



## MEDICAL CARE FOR THOSE WHO MAY QUALIFY FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE, (ACCESS TO CARE)

In accordance with (Section 330(k)(3)(G) of the PHS Act, 42 CFR Part 51c.303(f)), and 42 CFR Part 51c.303(u)) for Federally Qualified Health Centers, Pines Health Services will provide **Access to Care** to residents of the State of Maine whose income meets the following guidelines:

		Percentage of Poverty			
		0-100%	101-150%	151-200%	Over 200%
PRIMARY CARE		<b>\$20 Fixed Payment</b>	<b>\$25 Fixed Payment</b>	<b>\$35 Fixed Payment</b>	<b>No Discount</b>
SPECIALTY CARE**		<b>100% Discount</b>	<b>90% Discount</b>	<b>80% Discount</b>	<b>No Discount</b>
Family Size					
1	Annual (up to)	<b>\$11,770</b>	<b>\$17,655</b>	<b>\$23,540</b>	<b>over \$23,540</b>
	Weekly	\$226	\$340	\$453	over \$453
2	Annual	<b>\$15,930</b>	<b>\$23,895</b>	<b>\$31,860</b>	<b>over \$31,860</b>
	Weekly	\$306	\$460	\$613	over \$613
3	Annual	<b>\$20,090</b>	<b>\$30,135</b>	<b>\$40,180</b>	<b>over \$40,180</b>
	Weekly	\$386	\$580	\$773	over \$773
4	Annual	<b>\$20,090</b>	<b>\$36,375</b>	<b>\$48,500</b>	<b>over \$48,500</b>
	Weekly	\$386	\$700	\$933	over \$933
5	Annual	<b>\$20,090</b>	<b>\$42,615</b>	<b>\$56,820</b>	<b>over \$56,820</b>
	Weekly	\$386	\$820	\$1,093	over \$1,093
6	Annual	<b>\$20,090</b>	<b>\$48,855</b>	<b>\$65,140</b>	<b>over \$65,140</b>
	Weekly	\$386	\$940	\$1,253	over \$1,253
7	Annual	<b>\$20,090</b>	<b>\$55,095</b>	<b>\$73,460</b>	<b>over \$73,460</b>
	Weekly	\$386	\$1,060	\$1,413	over \$1,413
8	Annual	<b>\$20,090</b>	<b>\$61,335</b>	<b>\$81,780</b>	<b>over \$81,780</b>
	Weekly	\$386	\$1,180	\$1,573	over \$1,573

*\*For family units larger than 8, add \$4,160.00 per year for each additional member*

*\*\*Specialty Care includes Surgical Services, Orthopedics & Sports Medicine, Oncology/Hematology, Urology, Ophthalmology, and Pathology*

If you believe you qualify for our **Access to Care** Program, please contact:

Financial Counselors' Office, Phone: (207) 498-1371 or (207) 498-1617  
(800) 858-2279 ext. 1371 or ext. 1617 6766

Before providing financial assistance, Pines Health Services will ask for information about your income and ask you to show verification that insurance or government medical assistance programs will not pay for your care.

Only services that are medically necessary are provided within our Access to Care Program.

Individuals can access an application on our website, [www.pineshealth.org](http://www.pineshealth.org), or by visiting our Financial Counselors' office at:

24 Sweden Street, Suite 101  
Caribou, ME 04736

The above income guidelines are effective March 1, 2015

## Required Documentation

### Income:

Type of Income	Required Documentation
Wages and Salaries	Most recent Paystubs from each job showing both the last 3 months and last 12 months of gross income.
Self-Employed Income	Last year's tax return and current year business ledger showing gross income.
Social Security	Current year award letter. You can request a copy of your benefit letter by calling 1-877-405-1448.
Unemployment	Unemployment benefit letter or weekly claims report showing current gross income. To request letter, call 1-800-593-7660 or go to <a href="https://gateway.maine.gov/dol/webing/">https://gateway.maine.gov/dol/webing/</a>
Worker's Compensation	Workers Compensation benefits or award letter showing gross income
Alimony/Child Support	Determination letter from State or court system
Dividends/Interest/Rental	Rental Income for the past 3 months and past 12 months, statements reporting dividend and interest amounts.
Other: _____	Provide documentation that supports amount reported.

### Other:

In some cases, we may ask for additional information. This includes, but is not limited to:

- Bank Statements
- Proof of Maine Residency
- Mainecare denial letter
- Other forms for proof of income not listed above
- Letter of support from friends or family