

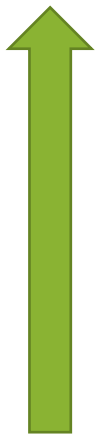
NLDAC Preference Category Table 2020

Program eligibility is based on the recipient's household income. The recipient's household income should be no greater than 350% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines (FPG). See the income guidelines below. If the recipient's household income is above 350% of FPG but the recipient would have difficulty assisting their donor, they can request a waiver for financial hardship. The donor's household income does not determine eligibility, but it is a factor in determining the application's priority for funding.

NLDAC Eligibility Screening Tool

Recipient Income Guidelines 350% HHS Federal Poverty Guidelines (FPG) 2020			
Household Number	48 Contiguous States and DC	Alaska	Hawaii
1	\$44,660	\$55,825	\$51,380
2	\$60,340	\$75,425	\$69,405
3	\$76,020	\$95,025	\$87,430
4	\$91,700	\$114,625	\$105,455
5	\$107,380	\$134,225	\$123,480
6	\$123,060	\$153,825	\$141,505
7	\$138,740	\$173,425	\$159,530
8	\$154,420	\$193,025	\$177,555

NLDAC Preference Category Matrix



	The Recipient	The Donor
Category 1	Income is below 350% FPG	Income is below 350% FPG
Category 2*	Income is below 350% FPG	Income is above 350% FPG, must demonstrate financial hardship
Category 3	Income is below 350% FPG	Income is above 350% FPG, but does not need to demonstrate financial hardship
Category 4	Income is above 350% FPG, must demonstrate financial hardship	Income may be above or below 350% FPG

Higher Preference

*Currently, NLDAC is not using Preference Category 2, so donors do not need to demonstrate financial hardship.