

## **UCHC Sliding Fee Program**

### **What is a Sliding Fee?**

A sliding fee is a cost to you that is determined by your income and family size. For example, if you have very low income you will be asked to pay less for a service than someone who has more income

### **Can anyone apply for the sliding fee program?**

Yes. We encourage everyone to apply for the sliding fee program

### **Can I come to UCHC if I have insurance?**

Yes. We accept a large number of health insurance plans including Medicaid and Medicare. Be sure to bring your insurance card with you for any visits at UCHC.

### **Can I apply for the sliding fee program if I have insurance with high deductible or uncovered services?**

Yes. Insured patients may also be eligible for discounted services for uncovered insurance services based on income and family size

### **What do I need to bring to United Community Health Center to apply for the sliding fee program?**

- Your most recent income tax return for every working adult in your household
- One month of your most recent pay stubs for every working adult in your household
- Names, birthdates and social security numbers for each person in your household

### **Please review check list of other kinds of proof of income**

### **How much time do I have to complete and return my sliding fee application?**

All documentation including application needs to be received by UCHC within two weeks of your visit

## **Sliding Fee Application Check List**

### **Please bring one of the followings**

- \_\_\_ Current Federal Income Tax Form (Preferred)
- \_\_\_ Current Bank statement showing direct deposits for SS, SSI, SSD, FIP, Child Support
- \_\_\_ Pension Payments, Veteran's Benefits (Bank statement are good only for fixed income)
- \_\_\_ most recent one month of pay stubs
- \_\_\_ Court order for alimony or child support or print out for child support payments
- \_\_\_ Employer statement for cash wages (must include employer name, address & phone number)
- \_\_\_ award letter
- \_\_\_ A Print out report from office issuing payment (SS, SSI, SSD, unemployment, VA, etc.)
- \_\_\_ Self employed must furnish Federal Tax Return