

Erie County Department of Social Services Vendor List

To add your name to the Erie County Department of Social Services (ECDSS)' vendor list please fill out the ECDSS Vendor Application. The application asks general information, including what products or services you may have for ECDSS customers. Please review the list carefully and indicate which products and/or services you would be interested in supplying. Send the completed application by email to DSSVendorApps@erie.gov, fax it to (716) 858-6956 or mail to 95 Franklin Street Room 406, Buffalo NY 14202. Applications received will be reviewed by DSS Administration.

Click here for the application: [Erie County Department of Social Services Vendor Application](#)

HEAP Vendor Participation

All vendors providing HEAP Clean and Tune service vendors and/or CAC services must have a signed agreement on file with the New York State Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance (OTDA) HEAP Bureau. This legally binding document provides both OTDA and participating vendors with assurances that vendors understand the scope of the work to be performed. In addition, it requires participating vendors to abide by the provisions set forth in the document. Vendors must be directed to contact the OTDA HEAP Bureau at: (518) 473-0332 or 1-866-270-HEAP (4327) to become a provider.

A list of HEAP participating vendors is updated on a daily basis and districts must confirm vendor participation using this list prior to authorizing a benefit.

<http://otda.ny.gov/programs/heap/documents/Vendor-Agreement-Repair-Replacement.pdf>

Application for Hotels/Motels to House Homeless Individuals and/or Families

To add your hotel/motel to a list of hotel accommodations available to provide shelter to homeless clients applying for or in receipt of Temporary Assistance benefits in Erie County when no other suitable public or private housing is available, please complete and submit the [Application for Hotels/Motels to House Homeless Individuals and/or Families](#). Applications will be reviewed to determine if they are complete and eligible. Approved providers will be utilized in a manner to address capacity and client needs, including but not limited to proximity to employment, treatment, and/or school.

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As of February 2025, we are not accepting applications for Hotels/Motels to House Homeless Individuals and/or Families.

