

2019 PROCEDURES FOR RESIDENT LOW INCOME SENIOR LIFETIME FISHING LICENSES

Age requirement = 65 years of age or older. Use any standard document for verification of age and residency.

INCOME = TAXABLE INCOME IS AT OR BELOW 100% OF THE OFFICIAL POVERTY LEVEL FOR AN INDIVIDUAL OR FAMILY (listed below)

In order to verify taxable income, income tax forms are required; accepted forms are listed below. If the person does not have one of the acceptable forms, they will need to sign an affidavit stating that they do not have sufficient income to fill out a tax form. Affidavits should be retained at the place of business for two years.

If a person has a tax form, you will need to verify the following two items: **taxable income and number of dependents**. Since there are several tax forms a person can use, the following chart shows the line on the form where this information can be found.

FORM #	DEPENDENTS	TAXABLE INCOME
1040EZ	* 1 or 2	LINE 6
1040	LINE 6D	LINE 43
1040A	LINE 6D	LINE 27

*Form 1040EZ can only be used if a person claims single or joint with no dependents. Therefore, *maximum number of persons in family or household can only be one or two.*

When you have found the number of dependents and the taxable income, compare with the following chart. This is 100% of the poverty level; the income **cannot be greater** than the amounts listed below.

2019 HHS Poverty Guidelines

Persons in Family or Household	48 Contiguous States and D.C.	Alaska	Hawaii
1	\$12,490	\$15,600	\$14,380
2	\$16,910	\$21,130	\$19,460
3	\$21,330	\$26,660	\$24,540
4	\$25,750	\$32,190	\$29,620
5	\$30,170	\$37,720	\$34,700
6	\$34,590	\$43,250	\$39,780
7	\$39,010	\$48,780	\$44,860
8	\$43,430	\$54,310	\$49,940
For each additional person, add	\$4,420	\$5,530	\$5,080

SOURCE: U.S. Dept. of Health & Human Services. In effect as of January 11, 2019.

<https://aspe.hhs.gov/poverty-guidelines>