

**LIFECARE
COMMUNITY CARE**

IS THIS THE HELP
YOU HAVE BEEN
LOOKING FOR?



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LifeCare Medical Center is a charitable organization that is committed to providing healthcare to patients regardless of their ability to pay.

That is why LifeCare developed a **Community Care** Program.

This program provides financial assistance to patients who are unable to pay for their medical services.

A concern over a hospital bill should never prevent an individual from receiving necessary health care services.

If you do not have insurance or can not pay for costs not paid by your insurance, we invite you to apply for **Community Care** financial assistance.

Applications may be completed at any time — before, during or after services are provided.



LifeCare Medical Center's mission is to provide care for a healthy life.

TO APPLY FOR COMMUNITY CARE

There are two ways to obtain a Community Care application.

- Contact a Financial Counselor at LifeCare Medical Center's Business Office at 218-463-2500 and simply ask to have a **Community Care** application mailed to you
- Go to LifeCare Medical Center website at www.lifecaremedicalcenter.org to find a printable version of the application. From the "Home Page", go to "Patients and Visitors", then click on "Community Care Program".

After completing the Community Care application, attach copies of a pay stub reflecting your most recent salary history and your most recently filed federal tax return.

Return your completed **Community Care** application and the above documentation to the LifeCare Business Office.

A Financial Counselor will contact you to discuss the results of your application.

If you do not qualify for the Community Care Program, extended payment plans may be arranged.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

Eligibility for financial assistance is based upon the US government's Federal Poverty Guidelines. Income must be at or below 200 percent of the Federal Poverty Guidelines. These guidelines are updated each year.

Only medically necessary services qualify for Community Care Benefits.

Do You Qualify for Free Services?

To qualify for Community Care, your household income must fit into these guidelines:

<u>Family Size</u>	<u>Household Income</u>
1	\$21,660
2	\$29,140
3	\$36,620
4	\$44,100
5	\$51,580
6	\$59,060
7	\$66,540
8	\$74,020

For families with more than eight members, add \$7,480 for each additional person.