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Classic Medicaid Information

*as of June 3 rd , 2020	Oldest Document	Total Cases
Classic Medicaid: Spend Down Program	6/1/2020	11
Classic Medicaid: Daily Spenddown Emergent Cases	6/3/2020	1
Classic Medicaid: Alien Emergency Medical Program	5/27/2020	11

Community Services Office Lobbies are closed

- All business conducted over the phone (877-501-2233).
- Telephonic signature for all applications and eligibility reviews.
- No EBT cards issued at the local offices except for clients with general delivery.
- Case managers can be contacted through the Call Center. They will call clients back.
- Drop boxes are still available.

Disaster Cash Assistance (DCAP)

- Undocumented clients are eligible
- Single adults and adults without children who do not qualify for other cash programs.
- Payments will not exceed the TANF payment standard
 - 1 person = \$363
 - 2 person = \$459

Delays in UC assistance

- ESD is conducting ID and fraud checks for UC recipients
- The delay in benefits must appear to be going to last one month before we will update the income

Refugee Cash Assistance

- Certification period extension
- Previously closed clients may reapply
- Applies to RMA as well

P-EBT (Pandemic EBT)

- More information is forthcoming

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- For families with children who are eligible for free or reduced student lunch
- Messaging will come from local school districts concerning how to apply
- No application required for Basic Food families

Temp Assistance for Needy Families

- Time Limit Extensions are currently being granted for all
- Applicants must apply for potential sources of income (UC benefits, PFML, etc.)
- For Support Services, contact the Call Center (877-501-2233) and the Case Manager will call the client back

Cash programs

- Elimination of the supplied shelter standard
- Affects all cash clients without shelter obligations
- No customer action required
- A mailer will be sent

ebtEDGE Mobile App

- View deposit and transaction history
- View benefit schedule
- Select a PIN
- Locate SNAP retailers near your location
- Set your language preference to English, Spanish or Haitian Creole

SNAP Market Match



Work Registration/ABAWDs

- All Able Bodied Adults without dependents who previously lost eligibility may reapply.
- Postcards have been sent to these clients.

EBT on-line purchase pilot

