$3,508		
10	\$91,908	\$7,659	\$1,768	\$3,535	\$3,830		
11	\$99,641	\$8,304	\$1,917	\$3,833	\$4,152		
12	\$107,374	\$8,948	\$2,065	\$4,130	\$4,474		
13	\$115,107	\$9,593	\$2,214	\$4,428	\$4,797		
14	\$122,840	\$10,237	\$2,363	\$4,725	\$5,119		
15	\$130, 573	\$10,882	\$2,512	\$5,023	\$5,441		
16	\$138,306	\$11,526	\$2,660	\$5,320	\$5,763		

For each additional member of economic unit, add:								
+ \$7,733	+ \$645	+ \$149	+ \$298	+ \$323				

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