

 MADISON VALLEY MEDICAL CENTER	Approved by: ASR	CAH Tag #
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Policy:

Purpose: A Financial Assistance program is available to help ease the financial burden for those who qualify based on family size and income.

Eligibility: Madison Valley Medical Center and Rural Health Clinic (MVMC) provides, within the limits of its resources, medical care regardless of race, religion, age, sex or ability to pay. Financial assistance is available based upon ability to pay. Qualifying patients may receive free or discounted care, based on their eligibility.

Qualification: Qualification for financial assistance from MVMC is determined from an application completed by the patient or responsible guarantor. A completed application with required documentation will be promptly reviewed by the Patient Business Service personnel of MVMC. The applicant will be notified in writing of their eligibility status. All approved applications are subject to update and review every six months. Patients are considered presumptively eligible during that time-period only.

Discounts: Ability to pay is determined based upon published Federal Poverty Guidelines (FPG). For individuals or families with income at or below the FPG, 100% discount may be available. Discounts up to 20% are available for individuals and families with income up to 250% of the FPG income level. FPG guidelines are updated in February of each year.

Eligibility for financial assistance is determined by the most recently published Federal Poverty Guidelines (FPG). 2021 FPG are listed below.

Family Size	100%	90%	80%	70%	MDCD EXP.	60%	50%	40%	30%	20%
1	\$12,880	\$14,812	\$16,100	\$17,388	\$17,774	\$19,320	\$22,540	\$23,828	\$25,760	\$32,200
2	\$17,420	\$20,033	\$21,775	\$23,517	\$24,040	\$26,130	\$30,485	\$32,227	\$34,840	\$43,550
3	\$21,960	\$25,254	\$27,450	\$29,646	\$30,305	\$32,940	\$38,430	\$40,626	\$43,920	\$54,900
4	\$26,500	\$30,475	\$33,125	\$35,775	\$36,570	\$39,750	\$46,375	\$49,025	\$53,000	\$66,250
5	\$31,040	\$35,696	\$38,800	\$41,904	\$42,835	\$46,560	\$54,320	\$57,424	\$62,080	\$77,600
6	\$35,580	\$40,917	\$44,475	\$48,033	\$49,100	\$53,370	\$62,265	\$65,823	\$71,160	\$88,950
7	\$40,120	\$46,138	\$50,150	\$54,162	\$55,366	\$60,180	\$70,210	\$74,222	\$80,240	\$100,300
8	\$44,660	\$51,359	\$55,825	\$60,291	\$61,631	\$66,990	\$78,155	\$82,621	\$89,320	\$111,650
% FPG	100%	115%	125%	135%	138%	150%	175%	185%	200%	250%
ADD \$4,540.00 FOR EACH ADDITIONAL PERSON										

Calculation: For example: Using the table above, a family of 4 with an income of \$46,375 is at 175% of the federal poverty guidelines and could be eligible for a discount of 50%. This discount is calculated retrospectively, during the eligibility period, and applied to the amount owed by the patient. The amount owed by the patient is determined after insurance payments or other discounts have been applied, if applicable. Special considerations and variations from this calculation will be reviewed and considered on a case-by-case basis.

Providers: All providers at Madison Valley Medical Center participate in the financial assistance program. Below are the providers:

Robert Marks, M.D.	Maura Davenport, M.D.	Jessica Svingen, D.O.
Martin deGroot, PA-C	Martin Hensel, PA-C	Krystin Nutt, FNP
Chrissy Fanelli, FNP	Connor Schultz, DPT	Andy Thomas, DPT
Kelly Wait Pollack, DPT	Martha Stoner, DPT	Darci Sgrignoli, MSOTR
Kelcey Zayas, DPT	Kaitlin Sonderer, CCC-SLP	

Billing and Collections Policy not addressed: Madison Valley Medical Center has separate billing and collections policies to address non-payment of patient accounts. Please call (406) 682-6842 for more information.