

This funding is available to households with income below 200% of the State Income Standard who need daycare to work, look for a job, or attend school or a training program. **As of August 1, 2022, the income standard increases to 300% of the State Income Standard.**

Federal Poverty Guidelines Chart

Family Size	Monthly Income (until 7/31/22) 200%	Annual Income (until 7/31/22) 200%	Monthly Income (starting 8/1/22) 300%	Annual Income (starting 8/1/22) 300%
2	\$3,051	\$36,620	\$4,577	\$54,930
3	\$3,838	\$46,060	\$5,757	\$69,090
4	\$4,625	\$55,500	\$6,937	\$83,250
5	\$5,411	\$64,940	\$8,117	\$97,410
6	\$6,198	\$74,380	\$9,297	\$111,570

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Those interested in applying should contact the Daycare Unit located in the Tioga Career Center, 1062 State Route 38, Owego. Call them at (607) 687-8500 or toll free at (877) 882-8313, option 3.

Download an application here: <https://ocfs.ny.gov/forms/ocfs/OCFS-6025/OCFS-6025.docx>

When you apply for Daycare Assistance, please submit the following:

- Completed application, signed & dated on the last page. Your spouse or other adult with whom you have at least one child in common who lives with you must also sign the application.
- Information Collection Sheet, both sides fully completed
- Release of Information (so we can communicate with your daycare provider)
- General Release of Information (if you want to communicate with us via e-mail)
- Identification of ALL applying household members: birth certificate, social security card, driver's license, custody papers, etc.
- One full month of ALL current household income, both earned and unearned: last four weekly or two bi-weekly pay stubs or employer's statement, proof of child support income, proof of any other income (SSI, SSD, Rent, etc.)
- Current court orders (custody, child support, divorce)

- Proof of address (utility bill, paystub with address on it, etc.)

You will receive a notice of eligibility within 30 days of your application date.

Please continue to pay your daycare provider while your application is pending.