

ERAP can help pay for:

Current Rent

Past due Rent

Current balances and arrears for utilities such as: electricity, gas, water, sewage, trash removal, fuel oil

Rental fees

Late fee

Any person responsible for paying rent can apply for ERAP. The Landlord does not have to participate to get you help.

Printable applications are available on the [Emergency Rental Assistance Program \(ERAP\)](#) webpage.

or you may apply via the Compass website: [www.COMPASS.state.pa.us](http://www.COMPASS.state.pa.us)

The ERAP contact in Cambria County is:

**Cambria County Behavioral Health/Intellectual Disabilities/Early Intervention**

**110 Franklin Street**

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Johnstown, PA 15901

**(814) 535-8531**

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## **Emergency Rental Assistance Program (ERAP)**

The Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2021 included funding for states to establish emergency rental assistance programs. Pennsylvania received approximately \$569 million to administer assistance to renters, landlords, and utility providers who have been affected by the COVID-19 pandemic and economic insecurity.

On February 5, 2021, Governor Wolf signed S.B. 109 into law, which officially designated the Department of Human Services (DHS) as the agency overseeing administration of the Emergency Rental Assistance Program (ERAP) for the 49 counties that did not receive direct allocations.

ERAP is now taking applications. Pennsylvanians can apply online through COMPASS. Some counties are not using the COMPASS application. If your county is not using COMPASS, you will be automatically directed to your local ERAP agency contact.