# NEED RENTAL ASSISTANCE?

**\$180** million is available for eligible Wyoming renters struggling to make rent, internet and utility payments due to COVID-19

### **Emergency Rental Assistance Program**



### FOUR CRITERIA TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR EMERGENCY RENTAL ASSISTANCE



You rent your home in Wyoming or have unpaid rent on a previous Wyoming residence



is equal to or less than 80% of area median income



unemployment benefits or can show financial loss due to COVID-19



experiencing homelessness or housing instability

Note: If you live on the Wind River Reservation, you may be eligible for assistance through the Eastern Shoshone ERAP or the Northern Arapaho ERAP programs.

## CONCERNED ABOUT PAYING FUTURE AND UNPAID BILLS?



### ELIGIBLE EXPENSES INCLUDE

- Unpaid past due rent and utility services incurred after March 13, 2020. This even includes at a previous residence.
- Unpaid current and future rent (up to 3 months at a time)
- Up to 15 months of rent and/or utilities
- Eligible utility costs include: electricity; energy costs (fuel, oil, propane); water and sewer; and internet service (up to \$50 per month).
- Other eligible expenses may include: reasonable relocation expenses, security deposits and reasonable late fees. *These costs will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis*.

#### NEED A LAWYER?

Legal Aid of Wyoming may be able to provide legal assistance to ERAP recipients and renters facing eviction. Visit lawyoming.org or call 1-877-432-9955.



ERAP CALL CENTER HOURS: MONDAY - FRIDAY | 9 AM - 6 PM 1-877-WYO-ERAP

### APPLICATIONS NOW OPEN ONLINE AT DFS.WYO.GOV/ERAP

#### LEGAL ASSISTANCE ARE YOU FACING EVICTION OR NEED A LAWYER?

#### LEGAL AID OF WYOMING

If facing eviction, please contact Legal Aid of Wyoming. Visit lawyoming.org. Or call the toll free hotline at 1-877-432-9955. Legal Aid may be able to provide other legal assistance to eligible ERAP renters such as:

- Lease agreement advice/ negotiation
- Eviction defense
- Disputes that could lead to eviction
- Financial issues directly related to the home you rent
- Issues related to the safety of the home you rent
- Financial matters affecting your ability to maintain or obtain housing

#### DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AND HUMAN TRAFFICKING SURVIVORS

The Wyoming Coalition Against Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault provides legal aid services for survivors of domestic violence and human trafficking. Call 307-755-0992 or visit wyomingdvsa.org/legalprogram.

### LOCAL APPLICATION ASSISTANCE

COUNTY	LOCATION	PHONE
ALBANY	Downtown Clinic - Call for appointment and location. Laramie Interfaith/ Family Promise of Albany County - Call for appointment and location.	307-745-8445 307-742-4240
<b>BIG HORN</b>	CARES: 420 W. C. Street, 3rd Floor in Basin OR 355 East 5th Street in Lovell	307-568-3983
CAMPBELL	Council of Community Services: 114 S 4J Road in Gillette	307-686-2730
CARBON	WyoHelp: Call for appointment and location	307-532-0269
CONVERSE	Converse County Community Services Block Grant: 405 N. 6th Street in Douglas	307-359-5772
CROOK	WyoHelp: Call for appointment and location	307-532-0269
FREMONT	First Stop Help Center: 860 S 3rd in Lander	307-349-2173
GOSHEN	WyoHelp: Call for appointment and location	307-532-0269
HOT SPRINGS	The Help Center: 124 North 5th St. in Thermopolis	307-864-3851
JOHNSON	Johnson Co. Family Crisis Center: 255 East Fetterman in Buffalo	307-684-2233
LARAMIE	Community Action of Laramie County: 1920 Evans Ave in Cheyenne	307-635-9291 Ext 115
LINCOLN	Department of Family Services - 631 Washington, Suite A in Afton Department of Family Services - 1100 Pine Ave. in Kemmerer	307-886-9232 307-877-6670
NATRONA	Community Action Partnership: 800 Werner Court #352 in Casper	307-232-0124
NIOBRARA	WyoHelp: Call for appointment and location	307-532-0269
PARK	Hope Lutheran Church: 588 Ave. H in Powell	307-754-4040
PLATTE	Project SAFE, Inc: 1207 9th St in Wheatland	307-322-4794
SHERIDAN	Sheridan County: 224 S. Main Street, Ste. B-2 in Sheridan	307-210-9066 OR 307-674-2900
SUBLETTE	SAFV Task Force: Walk in from 5-6 pm Mon -Thur. Or by appointment. 253 N Sublette in Pinedale	307-367-6305
SWEETWATER	Sweetwater Family Resource Center: 649 N. Front St. Unit A in Rock Springs	307-362-6549
TETON	One22 Resource Center: 245 N. Glenwood in Jackson	307-739-4500
UINTA	Evanston Child Development Center: 336 Summit St. in Evanston	307-789-7040
WASHAKIE	WyoHelp: Call for appointment and location	307-532-0269
WESTON	WyoHelp: Call for appointment and location	307-532-0269

### ERAP PAYMENT ESTIMATE

Please allow up to four weeks for applications to be processed and payments to be issued. To prevent any delays, make sure to supply any missing/incomplete documentation. All correspondence will come from noreplywyoerap@wyo.gov.

### **ERAP HOUSING STABILITY SERVICES** For seniors & individuals with disabilities

Seniors and individuals with disabilities may require specialized services to support their ability to access and maintain housing. The Wyoming Department of Health's Aging Division is administering ERAP funding for Housing Stability Services. You must apply for ERAP first before submitting an application for Housing Stability Services.

#### VISIT HEALTH.WYO.GOV AND SEARCH FOR "ERAP-HSS" OR CALL 307-777-7988



#### NOUSING STABILITY SERVICES INCLUDE

- Home Modifications
- Trailer/Mobile Home Repairs
- Homemaking Services
- Personal Care Skilled Nursing Services
- Non-Medical Transportation
- Information technology hardware to facilitate telehealth
- Personal Emergency Response System (PERS)
- Independent living skills
- Hoarding Services

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