

**Chester County
Department of Community Development**

Income Eligibility Guidelines

These income levels are used to determine eligibility for various state and federal programs DCD administers. For instance, a Title I Youth's economically disadvantaged eligibility status under the Workforce Investment Act (WIA) is determined by using the 70% Lower Living Standard Income Level (LLSIL) or the Poverty Level, whichever is highest, the Title I Adult Program uses 235% of poverty income to determine customer eligibility and the CSBG program uses 125% of poverty income to determine client eligibility

Family Size	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Poverty Level <i>Effective 1/23/09</i>	\$10,830	\$14,570	\$18,310	22,050	\$25,790	\$29,530	\$33,270	\$37,010
70% LLSIL (Use for WIA Youth)	\$9,439	\$15,469	\$21,231	\$26,209	\$30,932	\$36,170	\$41,408	\$46,646
125% of Poverty (Use for CSBG)	\$13,538	\$18,213	\$22,888	\$27,563	\$32,238	\$36,913	\$41,588	\$46,263
150% of Poverty (Use for LIHEAP)	\$16,245	\$21,855	\$27,465	\$33,075	\$38,685	\$44,295	\$49,905	\$55,515
200% of Poverty (Use for DPW-HAP)	\$21,660	\$29,140	\$36,620	\$44,100	\$51,580	\$59,060	\$66,540	\$74,020
235% of Poverty (Use for TANF Youth and Title I Adult) <i>revised 6/16/08</i>	\$25,451	\$34,240	\$43,029	\$51,818	\$60,607	\$69,396	\$78,185	\$86,974

For Family Units with more than 8 members, add the following amounts for each additional person:

Poverty Level: \$3,740

70% LLSIL: \$5,238