

COLUMBIANA COUNTY PRC LIST OF SERVICES & BENEFITS

SERVICE OR BENEFIT	TANF PURPOSE	CAP	ECONOMIC NEED STANDARD	TARGETED GROUP
<u>JOB PREPARATION SERVICES & BENEFITS</u>				
Job Readiness Assessments (vocational, literacy) Job Readiness Training (work habits, attitude, dress, literacy tutoring) Vocational & education counseling Job Coach/Employment Retention Services Training for women in non-traditional jobs (construction, manufacturing) Testing for state licenses, board certification, commercial driver's license Short-term education tuition ¹ Educational expenses (books, manuals, fees) Adult Basic Education & GED preparation Telephone installation Suitable attire for job interviews Reasonable job preparation services & benefits Wage subsidies	1, 2	\$1000 No effect on CAP If provided by an agency employee or agency contracted services	150% FPL	Non-custodial parents with a legal obligation to pay support Individuals in receipt of OWF & for up to one year after leaving OWF
Seek Work Program/Subsidized Employment Program (SEP) – Program to end 10/31/17	1, 2, 4		200% FPL	Seek Work/SEP Participants
<u>WORK SUPPORT/RETENTION SERVICES & BENEFITS</u>				
Supplies for new job (mechanic's tools, beautician equipment, uniforms)	1, 2	\$1000 One episode of need in a 12-month period	150% FPL	Employed individuals Under-employed individuals Non-custodial parents with a legal obligation to pay support
TANF Job Commute	1, 2	See contract language- max 6 months of trips	150% FPL	

¹ Customers must participate in a comprehensive assessment through the Columbiana County One-Stop & be found suitable for training

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<u>TRANSPORTATION SERVICES & BENEFITS</u> Drivers' Education classes Payment of drivers' license fees & license plate fees	2	\$750 One episode of need in a 12- month period	200% FPL	Non-custodial parents with a legal obligation to pay support OWF recipients cooperating with their self-sufficiency plan Individuals who are unemployed or under-employed
<u>DIVERSION BENEFITS</u> A single cash payment for a specific crisis related to an AG's temporary loss of income due to individual disability, pregnancy, or FMLA	1, 2	Payment to be specific to the AG's total monthly expenses not to exceed \$1500 - Max of one episode of need in a 12-month period	100% FPL	Individual with disability, pregnancy, or on FMLA and is expected to resume employment or have some other type of viable income to resolve the crisis within 4 months from the date employment was suspended
<u>GAS VOUCHER</u>	1, 2	\$100 issued in \$25 increments once per 12- month period	130% FPL	Employed individuals who have access to a vehicle Employed non-custodial parents with a legal obligation to pay support Unemployed or under-employed non-custodial parents who are seeking employment as a requirement of their participation in the Columbiana County CSEA Seek Work Program

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<p><u>SUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM</u> – Program to end 10/31/17</p> <p>Payments to employers to help cover wages, fringe benefits, medical benefits Wage subsidy up to 50% provided to the employer Subsidized employment contract can be for no less than three (3) months and no more than six (6) months Ancillary services such as certifications, training, case management activities, job coaches, and mentors Up to \$400 in gas vouchers for transportation to the worksite One-time \$600 payment to participant for successful completion of the 6-month program</p>	2, 4	No effect on CAP	200% FPL Self-declaration of income	<p>Individuals who are unemployed or under-employed.</p> <p>Individuals in receipt of OWF</p> <p>Non-custodial parents with a legal obligation to pay support</p>
<p><u>OHIO YOUTH WORKS PROGRAM</u> – Program to end 9/30/17</p> <p>Payments to youths for wages Payments to third party for payroll costs Payments to third parties to operate the program Case management activities related to the program; job coaches and mentors Work/school-related items Workers' Compensation expenses FICA Reasonable Job Preparation Services and Benefits Direct supervision and training costs Transportation to and from the work site</p>	1, 2	No effect on CAP See contract & MOU language	200% FPL Self-declaration of income	<p>Youth ages 14-15 and in school</p> <p>Youth placed in a foster care setting ages 14-15 if they are a full-time student in a secondary school.</p>

