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ERAP

Emergency Rental Assistance Program For Mercer County Renters



To **APPLY** and find
more information:



Visit:
<http://bit.ly/ERAPAPPLY>



Call:
(609) 389-3575
M-F 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.



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The Mercer County Department of Human Services, in conjunction with the Mercer County Board of Social Services, has launched the Emergency Rental Assistance Program (ERAP) to help renter households in Mercer County that have been impacted by COVID-19. The program offers financial assistance to rental household for unpaid rent or utility bills due to the impact of COVID-19.

The Mercer County Board of Social Services will accept applications from March 1 through April 5, 2021.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Mercer County residents must document that they would have qualified for unemployment benefits, experienced a reduction in income, and suffered major costs directly or indirectly due to COVID-19 that impacted the household.

Household income must be at or below **80% Area Median Income (AMI)** with **priority** given to households at or below **30% AMI**. Assistance is not guaranteed.

FY 2020 Income Limit Category	Household Size							
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Extremely Low (30%) Income Limits (\$)*	22,850	26,100	29,350	32,600	35,250	37,850	40,450	44,120
Very Low (50%) Income Limits (\$)	38,050	43,500	48,950	54,350	58,700	63,050	67,400	71,750
Low (80%) Income Limits (\$)	54,950	62,800	70,650	78,500	84,800	91,100	97,350	103,650

LANDLORDS CAN ENCOURAGE TENANTS TO APPLY.

www.mercercounty.org/ERAP