GENERAL ASSISTANCE

NOTICE

The Municipality of Canaan administers a General Assistance Program for the support of the poor. Pursuant to Title 22§4305, the municipal officers have adopted an ordinance establishing that program. A copy of this ordinance is available for public inspection at the Town Office. Also available for inspection is a copy of the State's General Assistance Statutes, as copies of the State law are made available to the municipality by the Maine Department of Human Services.

Persons who wish to apply for General Assistance may do so by calling 474-8682 or 474-8976 for an appointment during the following times:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 8:00am – 4:00pm

Wednesday 11:00am to 7:00pm

In an emergency, applicants may contact General Assistance Administrator at 431-1805

The Department of Human Services toll-free telephone number, to call with a question regarding the General Assistance Program is:

1-800-442-6003