

MORE PROGRAMS & SERVICES



EMERGENCY RENTAL ASSISTANCE (ERAP)

ERAP is offered in partnership with Jefferson County, the Emergency Rental Assistance Program (ERAP) assists with rent, rental arrears, utilities, utility arrears to income-eligible Jefferson County households that have incurred significant costs or experienced financial hardship during or due to the coronavirus pandemic.



MISSOURI EARLY HEAD START (MOEHS)

The Missouri Early Head Start (MOEHS) program provides early, continuous, intensive, and comprehensive child development services to eligible prenatal women and children from birth to three years of age.



SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (SBA)

The Community Navigator Pilot Program is funded by the Small Business Administration (SBA) and is an initiative designed to reduce barriers and provide high-quality technical assistance to underrepresented and underserved entrepreneurs and small businesses through JFCAC's Small Business Resource Center (SBRC).

JFCAC'S C-Corporation - Partner's Realizing Opportunity



JFCAC opened a C-Corporation in 2019 which has resulted in the establishment of two social enterprises. Please visit the following websites to learn more about how our C-Corporations and social enterprises aid us in supporting our communities.



Contact us at our corporate locations!



Franklin County Office:
125 E Springfield Rd
St. Clair MO 63077
636-789-2686
www.general@jfcac.org



Jefferson County Office:
#2 Merchants Drive
Hillsboro, MO 63050
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Please visit our website for a complete listing of all additional JFCAC sites and contact information: www.jfcac.org

OUR IS IN OUR COMMUNITY



Jefferson Franklin Community Action Corporation

is a private, nonprofit corporation, formed in 1965 that receives funds from federal, state, and local sources. JFCAC operates programs to address the needs of low-income individuals. A 2021 community needs assessment revealed that 44,644 individuals are living in poverty in our service area and that 17.5% are children ages birth to 4.

Community Action puts the focus on people. Our programs cover a range of human needs; education, employment, nutrition, health, housing, use of income, and emergency needs. JFCAC programs have income guidelines as a part of eligibility qualification.

The Board of Directors tripartite structure includes public officials, representatives of local businesses, industry, organizations, and representatives of the low-income community.

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WEATHERIZATION PROGRAM

JFCAC's Weatherization lessens the impact of the high cost of energy on low-income families. Caulking; weather-stripping; wall, floor, attic insulation; and other cost-effective measures may be installed, after analysis of structural needs. Priority is given to elderly and disabled households. Eligibility is 200% of Poverty Income Guidelines. Rental, as well as, owner-occupied homes are eligible. JFCAC utilizes insulation products containing recycled materials whenever possible.



LOW-INCOME HOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE (LIHEAP) PROGRAM

LIHEAP is available to help low-income families with heating and cooling bills. The heating program operates from October through May. The cooling program is from June through September.

LOW INCOME HOME WATER ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (LIHWAP)

LIHWAP is able to help with a one-time payment for water and/or wastewater (sewer) bill from November through September. The maximum amount is \$750.00. LIHWAP can help with disconnection or reconnection fees, past due and current bills

WOMEN, INFANTS, & CHILDREN FOOD SUPPLEMENTAL (WIC) PROGRAM

JFCAC's WIC Program is a health and nutrition program aimed at preventing problems in growth and development. Nutritious food supplements are provided to individuals who are found to have special nutritional needs: Pregnant women, nursing mothers, women with babies under 6 months of age, infants, and children up to age 5. WIC also provides nutrition education to all participants.

*Limited to Jefferson County.



HEAD START PROGRAM (HS)

HS is a child development program for children ages three through five from low-income families. Pre-school education, health care, and nutrition are provided to the enrolled children at the centers and/or in homes located in Jefferson and Franklin Counties.



HOUSING PROGRAM

JFCAC's Housing Program offers rental assistance in existing houses, mobile homes, and apartments so that safe, decent, and sanitary living conditions can be affordable for low-income families. The family's rent is based on the household's income. Monthly housing assistance payments are made directly to the owner. Units approved for the program must meet minimum Housing Quality Standards, and rent reasonableness. The Housing waiting list may close when the number of applications is exceedingly high.



COMMUNITY SERVICES BLOCK GRANT (CSBG) PROGRAMS

JFCAC's CSBG Program includes various programs aimed to address the needs of those living in Jefferson and Franklin Counties and are based on a needs assessment conducted every three years. They include but are not limited to, employment programs, educational-based programs, housing programs, nutrition and food insecurity programs, senior programs, youth programs, family programs, and community engagement programs. A full listing of CSBG services can be found on JFCAC's website.

INSURANCE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (IAP)

Through the Insurance Assistance Program, Certified Application Counselors or Navigators assist consumers with applying for insurance coverage through the Marketplace. This includes a Marketplace plan, Medicaid, or the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP). Navigators help consumers understand their health coverage and how they can access primary care and preventive services.



MENTAL HEALTH OUTPATIENT SERVICES

JFCAC's Behavioral Health Department offers Outpatient Mental Healthcare services (individual, family, group...) at all sites for children and adolescents recovering from any type of mental health issues such as depression, anxiety, and mood disorders, as well as grief, trauma, and more complex problems. JFCAC's BHD also offers Sexual Offender Groups and LCSW Supervision. After-Hour Services (services needed after JFCAC's Sites are closed) are provided via a partnership between COMTREA (Community Treatment, Inc) and JFCAC.

EARLY HEAD START PROGRAM (EHS)

EHS is a program for low-income families with pregnant women, infants, and toddlers. This is a child development program that offers health, education, and social services to income-eligible families. Child-centered services are provided in the family's home or the child care centers. Child-centered services are provided in the family's home or the child care center.