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To: I/DD community members, Tribal partners and ODDS staff  
From: Lilia Teninty, Director, Office of Developmental Disabilities Services (ODDS)  
Subject: Affordable Connectivity Program

Not everyone has enough money to pay for the internet. The Affordable Connectivity Program (ACP) helps people pay for the internet. More than 500,000 Oregonians are still eligible to sign up.

If you or your family receive ODDS services, you may be eligible.

If you are an ODDS partner, please promote the program and help people apply.

### **Who is eligible?**

To be eligible, you must:

1. Earn up to 200% of the Federal Poverty Level, or
2. Your household must receive one of the following:
  - Free and Reduced-Price School Lunch or Breakfast Program
  - Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
  - Medicaid
  - Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
  - Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children (WIC)
  - Federal Public Housing Assistance
  - Certain Tribal assistance programs like Tribal TANF and Tribal Head Start

## Program benefits

- Up to \$30 per month off a household's internet bills
- Up to \$75 per month for households living on Tribal lands
- \$100 discount to purchase a laptop, tablet or desktop computer

## How to apply

Apply at [www.getinternet.gov](http://www.getinternet.gov) or call 877-384-2575.

- Check eligibility, enroll and see which internet providers offer fully covered plans.
- The site is mobile friendly and available in English and Spanish.

## Resources for partners

Please share these posters in your offices and with clients.

- Poster 1: [English](#) | [Spanish](#) | [Tribal](#)
- Poster 2: [English](#) | [Spanish](#) | [Tribal](#)

## Help

- [FAQs](#)
- ACP Support Center: 877-384-2575.

Thank you for helping Oregonians get internet access.

Sincerely,



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