

Fannin County

Indigent Health Care Program

Fannin County uses eligibility standards, application forms, documentation, and verification rules and procedures found in the Texas Health and Human Services County Indigent Health Care Program Handbook to comply with its responsibility under the Indigent Health Care and Treatment Act. Services and payment standards used by FCIHC are in compliance with the Texas Health and Human Services CIHCP Handbook.

Application forms may be obtained by calling the Indigent Health Care Office at (903) 583-2915 located at 200 East 1st Street, Bonham, Texas. Assistance in completing the application will be provided by contacting Mark DeMay, Director of Indigent Health Care.

The following are the rules and procedures in summary:

- 1) Applications must be completely filled out, signed, and dated.
- 2) Documentation and verification of residency, household composition, income, and resources are required.
- 3) Certain deductions are allowed from earned income. Net income cannot exceed the following CIHCP Monthly Income Standards based on the 2023 Federal Poverty Guidelines.

COUNTY INDIGENT HEALTH CARE PROGRAM Monthly CICHP Maximum Income Standards On The Federal Poverty Income Limits (FPIL)

# of Individuals in the CIHCP Household	21% FPG Minimum Income Standard
1	\$255
2	\$345
3	\$435
4	\$525
5	\$615
6	\$705
7	\$795
8	\$885
9	\$975
10	\$1,065
11	\$1,155
12	\$1,245

- 4) Liquid Resource Assets cannot exceed, \$2,000 or \$3,000 for aged or disabled. The equity value of vehicle greater than \$4,650 is counted against the \$2,000 limit. Personal property and homestead are exempt.
- 5) Eligible persons must be residents of Fannin County.
- Applicants must provide all information and documentation requested or applications will be denied.
- 7) Applicants have the right to appeal denials.