

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE SUMMARY

As part of its mission and commitment to the community, Box Butte General Hospital (BBGH) provides financial assistance to patients who qualify for BBGH's Financial Assistance Policy.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

All patients are eligible to apply for financial assistance with their hospital debt, including those with insurance. Established guidelines are utilized to determine what amount, if any, will qualify for financial assistance.

Generally, patients with family income at or below 200% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines (FPG) are eligible for assistance.

Eligibility for financial assistance is based on multiple factors, including the nature of the condition and care required, insurance coverage or other sources of payment (including personal injury claims), income (FPG used to determine the amount of financial assistance offered), family size, assets, and any special consideration the patient or physician would like to have considered.

Partial or full financial assistance will be granted based on a patient's ability to pay the billed charges. Patients must fully comply with the application process, including submitting tax returns, bank statements, and pay stubs.

HOW TO APPLY FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE:

Free copies of the Financial Assistance Policy (FAP) and application are available.



In person: **Financial Counselors**



Over the phone: **308.761.1008 or
308.761.1020**



Hard copy form Online: **www.bbgh.org**



By mail:
**Box Butte General Hospital
PO Box 810
Alliance, Ne 69301**

Additionally, BBGH can initiate an assistance application on behalf of a patient. There is no assurance that a patient will qualify for financial assistance. English, Spanish, and other language versions of the FAP and the application are available upon request.

CHARGES FOR EMERGENCY OR MEDICALLY NECESSARY CARE:

No patient who qualifies for Financial Assistance will be charged more for emergency or other medically necessary care than amounts generally billed to patients having insurance.