

BREVARD COUNTY HOUSING AND HUMAN SERVICES CORONAVIRUS ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

On May 5, 2020, the Board of County Commissioners approved up to \$4.4 million for a Rental and Mortgage Assistance Program, Utility and Security Deposit Program, and a Food Stability Program.

Program Overview:

1. There **must** be a connection to coronavirus (COVID-19).
 - a. Loss of income of at least 25%.
 - b. Must submit information proving the connection.
2. Cannot be above 140% of Area Median Income (AMI) for the household size (\$96,880 for a family of four).
3. Maximum of 3 months of assistance or \$7,200.
4. The applicant **must** sign all required documents (application, social security number waiver, release/request of information, etc.) or their application will be rejected/denied.
5. The County will be conducting third party verification of all information provided and processing can take up to 21 days.
 - a. Delayed receipt of a W-9 from a landlord or mortgage company could extend the amount of time necessary to complete processing.
6. All members of a household must be accounted for in the application.
7. If they are filling out the application by hand, please make sure that their writing is clear and legible.
8. Applications will be available at multiple locations:
 - a. By mail.
 - b. By email at BrevardCaresAct2020@brevardfl.gov, if requested.
 - c. Download from the Brevard County Housing and Human Service Department's website.
 - d. At all County Libraries.
 - e. On County buses (all routes).
 - f. As an online application which can be completed electronically (anticipated to be available by May 27, 2020).
9. Applications will be accepted at the following locations:
 - a. At all County Libraries.
 - b. By mail or hand delivered to:
Housing and Human Services Department
2725 Judge Fran Jamieson Way, B-103
Viera, Florida 32940.
 - c. By email at BrevardCaresAct2020@brevardfl.gov
 - d. Through the online application portal (anticipated to be available by May 27, 2020).

If assistance is needed to complete the Coronavirus Assistance Program Application please call us at any of the following numbers:

(321) 351-6195	(321) 351-6196	(321) 351-6197	(321) 350-9360
(321) 350-9358	(321) 350-9355	(321) 350-9364	(321) 350-9376