



Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Program Application Checklist

The Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) program helps move families from public assistance to self-sufficiency by providing cash assistance along with work readiness, training and job placement services.

DOCUMENTS TO HAVE WHEN YOU APPLY:

- Completed TANF application
- Proof of citizenship or alien status (birth certificate, naturalization record, passport, USCIS forms)
- Proof of residence (lease/mortgage, utility record or receipt)
- Proof of age (birth certificate, passport, driver's license)
- Proof of identity (driver's license, photo ID, lease/mortgage, utility record or receipt)
- Proof of social security numbers
- Proof of relationship (birth certificate, adoption record, court order record, tribal enrollment record)
- Proof of income (last month and current month)
- Proof of any assets such as:
 - Bank accounts
 - Retirement plans
 - Life insurance
 - Vehicles
- Proof of allowable expenses (if applicable):
 - Child support or spousal support
 - Child or adult dependent care expense

For more information,
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