Relatives as Parents

Financial Assistance for Grandparents and other Relatives as Parents



Do You Need Funding for...

- **A child's bed ?**
- **A child's clothing ?**
- **School Supplies ?**
- **School Uniform/Band Instrument ?**

Who Qualifies?

- Grandparents raising grandchildren.
- Aunts, Uncles, Cousins raising related children.
- Brothers & Sisters raising siblings.

This service is **not** extended to the following situations:

- Caregiver is licensed foster parent
- Children with open Child Welfare or CPS cases
- Caregiver has applied for Relatives as Parents assistance within the last year

How does it work?

A community representative will contact and interview you to assess the eligibility of your needs.

Basic needs such as clothing, school supplies, and food will be considered priorities.

Other critical needs will be considered. These may include, but are not limited to:

- Housing
- Transportation
- Counseling
- Legal services
- Youth activities.

Who do you Contact?

Grays Harbor County
Aaron Hamm
360-538-8870
1-800-801-0060
aaron.hamm1@dshs.wa.gov

Pacific County
Amber Garrotte
360-207-3719
1-888-571-6557
amber.garrotte2@dshs.wa.gov

Sponsored by:
Information and Assistance and
The Olympic Area Agency on Aging

The Olympic Area Agency on Aging (O3A) serves Clallam, Grays Harbor, Jefferson, and Pacific Counties through local Information & Assistance offices. O3A is an active part of a nationwide Aging Network, Area Agencies on Aging, which was created through the Older Americans Act to help local communities meet the needs of elders and adults with disabilities

04.2026