

HEALTH PROGRAM – Vision 2016-17
Outside 5 County Nimkee PRC Area

A. Qualifications:

1. Must be an enrolled Tribal Member of the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe or be a legal representative applying on behalf of the Tribal Member.
 - a. Any Member not living in the five county service area.
2. Must complete Vision Application and street address on application must match Tribal Clerks residence address record (no P.O. Box address).
3. Must be for purchase of new glasses, repair or replacement.

B. Nimkee PRC 5 County Service Area:

The service area is the following counties: Arenac, Clare, Isabella, Midland, and Missaukee.
At-Large/Member Services does not cover any Vision Expense for anyone living in the above PRC service area.

C. Frequency of Service:

A grant will be offered once every 2 years and must meet the guideline and funds are available.

D. Amount of Aid:

1. Grant shall have a minimum of \$50.00 and should not exceed \$139.00 for the fiscal year per member.
 - a. Fiscal year maximum allocation for Health Program Grants/Service is limited to \$1,000.00 per household. Vision Grants will only be reimbursed according to how often your insurance will pay.
Example: Single Lens reimbursed at \$104.00 and Bifocals reimbursed at \$139.00. No coverage for contacts.

E. Payments:

The applicant will be reimbursed to the amount of the approved grant upon verification of payment for services.

- a. Original invoice/billing statement showing “paid in full” must be provided with business name, address, phone number, and business tax identification.
- b. Original itemized receipt/statement including the amount that your insurance paid, must be provided for reimbursement showing Tribal Member as purchaser.

Grant closes the 1st Friday of September. All applications and supporting documentation must be received by At-Large Member Services by the 1st Friday of September.

Disclaimer: Subject to change by Tribal Council directive in writing.

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