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LIFE Program



The **LIFE** program (Local Initiative for Family Empowerment) is a homelessness prevention program offered by Family Promise Metrowest in Natick, MA. LIFE supports families who are at risk of eviction but not yet homeless by supplying subsidies to pay rent in arrears, advocating with the landlord to prevent eviction, and providing intensive case management.

Once the eviction is prevented and housing is stabilized, families continue to receive one year of case management, during which time they set and work toward goals that create permanent stability for their family. Monthly group

meetings bring together program participants to share resources and support, as well as enjoy educational opportunities to learn about life skills such as budgeting, parenting, and self-care.

Eligibility Criteria:

Applicants for the LIFE Program must meet the following criteria:

- Must be currently at risk of homelessness.
- Current housing must be sustainable with present income and expenses.
- Must have at least one child under the age of 18.
- Can be a one or two parent family (no gender restrictions).
- At least one parent must be employed.
- Must be able to meet monthly with case manager in our Natick office.
- Must be able to attend monthly workshops in our Natick office.
- Must be a resident of MA (priority is given to families in the metrowest region).
- Must be motivated to make healthy changes in their lives by establishing and working on goals.



To Apply:

Please call 508-318-4820 and ask to speak to Eliz, LIFE Program Coordinator.

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