



PAWNEE NATION OF OKLAHOMA COVID DIVISION

Nawa Pawnee Tribal Citizen,

We are pleased to inform you the cash assistance for our tribal citizens is ready to begin processing. It is extremely important that you, as the tribal citizen understand the procedure the Pawnee Nation must adhere to in order to administer this assistance.

Funding for this program derives from the American Rescue Plan Act and the Pawnee Nation is responsible to follow this law based on the guidelines within it to help in the recovery efforts from COVID-19. Your signature on the application self-certifies that all the information needed to apply is true.

We understand that you may have suffered funeral expenses, increased housing instability, increased food expenses, increased medical expenses and a variety of other economic harms due to COVID-19. So, to begin, we are going to be opening this assistance for up to \$2,500. The program will be available for the next three years. Your request or multiple requests cannot exceed \$2,500.

Required Documents

All tribal citizens must submit their Pawnee Nation Tribal membership card and a completed application.

FAMILIES WITH MINOR TRIBAL CITIZENS

All Minors must submit a **separate** application. If you have four (4) children, then we will need four (4) applications. This process is to ensure that we can track payments for each individual Tribal citizen. Each application will be assigned a number thereby aiding the COVID Division in ensuring that each tribal citizen receives what they are eligible to receive.

Required Documents for minors

If a court has been involved in the placement of a minor, then the court document must be submitted stating that the adult who is applying for the minor is the custodial parent or guardian. We understand that child placement can be fluid, but we will use court documents to determine which household receives the assistance.

All minors who have not been officially placed into a home will not be required to submit any additional paperwork. The COVID Division will only require a minor's tribal membership card. We will not require an adult's tribal membership card for verification of a minor.

If you need assistance, please call the COVID Division at 918-762-3621 ext. 148 or email: arp@pawneenation.org

PO Box 470 Pawnee, Oklahoma 74058
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Covid Recovery Program Cash Assistance Application

General Information

Applicant Name as Appears on Tribal ID

Enrollment Number

Date of Birth

Contact Information

Address, City, State, Zip Code

Phone Number

E-mail Address

Best method of contact:

E-mail

Phone

Type assistance applying for:

Cash Assistance

Are you applying on behalf of a minor child?

Yes

No

If yes, do you have guardianship/custody court order? Yes

No

If so, you must submit to receive payment

Amount of assistance requested up to \$2,500.00 _____

Please check all boxes in the areas where you have incurred additional expense and/or economic harm due to the COVID pandemic:

Mental Health

Housing Insecurities

Utilities

COVID Positive

Medical

Purchase PPE

Paid Other's Bills

COVID Funeral Expense

Food Insecurities

Insurance

Fuel

Job Loss/Furloughed

Other, Be specific: _____

Required Documents

Please provide membership card with completed application. If filing for minor child please provide guardianship/custody court order with completed application. **Each minor child requires an application.** It is solely up to the participant to ensure all requested items have been received.

Signatory Consent Member/Parent/Guardian

I _____ hereby attest all information within this application is accurate. I certify that I have incurred additional cost and/or economic harm created by the Covid-19 pandemic. I understand that I could be required at a future date to submit documentation to demonstrate that I have incurred additional cost and/or economic harm created by the COVID-19 pandemic. I further understand that submission of this application does not guarantee assistance and is non-binding.

Print

Signature

Date

Office use only

Master Control Number