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<u>FAMILY PRESERVATION & REUNIFICATION SERVICES</u>				
Family Mentoring & Homemaker Services Case Management for Children Services Protective cases Case Management for Children Services Custody cases with a 6-month Reunification Plan	1, 4	No effect on CAP if provided by an agency employee or agency contracted services	200% FPL Self-declaration of income	Families with children at risk of abuse or neglect Kinship Care Providers Victim of Domestic Violence
Supervised Visitation Services – to provide supervised visitation with family members who are not able to be unsupervised around the children the agency is involved with due to safety concerns that may be present and/or Court Orders.	1, 4	No effect on CAP See contract language	200% FPL Self-declaration of income	Families with children at risk of abuse or neglect Kinship care providers Victim of domestic violence
<u>CHILD WELFARE CONTINGENCY SERVICES</u>				
Air Conditioner (Medically necessary with Doctor's Statement) Repair or Purchase of Appliances Furniture (beds, mattress, table, chairs, etc.) Exterminator; Dumpster Service Clothing, shoes	1	\$1000 \$500/child/year	100% FPL 130% FPL	Families with children at risk of abuse or neglect Kinship Care Providers Victim of Domestic Violence
<u>CHILD WELFARE DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES</u>				
Parenting Classes	4	See contract language	200% FPL	Families and Children Kinship Care Providers School Age Children

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<u>CHILD WELFARE PROGRAMS</u> Differential Response Activities that provide reasonable efforts to prevent removal while performing case assessments	1, 4	No effect on CAP	200% FPL Self-declaration of income	Families with children at risk of abuse or neglect
<u>KINSHIP CARE SERVICES</u> Respite Care – Up to \$30/day/child for relative care Gasoline vouchers to attend training related to caring for special needs children Legal services to establish guardianship, placement, or custodial care when all parties are in agreement & it is in the best interest of the child	1 1 1	No effect on CAP See Contract Language \$15/day \$300 CAP/child \$1000	200% FPL Self-declaration of income 200% FPL 200% FPL	Relatives/kinship (past or present) caring for minor children Custodial family caring for minor children Relatives/kinship (past or present) caring for minor children Relatives/kinship (past or present)caring for minor children
<u>YOUTH DIVERSION PROGRAMS</u> Services that support unruly and misdemeanor diversionary programs (See Contract Language)	1	No effect on CAP	200% FPL Self-declaration of income	Families with children at risk of being identified as unruly
<u>HEAD LICE ERADICATION PROGRAM</u>	1	No effect on CAP	200% FPL	Families with children identified with chronic and non-chronic head lice infestation

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<u>DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SERVICES</u>	1	No effect on CAP	200% FPL Self-declaration of income	Victims of domestic violence
<u>CONTINGENCY SERVICES</u> (an emergent need that threatens the health, safety, or decent living arrangement to the extent that it prohibits children from being cared for in their own home or inhibits job preparation, work, and marriage) Utility shut-offs Purchase of bulk fuel for heating Installation or repair of telephone Rent – to move from unsubsidized to subsidized housing Security deposit – to move from unsubsidized to subsidized housing Emergency shelter or temporary housing Repair or purchase of furnace or water tank Home repairs affecting basic structure, e.g. roof, plumbing, walls, etc. Air conditioner (medically necessary with doctor's statement)	1	Any number of individual payments to meet a non-recurrent crisis or episode of need up to \$1000/assistance group per 24-month period	150% FPL	Households with minor children where a household member is employed at least 20 hours/week or in short-term training which will lead to employment Households with minor children where a household member has been employed and has lost their job due to no fault of their own OWF recipients cooperating with their self-sufficiency plan

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<u>FAMILY DISASTER ASSISTANCE</u> (benefits to assist with damage or loss sustained as a result of a natural disaster upon declaration by the Governor)	1	CAP based on amount allocated by ODJFS	200% FPL	Families sustaining disaster-related damage or loss upon disaster declaration by Governor