

**Do you qualify for funding? Choose *one* of these options if:**

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**(Hamilton County residents only) Residents of other counties contact your local Ohio Means Jobs Center  
(See back for contact information)**

***You receive SNAP (food stamp assistance) but not cash assistance***

May fund STNA/PCA PLUS, STNA, or PCA, WorkKeys, and background checks  
Request an HPA/SNAP Release/Verification Form & return to HPA for verification  
Must submit all medical paperwork and diploma before SNAP will fund WorkKeys or background

***You are age 16 TO 24***

***Your household income is at or below 200% of the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) (see the back of page)  
You are not currently enrolled in high school or college***

**Choose just one: Equus or Santa Maria—very similar programs**

1. **Santa Maria** - case management / a minor child in the home may be a requirement.

May fund any class, transportation, scrubs & pre-requisites.

Contact Keyasia at (513) 557.7254 or Keyasia.Mitchell@santamaria-cincy.org immediately.

2. **Equus (My Life through ResCare)** - case management / a minor child in the home may be a requirement.

May fund any class, transportation, scrubs & pre-requisites.

Contact Equus immediately – (513) 761-0476

***Your household income is at or below 200% of the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) (see the back of page)  
You have a minor child in the home***

STEPS—Hamilton County— case management expectations

May fund any class, transportation, pre-requisites, and scrubs

If you have a child in Head Start, contact Sherry Childers at Community Action: 513.924.2012

***Your household income is at or below 200% of the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) (see the back of page)***

**Hamilton County Workforce Innovation & Opportunity Act (WIOA) (see back for other counties)**

May fund any class, but not pre-requisites

Complete HPA pre-requisites (WorkKeys, background, etc.) & request an application from HPA

Great Oaks will send request for a WIOA representative application and provide income verification & WorkKeys scores. Student will complete the WIOA application.

***If you are already working with a CCMEP caseworker, please disregard the information here and coordinate your activities with your caseworker and Great Oaks HPA.***

***Other funding for those with need may be available. Contact our office if you don't qualify for these grants.***

*The funding enrollment and eligibility determination process may take several weeks, and you may encounter waitlists or changes in funding availability or requirements.*

*The final income eligibility determination is made by the funding agency, not Great Oaks.*

<b>2021 Federal Poverty Level (FPL) 200% of HHS Poverty Guideline</b>	
<b>Number of Persons in Family / Household</b>	<b>Maximum annual income</b>
<b>1</b>	<b>\$25,760</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>\$34,840</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>\$43,920</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>\$53,000</b>
<b>5</b>	<b>\$62,080</b>
<b>6</b>	<b>\$71,160</b>
<b>For families/households with more than 8 persons, add \$9,080 for each additional person.</b>	

**WIOA:** If you live in a county other than Hamilton, please contact your local Ohio Means Jobs (OMJ) Center for additional information/eligibility requirements regarding WIOA funding.

Adams 937.695.0316

Brown 937.378.6041

Butler 513.785.6500

Clermont 513.943.3000

Clinton 937.382.7762

Fayette 740.335.5115

Highland 937.393.1933

Warren 513.695.1130

*Hamilton County residents are directed to contact Great Oaks for a referral prior to contacting the OMJ office. Additional questions may be directed to the OMJ Center, 513.946.7200.*

**Opportunities for Ohioans with Disabilities (OOD)** - Financial assistance may be available from this local agency for students with physical, mental, or emotional disabilities that present a handicap to employment. Partial to total aid may be available to cover tuition, books, and supplies. Contact your local or area OOD office or call 1.800.686.3323 for more information.