



Financial Assistance Policy Summary

Huntington Hospital is dedicated to making healthcare services accessible to our patients and acknowledges the financial needs of our community who are unable to afford the charges associated with the cost of their medical care. Huntington Hospital provides Financial Assistance for qualifying patients who receive emergency or medically necessary care. Patients must complete an application, submit verification documents and meet the eligibility requirements listed below. This policy does not cover any other providers of service except Huntington Hospital.

Who is eligible for financial assistance?

Our program helps low-income, uninsured or underinsured patients who need help paying for all or part of their medical care. Patients are eligible for Financial Assistance when their family income is at or below 350% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines (FPG). Additional information may be requested and ultimately may affect the hospital's decision.

Patients who are eligible for Financial Assistance will not be charged more than amounts generally billed (AGB) for emergency or other medically necessary care to patients with insurance. (AGB as defined by IRS Section 501(r)). See appendix A in Financial Assistance Policy.

What does the program cover?

The Financial Assistance program covers medically necessary care provided at Huntington Hospital. **Elective cosmetic services are not covered under this policy.**

What will I need to provide to submit an application?

- 1) Previous year's income tax return (**complete tax report**)
- 2) Current paycheck stubs for the last 2 months (Self/Spouse/ Domestic Partner if applicable) if unable to supply paycheck stubs, you are required to provide 2 months of bank statements.
- 3) Letter of hardship (Description supporting your financial needs).

You must provide information about your family's income. Income verification is required to determine financial assistance. All family members 18 years or older in the household must provide their income. **There are detailed explanations on the financial assistance application.**

Who can I contact if I have questions filling out the application?

For Assistance on completing the application or to request a copy of the application policy Summary you may receive help at any of the following sources:

- Call the business office at (626) 397-5324 between the hours 8:30am to 4:00PM M-F, messages left after hours will be returned within 24 hours.
- By mail at the address listed below
- Download an application and copy of Summary policy at <https://www.huntingtonhospital.org/Targeted-Search.aspx?C=financial%20assistance#~75H8i71>

Is there language assistance available?

The policy and application forms are available in most languages spoken in our community and are available at the above mentioned locations. Interpreter services are also available.

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