

To check for **initial eligibility** for Medicaid, please log on to MyBenefits.ny.gov.

For specific information on Medicaid or to apply for Nursing Home/Long Term Care, please call the Rockland County Department of Social Services at **364-3040 (Medicaid)** or **364-3990 (Nursing Home/Long Term Care)**.

For **transit information**, call 845-364-3333, or log on to [www.rocklandgov.com](http://www.rocklandgov.com) and click on the bus.



For general information on Medicaid or other **health and human services**, please contact Information Rockland/NY Connects at 845-364-2020 or log on to [www.informationrockland.com](http://www.informationrockland.com).



# Need Help Applying For...



## ...In Rockland County?

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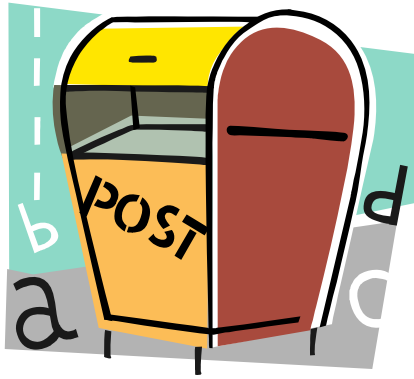
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## We've Made it Easier for You!!

Effective April 1, 2010, face-to-face interviews will no longer be required when you apply for Medicaid, Family Health Plus and/or Food Stamps at the Rockland County Department of Social Services.

### You can apply for Medicaid/FHP by:

- **Mailing** your application and supporting documents to the Rockland County Department of Social Services, Medicaid Unit, 50 Sanatorium Road, Pomona, NY 10970.
- **Dropping off** your application and supporting documents at:
  - Rockland County Department of Social Services, Building L, 50 Sanatorium Road, Pomona, or
  - Health & Human Services, (Child Care Unit), 23 Robert Pitt Drive, Monsey.
- **Scheduling a personal interview:** If preferred, Medicaid/Family Health Plus applicants can apply in person on any Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday from 8 a.m. until 3 p.m. at the Department of Social Services in Building L. Chronic Care/Nursing Home applicants can call 845-364-3990 to schedule an interview.

### You can apply for Food Stamps by:

- **Mailing or dropping off** your application and supporting documents to the Rockland County Department of Social Services, Food Stamp Unit, Building L, 50 Sanatorium Road, Pomona, NY 10970.
- **Applying online** by logging on to [www.myBenefits.ny.gov](http://www.myBenefits.ny.gov).
- **Applying in person:** Applicants can apply in person to the Food Stamp Unit in Building L on any Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday from 8 a.m. until 10:30 a.m.

*A DSS Food Stamp worker will contact you for a telephone interview once your application has been received.*

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### Applications and a list of documents required to be submitted with your Medicaid/FHP and/or Food Stamp application can be found at:

- All drop-off locations listed above
- [www.rocklandgov.com](http://www.rocklandgov.com), under Department of Social Services, Applications and Forms
- Community Organizations