

Here's what to do.

If you want to apply for financial assistance, you will need to fill out an application. There are three ways to get an application:

- Talk to the staff at your health clinic.
- Call Oregon Health Action Campaign (OHAC) at 1-866-458-4457.
- If you already have a hospital bill, you can call the hospital billing office. The phone number should be printed on your bill.

People usually qualify for financial assistance based on their income.

- If you earn less than the monthly income listed below, you could qualify for care at no charge.
- If you earn more than the amount listed below, you should still apply. You may be able to receive care at a reduced cost.

You could qualify for care at no charge if:

there are this many people in your family...	and your monthly income is less than this amount...
1	\$1107.50
2	\$1492.50
3	\$1877.50
4	\$2262.50
5	\$2647.50
6	\$3032.50
7	\$3417.50
8	\$3802.50

For each additional family member, add \$257.00.

Special situations are also considered. You should apply even if you aren't sure that you qualify. The hospital will try to work with you to find a payment plan that you can afford.

No one should go without the hospital care they need.

Our community hospitals are working to help you afford it.

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You Can Get Help Paying for Hospital Care.

Getting necessary hospital care is important. The hospitals in our community have agreed to provide financial assistance to help people pay for the hospital care they need.

If you are low-income, or have a special situation that makes it hard to pay for hospital care, you may qualify for help.

The Financial Assistance Program may also be able to help you pay for hospital services you have already received. If you have a hospital bill that you can't pay, and the bill is less than 6 months old, turn this card over for more information.

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