



TRI-CAP's health, housing, and education services change lives, empower families, and improve communities.
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Community Action changes people's lives, embodies the spirit of hope, improves communities and makes America a better place to live. We care about the entire community and we are dedicated to helping people help themselves and each other.

HOUSING SERVICES

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Energy Assistance Program (EAP)
 Funded by the Indiana Housing and Community Development Authority, the Energy Assistance Program provides financial assistance to low-income households to maintain utility services during the winter heating and summer cooling seasons.

Weatherization Program (WX)
 The Weatherization Assistance Program (WAP) provides energy conservation measures to reduce the utility bills of low-income Hoosiers across the state. The WAP offers clients a permanent solution to reducing their energy bills by making their homes more energy efficient.

Individual Development Accounts
 Qualified participants set savings goals and make regular savings deposits. Every dollar you save is matched at a rate of \$3.00 for every \$1.00 saved, to help you reach your goals so you can: *obtain education or job training, purchase a home, open or expand a small business, purchase a vehicle for employment or educational purposes, or make essential home repairs.* Participants in the IDA program are eligible to receive up to \$4,500 in state and federal matched funds towards one of the eligible asset goals mentioned above. Participants also receive one-on-one counseling and 6+ hours of financial education covering topics such as: *budgeting, savings, credit, banking, taxes, and other money management strategies.*

Foreclosure Prevention Services
 If you're an Indiana homeowner struggling to pay your mortgage, we want to help you stay in your home.

Affordable Senior and Family Housing
 In Huntingburg, Indiana, Stork Place Apartments provide 17 affordable senior housing units and in addition, five homes have been renovated and provide affordable family housing.

USDA Rural Development Loans
 TRI-CAP loan packagers can help low-income individuals apply for home loans through USDA- Rural Development, also known as the Section 502 Direct Loan Program. This program assists low and very low-income applicants obtain decent, safe and sanitary housing in eligible rural areas by providing payment assistance to increase an applicant's repayment ability. Home improvement loans up to \$20,000 are also available through USDA-Rural Development. Seniors can apply for home improvement grants in amounts up to \$7,500.

HEAD START SERVICES

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Head Start Services (HS)
 The Department of Health and Human Services funds this comprehensive child development program for low-income preschool children three to five years of age. Children with special needs are also served. Education, Health, Social Services, Family Involvement, Nutrition, Transition, and Disability Services are available. 193 Children are served throughout our eleven Head Start classes.

Private Preschool
 Afternoon preschool services are offered to Head Start families with children 3 to 5 years of age. The children must be 3 by August 1st. A weekly fee is charged and child care vouchers are accepted. Classes are offered after the Head Start classes are finished for the day.

FAMILY & COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP SERVICES

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Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP)
 The Corporation for National Service sponsors RSVP to encourage people 55 and over to "Get Involved" in their Communities. Volunteers' service impacts the community through their personal passions and as a group to tackle broad-based community needs. Benefits and recognition are offered.

Healthy Families (HF)
 Healthy Families offers services to families with new babies or expectant parents. Services offered include support, information, and referrals in these areas: Child Development, Prenatal Care, Nutrition, Child Care, Education, Goal Setting and Employment. Healthy Families encourages parents to be the best they can be by building on their strengths in order to reduce stress and maximize the pleasure of parenting! Free to qualifying county residents, this service is funded by the Indiana Family and Social Services Administration.

HEALTH SERVICES

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Family Planning Program (FP)
 The Family Planning Program is funded by the Indiana Family Health Council, private insurance payments, Medicaid payments, client fees, and donations. This program provides annual exams, breast exams, diagnosis and treatment of STDs, FDA approved birth control, pregnancy testing, HIV testing, counseling, education and referral services. There are no income guidelines for this program. Services are provided on a sliding scale fee to both women and men of reproductive age. All types of health insurance are accepted.

