

**Get Cash
Back!**

You May Qualify for Benefit Programs

Colorado Property/Rent/ Heat Credit Rebate (PTC—104)

Many Coloradoans can receive a rebate by completing the PTC Rebate application. To claim the rebate you must meet all of the following eligibility requirements you must:

1. Be a Colorado resident; and
2. Have total income of less than \$12,953 (or \$17,460 for a couple); and
3. Be age 65 or older, or a surviving spouse at least 58 years old, or Disabled for all of 2015 regardless of age, and have received benefits for the full year.

Applicants have two years to submit the application. A 2014 claim may be filed until December 31, 2016 and a 2015 claim may be filed until December 31, 2017.

Applications are available at www.colorado.gov (search on PTC 104).

Medicare Savings Program

The Medicare Savings Programs will pay, at a minimum, the \$104.90 (2016) monthly Medicare Part B premium for eligible seniors. For those with lower incomes, coverage may also include Medicare Part A and B deductibles, co-payments and co-insurance. With the program, individuals are automatically enrolled in the Medicare Part D Extra Help (also known as the Low income subsidy) which provides assistance with prescription costs. Income and asset limitations apply. Call a Colorado Gerontological Society counselor for more information at 303-333-3482.



FOOD ASSISTANCE (SNAP) PROGRAM

YOU MAY QUALIFY!

- Maximum gross monthly income less than \$1,276 (\$1,726 for a couple)
- Prove identity, citizenship status, social security number and income
- Use the Quest Card at any authorized store across the county
- Apply online, pick up or call for an application at your county Department of Health or Social Security office

LEAP

Help with winter home heating costs.*

To Qualify:

- Monthly gross income is less than \$1,618 (individual) or \$2,190 (per couple.)
- Pay heating costs
- Be a permanent legal resident of the US and Colorado
- Apply before April 30, 2016
- Call 1-866-432-8435 for more information about the LEAP program.



*You may also qualify for weatherization services. Call 1-800-462-0184 for information.

Lifeline Phone Service Program

For Low-Income Consumers

- Receive a discount of about \$10 on your monthly phone bill
- Must receive Medicaid, Food Stamps (SNAP), Federal Public Housing, Old Age Pension, Supplemental Security Income, Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program, etc.
- Contact your carrier (T-Mobile, Century Link, Cricket, etc.) by phone or visit the retail stores for a Lifeline Phone Service application



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For more information about these programs contact:

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