Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

Age Requirements 0-5 6-12 Available 24/7 No Other Eligibility Criteria Resident of Pulaski; call for qualifications for programs Up to age 18 Family Yes **Intake Process** Telephone referrals accepted. Complete application; provide documents. You may apply for help online at CommonHelp Provider Refer Yes Residency Requirements Pulaski County Self Refer Yes Pulaski County Department of Social Services https://www.pulaskicounty.org/social-services.html http://www.pcdss.org/index.php?id=benefits Main (540) 980-7995 Toll-Free (888) 832-3858 53 Commerce Street 24301 VA **United States**

Monday: 8:00 am-4:30 pm Tuesday: 8:00 am-4:30 pm Wednesday: 8:00 am-4:30 pm Thursday: 8:00 am-4:30 pm Friday: 8:00 am-4:30 pm

Saturday: Closed Sunday: Closed Fee Structure

No Fee

Languages Spoken

English

Pulaski County Department of Social Services offers Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF). TANF programs provide eligible families with a monthly cash payment to meet their basic needs. Participants may be provided with services such as job skills training, work experience, job readiness training, child care assistance, transportation, and other work related expenses.

An eligible child must be under age 18, or if 18, will graduate from high school before age 19, going to school regularly if the child is between the ages of five and 18, living with a parent or other relative and a U.S. citizen or an eligible immigrant.

The TANF program initiative has time to limited benefits, a strong work requirement, and a social contract which sets out the responsibilities of and expectations for recipients of public assistance and the government.

CommonHelp is the Commonwealth of Virginia's fast and easy way to apply online for many Virginia social services assistance programs. Through a single online site, you can find out what assistance you might be eligible for and submit one application saving you time and effort. You can apply for Benefit Programs online at CommonHelp or by telephone by calling 1-855-635-4370.

Service Area(s) Pulaski County