



## **Hardin County Health Services**

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### **HARDIN COUNTY PUBLIC NOTICE**

Hardin County will use the following rules and procedures to comply with its responsibilities under the Indigent Health Care and Treatment Act.

Applications can be requested from the Indigent Health Care Office located at 1135 Redwood Kountze, TX or an application will be mailed to you upon request by calling 409-246-5189. Assistance in completing the application will be provided, if needed.

#### **In summary, procedures are as follows:**

- Applications must be obtained from Hardin County IHC Office, located in the Hardin County Annex building. Applicants are required to fill out an application and participate in a face-to-face or telephone interview. All interviews are by appointment only.
- Verification of applicant's identity, residence, household income, termination of income, household composition, other medical insurance coverage and resources is required.
- If applicant is potentially eligible for another program, they must comply with that programs application procedures.
- Applicants must not exceed the net monthly income of 21% of Federal Poverty Level.
- Resources are counted and calculated and value cannot exceed \$2000 for a single member household, with a maximum limit of \$3000 for a larger household.
- Eligible persons must be a resident of Hardin County; intend to maintain Hardin County residence and must reside within the boundaries of Hardin County.
- Applicants must provide all requested information and documentation requested by the specified date or the application will be denied.
- Applicants have the right to appeal denials.
- These rules are subject to change with revision of the State Indigent Health Care Handbook.

#### **Hardin County**

##### **Indigent Health Care Program**

Mailing Address: P O Box 129 Kountze, Texas 77625

Physical Address: 1135 Redwood Kountze, Texas

Phone: 409-246-5189 or Direct: 409-209-5410

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