

CCP Retraining/Job Placement Assistance from City CARES Funds

What kind of assistance and who qualifies?

To meet initial eligibility, each applicant must be or have:

- 18 or over (or emancipated adult)
- COVID-19 related need Lost job or income reduced after 3/1/20 (self-certification & documentation)
- No other federal funds for the same purpose
- · Reside in Oklahoma City city limits (location of program not geographically limited)

How can residents access the resources of CCP?

- Apply online www.okccp.org or call 2-1-1 or ask at your education/training institution
- All applicants must complete the Application for Assistance and, if meet initial eligibility requirements, the Intake Form for which they'll be emailed the link
- All applicants, if meet initial eligibility, provide:
 - Copy of photo ID
 - Release of Information
 - COVID-19 Self Certification

What is retraining and what costs qualify?

- Retraining includes: Certification programs, accreditations, continuing education credits, licensing, training programs - any education or training that adds to employment marketability
- Costs covered: Tuition, fees, necessary equipment/tools (reasonable), books
- All assistance paid to service provider
- **Timing** of education/training program:
 - o STARTED AFTER 3/1/20 and will be COMPLETED BY 12/30/20, or
 - o **Internships** that apply the retraining and are a part of an education/training program that STARTED between 3/1/20 and 12/30/20, or
 - Repayment of outstanding costs for training/education through 12/30/20, IF program/training STARTED AFTER 3/1/20 (ex. summer and/or fall semester 2020)

Examples:

- Student loan for August 2020 May 2021 classes prorated to pay for Aug Dec 2020 tuition/fees, plus any books, equipment needed in August to begin courses
- Course that begins prior to 12/30 and includes internship that extends into 2021 (need firm start and end date of course, including internship) (service or training completed in 2020, but service in use or internship can extend into 2021)
- o 3 month program begins 12/1/20 and ends 2/28/21 prorated to pay Dec. portion of program

What if I need other financial help due to COVID-19?

- If you meet the eligibility criteria above and have other needs, CCP may be able to help you
- CARES funds are available for:
 - o Rent and mortgage assistance
 - Utilities & connectivity (phone, internet)
 - Transportation
- You are behind on these bills for the period after 3/1/20
- If you have an eviction summons and a court date, be sure to show up at court on that date!!
- o Food
- Daycare
- Rehousing