

## What is HARP?

HARP is a program to help individuals and families who are homeless or at-risk of becoming homeless (have received an eviction notice, for example). To qualified applicants HARP can provide security deposits, rental assistance (including past due rent), utility deposits and payments, credit repair, moving costs, case management, referrals for other resources, life skills classes and more.



Partnering to help individuals & families build stable homes.

The intent of this program is to provide stabilization services to ensure clients are housed and remain permanently housed in the future.

HARP is a program brought to Del Norte County by Community Assistance Network (CAN), in partnership with Rural Human Services/Harrington House, the Department of Health and Human Services, the Del Norte Senior Center, Redwood Cove Community Center, and a Coalition of Churches led by Foursquare Church.

## What are the roles of each partner agency?

**Community Assistance Network (CAN):** CAN serves as the lead agency for HARP and provides intake and eligibility assessment for individuals and families age 49 and under, rental assistance, utility assistance, case management, referrals to other agencies, and more.

**Del Norte Department of Health & Human Services (DHHS):** Intake and eligibility assessment for individuals and families already receiving assistance through one of their programs.

**Del Norte Senior Center & Redwood Cove Community Center:** Intake and eligibility assessments for seniors age 50 and over, short-term rental assistance, and case management.

**Rural Human Services/Harrington House:** Provides transitional shelter for women and children who are victims of domestic violence, plus related services such as case management, housing search assistance, and referrals for other resources.

**Church Coalition:** Foursquare Church, acting as the lead church, provides oversight to a coalition of churches which deliver life skills classes.

## How do I know if I am eligible to receive assistance?

The HARP Program has several eligibility requirements. In order to determine individual or family eligibility, it is necessary to complete an application, including:

- Application Form
- Identification
- Income verification/Passport to Services
- Eviction Notice or Lease Agreement (if you are at-risk of becoming homeless)
- Information about your situation
- Additional information upon request

## Who do I contact to start the process?

A description of services provided by all of the partners for this program are listed in the center of this brochure—all contact information for each partnering agency is listed on the back of this brochure. Please call the appropriate agency for more information and to request an application packet.

## Purpose of the HARP Program

- Provide rental and utility assistance to individuals and families who are homeless or at-risk of becoming homeless
- Improve Landlord/Tenant relations
- Provide Life Skills and other stabilization services which include: Budgeting, Housecleaning 101, Establishing and Maintaining Positive Credit, Roommate Conflict Resolution, Time Management and much more...
- Provide Case Management to help individuals and families identify strengths and concern areas used to develop comprehensive goals to ensure long-term stability and success
- Referrals to other agencies for services including: Job Training, Alcohol & Drug Services, Mental Health Services, Educational Opportunities and much more...

### **Community Assistance Network (CAN)**

355 Standard Veneer Road  
Crescent City, CA 95531  
(707) 464-9190

### **Del Norte Department of Health & Human Services (DHHS)**

880 Northcrest Drive  
Crescent City, CA 95531  
(707) 464-3191

### **Del Norte Senior Center/ Redwood Cove Community Center**

1765 Northcrest Drive  
Crescent City, CA 95531  
(707) 464-3069 or (707) 465-6045

### **RHS/Harrington House**

286 M Street  
Crescent City, CA 95531  
(707) 465-3013

### **Church Coalition/Foursquare Church**

144 Butte Street  
Crescent City, CA 95531  
(707) 464-9501

## **Homeless Active Remediation & Prevention (HARP) Program**

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