

### Sliding Fee Discounts

Blackstone Valley Community health Care (BVCHC) has established a program that reduces fees charged to patients based on their income and family size. The categories we use are based on percentages of “Poverty Level” as annually determined by the federal government. Qualifying patients will pay a nominal fee if they qualify for 100% of poverty. Patients between 101% and 200% will pay a amount depending on their family size and percentage of poverty.

Every program has requirements and BVCHC’s Sliding Fee Program is no different. The federal government and other funding agencies require that we obtain specific information prior to establishing a sliding fee level. Sliding fee determinations are not made until the necessary documentation is provided.

Without Proof of Income, we will not be able to determine your sliding fee eligibility and you will be classified as a full pay patient.