

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE BENEFITS VERIFICATION FORM – 2025

The applicant listed below is applying for admission to the **Educational Opportunity Program (EOP) at The State University of New York at Fredonia**. EOP guidelines require verification of his/her total family income. In order to accurately assess your financial eligibility for the **2025-2026** school year, please have this form completed by your **case worker at Social Services** and return it to the Admissions Office, Maytum Hall, State University of New York at Fredonia, Fredonia, NY 14063. **Budget sheets and food stamps notices are not acceptable forms of documentation.**

Section 1: Student’s Information:

Student’s Name _____ Student’s Date of Birth _____

Address: _____

Street City State Zip Phone

Section 2: Release of Information: This release statement must be signed by you and your parent(s). If you are an independent student, this release statement must be signed by you. **“I give the Social Services Administration the authority to disclose to Fredonia the amount of Social Service benefits paid to myself and family members during 2023* as listed in Section III.” *EOP uses prior-prior year to verify a student’s financial eligibility.**

Student’s Name Student’s Social Security Number

Mother/Stepmother’s Name Mother/Stepmother’s Social Security Number

Father/Stepfather’s Name Father/Stepfather’s Social Security Number

Section 3: To be Completed by the Verifying Agency:

Name of Payee/Case Head _____

Type of benefit(s) received in **2023** _____

1. The **total amount of 2023** benefits allocated to the payee named above \$ _____

2. Period of coverage during **2023**: From _____ / _____ To _____ / _____

Month Year Month Year

3. The total number of family members covered under this case: _____

4. Family members covered under this case include: (names / relationship to payee)

Names Relationship to Payee

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Signature of Authorized Case Worker

Printed Name / Title of Case Worker

Telephone Number

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To submit this form electronically, save the completed form and email it to admissions@fredonia.edu with the subject line: “Last name first Initial EDP Public Assistance Form” (Example: SmithD EDP Public Assistance Form)