



FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT®  
FOR HEALTHY LIVING  
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

# WELCOME TO ALL

## PEOPLE HELPING PEOPLE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

### THE ESSENCE OF THE Y

With a commitment to nurturing the potential of kids, promoting healthy living and fostering a sense of social responsibility, the Aberdeen Family YMCA ensures that every individual has access to the essentials needed to learn, grow and thrive.

### EVERYONE IS WELCOME

The YMCA welcomes all who wish to participate and believes that no one should be denied access to the Y based on their ability to pay. The funds available for this assistance program are made possible through the generosity of our donors who give to our annual Strong Kids Campaign and the United Way of NE South Dakota.

### COMMITTED TO OUR COMMUNITY

Determining assistance amount is handled the YMCA in a fair and consistent manner. Every YMCA member receives the same membership benefits, regardless of whether or not they receive assistance. YMCA members can feel confident knowing that they are part of an organization that cares greatly for the well-being of all people and is committed to youth development, healthy living and social responsibility.

**To apply for Financial Assistance, ONE of the following documents is REQUIRED for your application to be processed:**

☐ A Copy of your LAST Income Tax Form that you submitted to the IRS

OR

☐ Copies of the last two pay stubs from all adults living in household.

OR

☐ Copy of Social Security or Disability Checks

**\*\*Proof of Need must be shown through one of these documents for financial assistance consideration. Additional information on page 3 must be completed.**

Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_ Y Staff Initials: \_\_\_\_\_

# Request for Financial Assistance

**Please complete in FULL!**

## Please check the type of membership you are requesting:

- ☐ Youth    ☐ Young Adult (18-25)    ☐ Adult    ☐ Senior Adult (62+)
- ☐ Senior Couple (one is 62+)    ☐ Household (up to two adults and dependents in the same household who may be claimed on IRS tax return)
- ☐ YDC Childcare (application for childcare scholarship goes to the YDC- 6 South State St, Aberdeen SD 57401)

**Applicant** First Name \_\_\_\_\_ MI \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ St: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Gender: M/F  
Place of employment: \_\_\_\_\_ Start Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Full Time or ☐ Part Time    Hours Per Week: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Self Employed  
Total number of persons you are able to claim on your income tax return: \_\_\_\_\_

**Applicant from above AND additional household member(s) seeking financial assistance** (Only those who can file a joint tax return, or any dependents that can be claimed on that tax return can be included. All others must submit a separate application.) **Please Print**

First Name	MI	Last Name	Age	Sex	Date of Birth
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
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Have you previously received financial assistance at the YMCA?    ☐ Yes    ☐ No

What amount can you pay toward the membership or program fee?    \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Are you available to volunteer in exchange for financial assistance?    ☐ Yes    ☐ No

Please provide us with a detailed narrative of information that would be helpful in assessing the level of need for the financial assistance you are requesting. How would this YMCA membership assistance benefit you? List any special circumstances that contribute to your request for financial assistance (i.e. medical bills, unemployment, etc.) (Use back side if needed!)

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**Total Household Income** – You must attach documentation to support all income.

**Monthly Income**

Applicant’s Employment: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse’s Employment: \_\_\_\_\_

Unemployment: \_\_\_\_\_

Child Support: \_\_\_\_\_

Disability/Work Comp.: \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security: \_\_\_\_\_

Food Stamps: \_\_\_\_\_

Energy Assistance: \_\_\_\_\_

Housing Assistance: \_\_\_\_\_

Medical Assistance: \_\_\_\_\_

T.A.N.F: \_\_\_\_\_

Other Income: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Total Monthly Income:**

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Do you receive WIC monthly?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Monthly Expenses**

Mortg/Rent: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Utilities: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Car Payment: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Cable: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Food: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Medical Bills: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Other: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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**\*Total Monthly Expenses:**

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that the above information is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and that I do not have additional income not represented above. I agree, if necessary to send additional documentation to support the above statements. I understand that financial assistance is based on need. In the event that my financial situation changes and I am no longer in need of this assistance or at least to the degree in which it is provided, I will contact the YMCA so that the support can be provided to others. I understand that if I have falsified any of the above information, I will not be eligible for the assistance now or in the future.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Office Use Only: Approval Signatures**

Scholarship Awarded (%): \_\_\_\_\_ Membership Type: \_\_\_\_\_

Membership Director: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Senior Director of Programming: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_