

INCOME ASSISTANCE

POPULAR QUESTIONS: do i qualify,
what is my responsibility, what do i
qualify for, and if i don't like the
decision.

DO I QUALIFY FOR INCOME ASSISTANCE

- ✓ Living ON RESERVE (House #)
- ✓ 18 years (see special rules)
 - ✓ NO JOB
- ✓ SPOUSE NOT WORKING/SCHOOL
- ✓ NO INCOME (NO: EI, Pension, Disability, Per Diems, Student Loans...)
 - ✓ Identification

*income calculation will be based on # of children, disability,..

Client Responsibility

REPORT CHANGES

- ✓ Job/Training
 - ✓ Moved
- ✓ Spouse working/training
- ✓ Additions to family unit (proportional billing)
 - ✓ Changes in budget (power, energy...)
 - ✓ Job/Training Searches
 - ✓ Identification (SIN, photo..)

What can I qualify for

- ✓ Basic \$255 (food, clothing, travel...)
 - ✓ Disability
 - ✓ CTB
 - ✓ Level of Care
 - ✓ Diets
 - ✓ Lactation
- ✓ Personal Living Allowance :Treatment, shelters...
 - ✓ Meals/Accommodation away from Home
 - ✓ Shelter: CMHC rent
 - ✓ Room & Board: medical
- ✓ Rent/Damage: medical, acts of God, employment
 - ✓ Utilities: HH or proportional (family unit)
 - ✓ User fees: HH or proportional (family unit)
 - ✓ Funerals
 - ✓ Childcare
 - ✓ Mandatory identification

DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED AND BASED ON APPLICATION/NEED

IS THERE ANYTHING ELSE

You can qualify for SPECIAL NEEDS

- ✓ Special Clothing
 - ✓ Layette
- ✓ Maternity, Depleted or Grad Clothing
 - ✓ Transportation
 - ✓ Telephone
 - ✓ Furniture
 - ✓ Employment
 - ✓ Babysitting
 - ✓ Moving
 - ✓ Laundry

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What if I get denied IA

IA Worker will provide written denial & why

Complete a “Notice of Appeal Decision”

- ✓ BATC Appeal Committee
- ✓ Budget Centre Appeal
- ✓ Regional Appeal Board