



# FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE YMCA OF CUMBERLAND, MD

The mission of the Cumberland YMCA is to put Christian principles into practice through programs that build healthy spirit, mind, and body for all. Through the generosity of our members, staff, and community, we are able to provide financial assistance for kids and families who need us most. We want to help people of all ages and from all walks of life be more healthy, confident, connected, and secure.

To apply for financial assistance, please review the following requirements, fill out the application on the back, and include the required documentation.

## Application Requirements:

- Applicants must fill out the Financial Assistance Application and provide verification of all income and/or assistance received. Applications are kept confidential.
- Applicants must work or reside in the Cumberland YMCA service area.
- Assistance may be granted on the basic financial need such as low income, number of dependents, extenuating circumstances, etc.
- The YMCA believes a sense of ownership and pride is developed if the financial assistance recipient has contributed to the cost of their YMCA involvement. Therefore, applicants will be asked to pay a portion of the membership or program.
  - Foster parents must submit proof of household income along with assistance granted for the foster child.
  - The YMCA conducts regular sex offender screenings on all members, participants, and guests. If a sex offender match occurs, the YMCA reserves the right to cancel membership, end program participation, and remove visitation access.
  - Applicants applying for a household membership will need to provide verification of income for all adults in the household.
  - Some programs are not eligible for Financial Assistance.



## Why do I have to provide so much information?

As a 501c3, the Y takes financial management seriously. We raise approximately \$90,000 every year to provide financial aid to our members and participants, providing financial assistance in a fair and consistent manner.



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## FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE APPLICATION

### APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_  
State & Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ New or Renewal Application: \_\_\_\_\_

### SPOUSE/DOMESTIC PARTNER INFORMATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

### FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE REQUESTED

- Youth Programs (Swim Lessons, Swim Team, Soccer, Pre-School Enrichment Programs, Dance, Sunday School Basketball, Youth Basketball Association)  
 Camp

- Family Membership       Youth Membership       Young Adult Membership  
 Senior Membership       Adult Membership       Teen Membership

### EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION

Applicant's Employer: \_\_\_\_\_  
Employer's Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_  
Employment Status:  Full Time  Part Time  Self-employed  Unemployed  Disabled  Retired  
Work hours: \_\_\_\_\_ Is your Payroll:  Weekly  Bi-weekly  Semi-monthly  Monthly

Spouse/Domestic Partner Employer: \_\_\_\_\_  
Employer's Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_  
Employment Status:  Full Time  Part Time  Self-employed  Unemployed  Disabled  Retired  
Work hours: \_\_\_\_\_ Is your Payroll:  Weekly  Bi-weekly  Semi-monthly  Monthly



## DEPENDENT'S INFORMATION

Marital Status:  Single  Married  Separated  Divorced  Widowed

Number of Children: \_\_\_\_\_ Total family size: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Relation: \_\_\_\_\_

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## INCOME AND EXPENSES

- List income, assistance, and expenses for the ENTIRE household.
- Complete all sections, incomplete applications will not be processed.
- Documentation may be required for excessive expenses.

INCOME (MONTHLY)	ADULT #1	ADULT #2	DEPENDENTS	OTHER
Monthly Income				
Child Support (receiving)				
Alimony (receiving)				
Aid to dependent children				
SSI, Retirement, Disability				
Unemployment				
DHS Assistance (food stamps, cash, etc.)				
Other (please explain)				
Total Monthly Income				
EXPENSES (MONTHLY)	ADULT #1	ADULT #2	DEPENDENTS	OTHER
Rent/Mortgage				
Utilities				
Medical/Dental				
Tuition/College Loans				
Child Support (paying)				
Alimony (paying)				
Child Care				
Other (please explain)				
Total Monthly Expenses				





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## YMCA OF CUMBERLAND, MD REQUIRED SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION CHECKLIST

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- Financial Assistance Application
  
  - Copy of Federal Tax Returns (1040/1041) for the past 2 years. If renewing, only the most recent tax return and W-2 is required
  
  - Copy of 2 most recent months' pay stubs or letter from employer stating hours worked and pay received. Letter from employer must include the employer's name, address, and phone number.
  
  - Copy of any court ordered child support and/or alimony if applicable. Please provide the most recent End of Year Statement from the State Child Support Enforcement Agency.
  
  - Copy of Unemployment Insurance Benefits, Social Security, SSI, DDI, TANF, etc., if applicable.
  
  - Copy of Special Needs Trust documentation, including any financial statements, if applicable.
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***Please be sure to include all of the above documentation, incomplete applications will not be accepted at the Welcome Center.***

Note that the application process may take between 5 to 7 business days from the time that all the required documentation has been accepted.