

# **TANF Transportation Expense Assistance**

Age Requirements

No Age Requirement

Other Eligibility Criteria

Resident of Rockbridge County.

Intake Contact

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Intake Process

Call for an Intake worker to explain requirements. You may also apply for benefits online at CommonHelp, <https://commonhelp.virginia.gov>, or by phone at 855-635-4370.

Provider Refer

Yes

Report Problems

Call the Agency

Residency Requirements

Buena Vista, Lexington or Rockbridge County

Self Refer

Yes

Rockbridge-Buena Vista-Lexington Area Social Services

<https://www.co.rockbridge.va.us/101/Services>

Main

(540) 463-7143

c/o Rockbridge - Buena Vista - Lexington Area Department of Social Services

20 East Preston Street

24450 VA

United States

Monday: 8:30 am-5:00 pm

Tuesday: 8:30 am-5:00 pm

Wednesday: 8:30 am-5:00 pm

Thursday: 8:30 am-5:00 pm

Friday: 8:30 am-5:00 pm

Saturday: Closed

Sunday: Closed

## Fee Structure

No Fee

## Languages Spoken

English

The purpose of Virginia's Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) program is: to provide assistance to needy families so that children may be cared for in their own homes or in the home of relatives, end the dependence of needy parents on government benefits by promoting job preparation, work and marriage and encourage the formation and maintenance of two-parent families.

Participants may be helped with transportation expenses. Services may also include job skills training, work experience, job readiness training, child care assistance, and other work related expenses.

In order to be eligible for TANF the following criteria apply: There must be a child in the home under age 18 and will graduate from high school before the age of 19, Child is going to school regularly if she or he is between the ages 15 and 18, The child is living with a parent or other relatives, Is a citizen of the U.S. or an eligible immigrant

To find out more about TANF, visit the [Virginia Department of Social Services](#).

## Service Area(s)

Buena Vista City

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Lexington City

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Rockbridge County