

**Clermont Metropolitan Housing Authority** 

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Please see below for possible rental assistance. You can go to the link at businesshelp.ohio.gov. Select, "Home Relief Grant" and then select, "Click here for more information on how to apply." You can then select, "To find your local Community Action Agency, click here," to find a list of offices closest to you. In Clermont County, you will be directed to the Clermont County Community Services website at <u>Clermont County Community Services</u>, Inc. (cccsi.org). From there you will email <u>support@cccsi.org</u> for an application.

Clermont County Community Services has funds available to assist with past due rent, mortgage, water & sewer bills. Please email support@cccsi.org for an application.

## **RENT ASSISTANCE**

The Ohio Development Services Agency is now distributing \$100 million in federal funding to help low-income Ohioans who do not own their own home pay their rent, water, sewer, wastewater, electric, gas, oil and/or trash removal bills.

Ohioans can apply for assistance with outstanding balances dating back to March 13, 2020, assistance for future rent/utility payments once back bills have been made current, and assistance for future rent and utility assistance for three months at a time.

Eligible Ohio households must:

- Be at or below 80% of their county's Area Median Income (varies by county and size of household);
- Have experienced a financial hardship due to COVID-19; and
- Demonstrate a risk of experiencing homelessness or housing instability.

The funding, which was approved by the Ohio Controlling Board for distribution, will be divided among Ohio's 47 Community Action Agencies. Ohioans can apply for assistance by contacting their local Community Action Agency. A list of agencies can be found at <u>businesshelp.ohio.gov</u> under Home Relief Grants.