

Documents Needed for Determining Eligibility

- Proof of citizenship and identity for everyone who is applying for benefits.
- Social Security numbers for everyone, or proof that a Social Security number has been applied for.
- Proof of relationship, birth certificates may be used.
- Name, address & daytime phone number of landlord or neighbor.
- A statement verifying address and the names of everyone living in household.
- Proof of all money household received from any source last month and this month.
- Proof that employment ended and last date paid.
- Bank or credit union (savings or checking) complete statement for the most recent month.
- Proof of savings bonds, securities, retirement plans and life insurance.
- Proof of rent/mortgage and utility bills (electric, water, gas, etc.) for the most recent month.
- Proof of child-care expenses for the most recent month.
- Proof of all medical expenses for those applying for benefits who are age 60 or older or receive disability benefits.