

C2C Grant Self-Qualification Guide



The C2C Grant is a needs-based grant awarded exclusively to qualifying C2C Program Participants who meet the qualification guidelines.

To determine if you qualify for the C2C Grant, determine if you can answer “Yes” to the following questions, then verify your income meets the guidelines.

- **Are you between the ages of 21 and 59?**
- **Are you a Mississippi Resident?**
- **Are you a US Citizen?**
- **Are you financially responsible for one or more dependent children?**
- **Does your Household meet the Income Requirements? (proceed to the next section)**

Follow the five steps below to determine if your household income meets the C2C Grant Household Income Guidelines.

1. **Determine your household size.** Use the chart in Figure 1 to determine who to include in your household count.
2. **Determine each household member’s total gross income.** Obtain verification documents* for each household member’s source(s) of income and locate the gross income amount**.
3. **Determine your household’s total gross income.** Repeat step 2 for each household member, then add each household member’s total gross income.
4. **Determine if your household meets the income guidelines.** Refer to the chart in Figure 2, locate your household size, and compare the gross income listed to your total gross household income.

Your household meets the income guidelines if your total gross household income equals or is below the gross income amount listed.

* Obtaining a prior year’s tax return or a year-end tax statement (IRS Form W-2) from each household member can make your job easier. For a list of acceptable verification documents, visit: (<https://msc2c.org/c2c-grant/details#Keys>)

** Gross Income is the total earnings before taxes or other deductions.

Figure 1

Household Member Reference Chart Relationships Qualifying as a Household Member
Your Self
Your Spouse
Partner - Not Legally Married
Your Dependent Children Living in Your Residence
Your Dependent Children NOT Living in Your Residence
Legally Separated Spouse (only if they file taxes jointly with you)
Spouse, Living Apart (only if they file taxes jointly with you)
Your Dependent Parent
Your Other Dependent Adult(s)
Your Parent Who Claim You as a Dependent
Your Parent’s Other Dependents (only if they also claim you as a dependent)

Figure 2

C2C Grant Household Income Guidelines		
Household Size	Monthly Gross Income*	Annual Gross Income*
1	\$2,430	\$29,160
2	\$3,287	\$39,440
3	\$4,143	\$49,720
4	\$5,000	\$60,000
5	\$5,857	\$70,280
6	\$6,713	\$80,560
7	\$7,570	\$90,840
8	\$8,427	\$101,120
For each person over 8 add:	\$857	\$10,280