

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

What is the Financial Assistance Program?

- Northern Maine Medical Center's Financial Assistance Program helps eligible patients reduce or eliminate the cost of medically necessary services.
- Medically necessary services are health care services required to diagnose, treat, or prevent illness or injury and to maintain or restore health.
- Eligibility is based on household income, family size, insurance status, and other program criteria.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE	SLIDING FEE SCALE
(Hospital Wide)	(Clinic Based)
• May cover up to 100% of eligible medically necessary services • Available to all NMMC locations and services	• Provides a \$0 copay for eligible patients • Applies only to select outpatient clinic locations <i>(Fort Kent Family Practice, Acadia Family Practice, Medical Office Building, Behavioral Health)</i>

Who May Qualify?

- Applicants must be considered a Maine resident, which includes individuals who:
 - Live in Maine with the intent to remain indefinitely; or
 - Have moved to Maine for permanent, temporary, seasonal, or other employment, or are actively seeking employment in Maine.
- Individuals visiting Maine temporarily as tourists or visitors are not considered Maine residents for purposes of this program.

How is Eligibility Determined?

- Household income must be at or below 200% of the current Federal Poverty Level.
- Eligibility is determined by using your family income at the time your application is submitted.

How to Apply?

- Complete the application & attach the required proof of income documentation.
- Items can be submitted In Person or by Mail, Fax, and Email.

What Happens Next?

- Complete Applications are reviewed promptly upon receipt of a complete application.
- We will notify you if additional information is needed or once a decision has been made.

Need Assistance?

- For questions or help completing your application, please contact the Patient Financial Advocate at **(207) 834-1826** or visit us at the NMMC Switchboard located at the hospital's main entrance.



FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE INCOME GUIDELINES

2026 Federal Poverty Level (FPL) Income Guidelines		
Household Size	Standard FPL	200% of Standard FPL
1	\$15,960	\$31,920
2	\$21,640	\$43,280
3	\$27,320	\$54,640
4	\$33,000	\$66,000
5	\$38,680	\$77,360
6	\$44,360	\$88,720
7	\$50,040	\$100,080
8	\$55,720	\$111,440
9	\$61,400	\$122,800
10	\$67,080	\$134,160
11	\$72,760	\$145,520
12	\$78,440	\$156,880
13	\$84,120	\$168,240
14	\$89,800	\$179,600

