

Resource: FREE Government Phones

1. Q-Link Wireless

Phone:
1-855-754-6543

e-mail:
<https://qlinkwireless.com/members/support.aspx>

Website: <https://qlinkwireless.com/>

FREE Plan Features

Q Link Wireless

500 FREE Monthly Minutes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
UNLIMITED Text Messages	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Nationwide Long Distance	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Wifi Capable for Internet Access	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Voicemail and Call Waiting	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Caller ID and 3-Way Calling	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Free 911 and 411 Calls	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Lifeline Eligibility / How to Qualify

Only eligible individuals may enroll in the Lifeline program. Lifeline service is limited to only one wireless or landline Lifeline benefit per household. You also cannot receive Lifeline benefits from multiple service providers.

According to the Lifeline program, a household is defined as “any individual or group of individuals who live together at the same address and share income and expenses.” You may be eligible if you live at an address that consists of multiple households, such as a nursing home or homeless shelter. You may also be eligible if your address is temporary.

Eligibility for Lifeline varies by state, however, eligibility can be easily determined if you meet ONE of the two qualification criteria below:

1 WISCONSIN GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS

You may qualify for Lifeline if you participate in one of the following government programs:

Food Stamps / Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)

Medicaid (Medical Assistance)

Supplemental Security Income (SSI)

Veteran`s Pension and Survivors Pension Program

Federal Public Housing Assistance or Section 8

2 TOTAL HOUSEHOLD INCOME

You may also be eligible for Lifeline if your total household income is at or below your state’s Federal Poverty Guidelines. Federal guidelines may vary by state. Refer to the chart below to see your state’s income guidelines and see if you qualify.

The amounts listed in the chart below shows the maximum total household income you can earn in order to be eligible for Lifeline. Your income must be at or below the guidelines to qualify.

The current Federal Poverty Guidelines are as follows:

People in Household Annual Income Monthly Income

1	\$16,038	\$1,337
2	\$21,627	\$1,802
3	\$27,216	\$2,268
4	\$32,805	\$2,734
5	\$38,394	\$3,200
6	\$43,983	\$3,665
7	\$49,586	\$4,132
8	\$55,202	\$4,600

For each additional person add \$5,616 \$468

This chart is based on 2016 Federal Poverty Guidelines, which may vary by state and are subject to change.

2. SafeLink Wireless

Website:

<https://www.safelinkwireless.com/Enrollment/Safelink/en/NewPublic/index.html>



FEATURE PHONE PLAN

- ✓ 500 Minutes for Local and Long Distance Calls
- ✓ Unlimited Nationwide Text Messaging
- ✓ Roaming at No Additional Cost
- ✓ Free 911 even without Minutes¹
- ✓ Voicemail / Caller ID / Call Waiting

Minutes Do Not Carry Over if not used.
This Plan Contains No Data.



SMARTPHONE PLAN

- ✓ 350 Minutes For Local and Long Distance Calls
- ✓ 500MB of Data
- ✓ Unlimited Nationwide Text Messaging
- ✓ Roaming at No Additional Cost
- ✓ Free 911 even Without Minutes¹
- ✓ Voicemail / Caller ID / Call Waiting

Data & Minutes Do Not Carry Over if not used.



BRING YOUR OWN PHONE*

- ✓ 350 Minutes For Local and Long Distance Calls
- ✓ 1GB of Data for 3 months. After 3 months, **plan converts to 500MB of data each month.**
- ✓ Unlimited Nationwide Text Messaging
- ✓ Roaming at No Additional Cost
- ✓ Free 911 even Without Minutes¹
- ✓ Voicemail / Caller ID / Call Waiting

Data & Minutes Do Not Carry Over if not used

How to qualify

How do I qualify for SafeLink Wireless?

The Lifeline program is available to eligible consumers in selected states and territories. Actual requirements vary by state, but in general to qualify for Lifeline, **subscribers must either have an income that is at or below 135% of the federal Poverty Guidelines**, or participate in one of the following assistance programs:

- Medicaid
- Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) Food Stamps
- Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
- Federal Public Housing Assistance (Section 8)
- Veterans and Survivors Pension Benefit

Some states have additional eligibility under the following Tribal programs:

- Bureau of Indian Affairs General Assistance (BIA)

- Tribally Administered Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (Tribal TANF)
- Tribal Head Start (only those households meeting its income qualifying standard)
- Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR)