



Ben's Fund Financial Eligibility

January 1, 2025 – December 31, 2025

To qualify, your household's adjusted gross income (AGI) must be at or below 400% of the Federal Poverty Level (FPL), based on household size. Household includes everyone living together and sharing living costs (parents, children, dependents, extended family).

To verify these requirements, we require either a Tax Return or Supplemental Security Income Award Letter. Both documents should have a WA State address.

Submit one of the following required documents:

- Tax Filers: 2024 Form 1040 (pages 1 & 2) for all household members, listing your child as a dependent — even if you earned no income
- Non-tax filers: 2025 SSI Award Letter listing your child as a beneficiary, dated within 90 days

Household size	Adjusted Gross Monthly Income	Adjusted Gross Annual Income
For individuals	\$5,736	\$60,240
For a family of 2	\$7,502	\$81,760
For a family of 3	\$9,267	\$103,280
For a family of 4	\$11,032	\$124,800
For a family of 5	\$12,797	\$146,320
For a family of 6	\$14,562	\$167,840
For a family of 7	\$14,893	\$189,360

Please Note:

- You must provide one of these two documents. Applications without either will not be accepted.



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- Young adults 18–25 must include household income if living with guardians
- If your child is claimed on someone else's taxes, contact us for guidance
- Additional documents may be requested to verify income and residency, but cannot replace the required documents above
- If your family income is above our limit, you may share an extenuating circumstance in your family story.
- We do not accept W-2s, 1099s, bank statements, 1040s from before 2024, SSI award letters older than 90 days, Social Security, SSDI, Washington State Department of Social and Health Services (DSHS), or Apple Health.