



PLAIN LANGUAGE SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE POLICY

Overview

In keeping with its mission, South Lyon Medical Center (SLMC) is dedicated to making health care services accessible to our patient population. SLMC is committed to offering financial assistance to people who have health care needs and are not able to pay for care. You may be able to get financial assistance if you are not insured or underinsured and do not qualify for governmental assistance (for example Medicare or Medicaid.)

Availability of Financial Assistance

You may be able to get financial assistance if you do not have insurance, are underinsured, or if it would be a financial hardship to pay in full the expected out of pocket expenses for services at SLMC.

Eligibility Requirements

Financial assistance is generally determined by a sliding scale of total household income based on the Federal Poverty Income Guidelines (FPIG). If you and/or the responsible party's income combined is at or below 250%, you may get discounted rates for the care given by SLMC. No person eligible for financial assistance under the FAP will be charged more for emergency or other medically necessary care than amounts generally billed to individuals who have insurance covering such care. If you have sufficient insurance coverage or assets available to pay for your care, you may not be eligible for financial assistance. Please refer to the full policy for a complete explanation and details.

Where to Find Information

There are many ways to find information about the FAP application process

To apply for financial assistance you may:

Download the information and application online at southlyonmedicalcenter.org,

Request the information in writing by mail or by visiting the SLMC 213 S. Whitacre St. Yerington, NV 89447

Request the information by calling a Financial Counselor 463-2301 ext. 6437.

The Financial Assistance policy, application form, and the plain language summary can be offered in English or Spanish.

How to Apply

The application process involves filling out the financial assistance form and submitting the form along with the supporting documents to SLMC for processing. You may also apply in person by visiting the Financial Counselor at the address listed below. Financial assistance applications are to be submitted to the following office:

Financial Counselor
213 S. Whitacre St.
Yerington, NV 89447