

## AFIRM Eligibility Requirements & Verification Documents

Eligibility Requirements	Acceptable Verification Documents
1. Shelby County Resident	<p>Must provide one of the following documents with your address on it</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lease agreement</li> <li>• Utility bill</li> <li>• Phone bill</li> <li>• Driver's License</li> </ul>
2. Between the ages of 18 and 40	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Driver's license or ID card issued by a State</li> <li>• Birth certificate</li> <li>• Valid Passport</li> </ul>
3. At least one child support case in the Tennessee child support system, (whether under order or still being established)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Proof of child support order documentation</li> <li>• Proof of child support payment history</li> </ul>
<b>If the following applies to YOU and/or the OTHER PARENT, please provide one of the documents associated</b>	
4. Do you live at or below the Federal Poverty Level?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Check stubs</li> <li>• Employer statement</li> <li>• W-2 forms</li> <li>• Award letters</li> <li>• Unemployment verification letter</li> <li>• Separation letter</li> <li>• Signed and dated third party statement or declaration</li> </ul>
5. Receives or eligible for Medicaid (TennCare)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Approval Letter</li> </ul>
6. Receives or eligible for Families First or Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP).	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Approval Letter</li> </ul>
7. Proof of income, unemployment, or zero income.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Please refer to #4 documents as verification.</li> </ul>
8. Lives in Section 8 housing or low rent public housing.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Section 8 voucher</li> <li>• Housing choice vouchers</li> <li>• Lease agreement</li> </ul>
9. Has a child/children who receives free or reduced lunch under the National School Lunch Program.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• School records</li> <li>• Provide a free or reduced lunch approval form</li> </ul>