Policy

Oklahoma County Pharmacy

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Purpose of Program:

The purpose of the Oklahoma County Pharmacy Program is to provide prescription medication and limited medically necessary supplies at no charge to indigent residents of Oklahoma County.

General Program Information:

The Oklahoma County Pharmacy program requires that eligibility be determined for each person seeking services. Eligibility will be reviewed on a regular basis for all clients. Where reasonable, clients will be guided toward appropriate services or resources with a goal of achieving a greater degree of stability. The Oklahoma County Pharmacy has a limited formulary, and medications and supplies available are dependent on budgetary constraints. Medications outside that formulary may be provided at no charge if available through the Unused Medications Program administered by the Oklahoma County Pharmacy.

Unused Medications Program:

The Oklahoma County Pharmacy administers the Unused Medications Program as per Oklahoma Statutes Title 59§367 whereby legally donated medications may be dispensed by the County Pharmacy or transferred to another eligible entity for dispensing. Eligibility requirements for Unused Medications dispensed through the Oklahoma County Pharmacy are consistent with the requirements of the County Pharmacy's indigent program with the exception of income level, hence, all persons eligible for the County Pharmacy's indigent program are automatically eligible to receive medications from the Unused Medications Program.

Application Process:

Applicant (or an authorized representative) must complete and sign an application form, which will be reviewed by the Eligibility Analyst. The Eligibility Analyst will make a determination of eligibility, and if approved, will provide the client with a list of needed documentation for subsequent services. Once the application form has been submitted, it becomes the property of the County Pharmacy.

General Information Regarding Eligibility:

The applicant must be a legal resident of the United States and current resident of, or homeless in, Oklahoma County.

Applicants and clients must provide requested documentation.

Income guideline for indigent program is equivalent to 200% of the federal poverty level, based on total household income. Income guideline for Unused Medications Program is equivalent to 250% of the federal poverty level, based on total household income.

Where reasonable, clients will be guided toward appropriate services or resources with a goal of achieving a greater degree of stability.

Services can be denied or discontinued based upon determination that false information was provided in the course of the eligibility process or that prescriptions have been altered.

Applicant must be at least eighteen years of age or accompanied by a parent or legal guardian.

This information is not intended to represent all of the necessary steps, requirements, or factors involved in the eligibility determination process as set by the department.