Healthcare Navigator Services
 This service is funded by Covering Kids and Families to help individuals understand the new coverage options under the Affordable Care Act and provide education and enrollment assistance. Assistance for health coverage also includes Indiana Medicaid, HIP 2.0, Hoosier Healthwise, and the Marketplace. Free and unbiased services are available to anyone needing health insurance.

Breast Cancer Program
 This program provides case management (including funding for treatment and other expenses) for newly diagnosed breast cancer patients who meet income guidelines. The program also provides breast health awareness and mobile mammography opportunities to the general public. This program is funded by the Evansville Tri-State Affiliate of Susan G. Komen and the Indiana Breast Cancer Awareness Trust (IBCAT).

Dubois County CARES
 TRI-CAP is the fiscal agent for the Dubois County Coalition for Adolescent Resilience & Empowerment Strategies (CARES). As such, TRI-CAP successfully wrote a Drug Free Community grant, bringing \$125,000 annually to Dubois County for youth substance prevention. The mission of CARES is to empower youth to be alcohol and drug free. To do that, CARES has formed a coalition of over 50 area leaders from across the county who are actively working to change the youth substance use culture in our community.

TRI-CAP was founded in 1966 to serve the low-income populations of Dubois, Pike, and Warrick Counties. The primary objective is to address the unmet service needs of the area. TRI-CAP is funded through a combination of state, federal, and local resources. A fifteen member Board of Directors representing low-income clients, the private sector, and public officials oversee TRI-CAP. Policy and advisory councils are made up of local volunteers that guide the programs offered by TRI-CAP.

Income Guidelines by Program

2019-20 Federal Poverty Guidelines	Energy Assistance Program	LIHEAP & DOE Weatherization Individual Development Accounts	Breast Cancer (KOMEN) Healthy Families
Size of Family Unit	60% of Indiana's Area Median Income	200 Percent of Poverty	250 Percent of Poverty
1	\$24,835	\$24,280	\$31,225
2	\$32,476	\$32,920	\$42,275
3	\$40,116	\$41,560	\$53,325
4	\$47,760	\$50,200	\$64,375
5	\$55,400	\$58,840	\$75,425
6	\$63,040	\$67,480	\$86,475
7	\$64,476	\$76,120	\$97,525
8	\$65,908	\$84,760	\$108,575

- * Affordable Senior and Family Housing – 50-80% of Area Median Income (AMI) by county
- * CDBG-D (Owner Occupied Rehabilitation) – 80% of AMI by county
- * Family Planning has a sliding fee scale based on client's income
- * Healthcare Navigator – No income guidelines
- * HHF (Hardest Hit Funds) – 140% of AMI by county
- * RSVP – No income guidelines

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HEAD START 2019 Poverty Guidelines			
Persons In Family	0-100%	101-130% Over Income	>130% Over Income
1	\$12,490	12,491—16,237	>16,237
2	\$16,910	16,911—21,983	>21,983
3	\$21,330	21,331—27,729	>27,729
4	\$25,750	25,751—33,475	>33,475
5	\$30,170	30,171—39,221	>39,221
6	\$34,590	34,591—44,967	>44,967
7	\$39,010	39,011—50,713	>50,713
8	\$43,430	43,431—56,459	>56,459
For families with more than 8 persons, add \$4,420 for each additional person.			
Any child age 3-5 is eligible, but TRI-CAP Head Start will serve children with the highest needs first. This means all categorically (SSI, TANF, & Foster) and income eligible children are served first.			

If you wish to file a Civil Rights program complaint of discrimination, complete the USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form, found online at www.ascr.usda.gov/complaint_filing_cust.html, or at any USDA office, or call (866) 632-9992 to request the form. You may also write a letter containing all the information requested in the form. Send your completed complaint form or letter to us by mail at U.S. Department of Agriculture Director, Office of Adjudication 1400 Independence Avenue, SW Washington DC 20250-9410 by fax (202) 690-7442 or email at program.intake@usda.gov.



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