

General Assistance Notice

The municipality of Sedgwick administers a General Assistance program for the support of the poor. Pursuant to Title 22 M.R.S.A. § 4305, the municipal officers have adopted an ordinance establishing that program.

A copy of this ordinance is available for public inspection at the town office during normal office hours. Also available for inspection is a copy of the state's General Assistance Statutes, as copies of the state law are made available to the municipality, by the Maine Department of Health and Human Services.

Persons wishing to apply for General Assistance may do so at the town office during normal office hours.

Please call ahead, when possible, to make an appointment p (207)-359-2275.

Applicants can call the HC Sherriff at 207-667-7575, in an emergency, after hours.

The municipality's General Assistance administrator must issue a written decision regarding eligibility to all applicants within 24 hours of receiving an application.

The Department of Health & Human Services toll-free telephone number, to call with a question regarding the General Assistance Program, is 1-800-442-6003.