



Division on Aging

A Woodbridge Township Social Work Division Providing Senior Services to Township Residents aged 60 and over
Designed to Support Older Adults in Leading Independent Lives With Dignity during Challenging Times.

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2019 ANCHOR Program

Formally known as the Homestead Benefit

**** Note: The ANCHOR program is separate from the Senior Freeze program. ****

The deadline to apply is January 31, 2023.

**For application assistance, call the Division on Aging at 732-726-6262
or The Division of Taxation at 1-877-658-2972**

ANCHOR eligibility

Homeowners with income of \$150,000 or less will receive \$1,500.

Homeowners with income of more than \$150,000 and up to \$250,000 will receive \$1,000.

Renters with income of \$150,000 or less will receive \$450.

****Report the amount of your New Jersey gross income on Line 29 of your NJ-1040. If you were not required to file a return, enter zero as your gross income. If you were required to file a return and have not yet filed, complete the NJ-1040 to determine your reportable income. *Do not include Social Security or Railroad Retirement Benefits as income.* If you and your spouse/civil union partner file separate returns and maintain the same principal residence, you must report your combined income for the entire year as your New Jersey gross income.****

FAQS:

Is the process of filing for ANCHOR different than Homestead?

If you previously participated in the Homestead Benefit program, you'll find that the application process is nearly the same, if not more streamlined than before.

How do I apply?

Homeowners

Homeowners need an ANCHOR ID and PIN to apply online or by phone. If you did not receive a mailer or email with an ID and PIN, but filed a Homestead Benefit application last year, access the online ID and PIN inquiry system to retrieve your ID and PIN. Certain homeowners must file a paper application, Form ANCHOR-H.

Apply Online: https://www1.state.nj.us/TYTR_Saver/jsp/common/HBWelcome.jsp

Apply by phone: 1-877-658-2972

Renters/Tenants

All eligible renters/tenants can and should apply online (no phone option is available). However, renters/tenants can complete a paper application, Form ANCHOR-T. Renters/Tenants do not have an ID and PIN.

Apply Online: https://www1.state.nj.us/TYTR_Saver/jsp/common/HBWelcome.jsp



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Township residents 60 years of age and older.
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