

Applications are now being accepted for the Indiana Emergency Rental Assistance (IERA) program. Information can be found at [www.indianahousingnow.org](http://www.indianahousingnow.org). This program also offers help with past-due utilities (electric, gas, water, sewer and trash).

IERA is not available to residents of St. Joseph County: residents of St. Joseph County can apply for assistance by visiting [sjcindiana.com](http://sjcindiana.com).

Other forms of COVID-19 pandemic assistance are available to Hoosiers, including:

- **Mortgage assistance -- Please visit [877gethope.org](http://877gethope.org) to apply for help if you have fallen behind in your mortgage payments.**
- **Utility assistance -- The Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) is available to help Hoosiers pay their electric and heating bills. Visit [eap.ihcda.in.gov](http://eap.ihcda.in.gov) to learn more.**
- **Eviction and foreclosure prevention -- A free guide is available [online](#) providing resources to Hoosier homeowners who are facing eviction or foreclosure.**