# Sonoma County Emergency Rental Assistance Program

### Starting April 19, 2021, you can apply for assistance with back rent, future rent, and utilities.

## To qualify for this program, you must:



(1) Fall at or below these household income limits:

Number of people	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
in your family/								
household								
(including children)								
Combined annual	\$63,650	\$72,750	\$81,850	\$90,900	\$98,200	\$105,450	\$112,750	\$120,000
income of								
everyone in unit								

(2) Have one adult in your household who experienced financial hardship from COVID-19

- You can satisfy this requirement with a signed statement
- (3) Have one adult in your household at risk of experiencing homelessness or housing instability
  - You can satisfy this requirement with a past due utility or rent notice, eviction notice, or evidence of unsafe or unhealthy living conditions

#### If you are undocumented, you can apply for assistance.

## Months the program will cover:

The program can help with back rent/utility debt from April 1, 2020 - March 31, 2021.

- If a landlord agrees to participate in the program, the program will pay the landlord 80% of the back rent that the tenant owes, and the landlord must agree to forgive the remaining 20%.
- If a landlord refuses to participate, tenants can apply for 25% of the back rent.

You can also apply for assistance with current and future rent (after April 1, 2021), but the County will process these requests at a future time if funding is available.

How to apply: You may submit an application by mail or online:

https://portal.neighborlysoftware.com/erap-sonomacountyca/Participant

Organizations you can call for assistance:

Catholic Charities: (707) 528-8712 Child Parenting Institute: (707) 341-2877 Community Action Partnership Sonoma County: (707) 544-6911 Face to Face/Sonoma County AIDS Network: (707) 544-1581 (Patients or clients of Face2Face only) La Luz: (707) 938-5131 North Bay Organizing Project/Undocufund: (707) 318-6631 Petaluma People Services Center: (707) 765-8488 Reach for Home: (707) 433-6161 Russian River Alliance: (707) 520-0032 West County Community Services/River to Coast Childrens' Services: (707) 837-3037; for Spanish call: (707) 869-3613