Division of Senior Services

Locations

Administration Office

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North County Senior Center

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North County Adult Day Care

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Mid County Senior Center

3680 Lake Worth Road Lake Worth, FL 33461 Tel: (561) 357-7100 Fax: (561) 357-7114

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Division of Senior Services (DOSS) is funded by the Palm Beach County Board of County Commissioners, the Area Agency on Aging, Palm Beach/Treasure Coast, Inc. (AAA) and Florida Department of Elder Affairs (DOEA) for individuals who are age 60 or older.

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Emergency Home Energy Assistance for the Elderly Program (EHEAP)

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Mission

Division of Senior Services (DOSS) mission is to provide accessible and high-quality services to help seniors Sixty (60) and older attain optimal independence and promote quality of life for seniors and their caregivers.

Goals

The goals of DOSS are to administer to seniors a comprehensive range of programs that provides social and emotional well-being; to encourage independence; and to support seniors and their caregivers within the community with dignity and choice.

Program

DOSS provides Emergency Home Energy Assistance for the Elderly Program (EHEAP) which assists low-income households who include at least one (1) individual age sixty (60) and older and are experiencing a home energy crisis.

Households are eligible for one (1) summer (cooling) crisis benefit during the period from April 1 to September 30 and one (1) winter (heating) benefit from October 1 to March 31 each year, not to exceed \$400.

Oualifications

The consumer must be or have been residing in the EHEAP service area at the time the home energy cost were incurred in order to receive assistance.

- The consumer must complete an application and return all required information and verification to DOSS while funds remain available.
- The consumer must provide a <u>final</u> <u>fuel bill</u> for home energy.
- The consumer must have a verifiable home energy crisis.
- The consumer must not live in government subsidized housing projects where home heating and cooling are totally included in the rent.

Consumer <u>automatically</u> qualifies if

- Consumer has a home energy emergency, <u>and</u>
- Receives Food Stamps, or
- Applied for Weatherization Assistance Program and is currently eligible, or
- Applied for Community Services Block Grant and is currently eligible.

Application Locations

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