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Dallas County Offers Free AC Window Units to Combat Summer Heat

Dallas (July 28, 2025) – With soaring summer temperatures, Dallas County Health and Human Services (DCHHS) wants to remind Dallas County residents about the availability of free air conditioning unit installations to eligible residents through our **AC Window Unit Program**. This initiative aims to provide vital relief and prevent heat-related illnesses for the county's most vulnerable populations.

"As we head into the peak of summer, access to cooling is not just a comfort, but a critical health need," said Dr. Phil Huang, Director of DCHHS. "This program is designed to protect our seniors, families with young children, and residents with disabilities who are most susceptible to the dangers of extreme heat. We urge all who qualify to apply."

The DCHHS AC Window Unit Program provides and installs a window air conditioning unit for qualifying households. This direct assistance will help create safer indoor environments as temperatures continue to rise.

Who Is Eligible?

To qualify for the program, applicants must meet the following criteria:

- **Low-income Dallas County residents.**
- **Homes with no working air conditioning.**
- **Priority is given to households with:**
 - Senior citizens (60 years of age and older)
 - People with disabilities
 - Households with children aged 5 years and younger

Dallas County residents who meet the eligibility requirements or have special circumstances are encouraged to call **(214) 819-1909** to apply for the program.

DCHHS is committed to ensuring the health and safety of all Dallas County residents. This program is part of a broader effort to mitigate the impact of extreme weather on public health.

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