



Twin Cities Campus Locations:
Minneapolis = 1510 Laurel Avenue, Minneapolis, MN 55403
St. Paul = 932 Concordia Ave, St. Paul, MN 55104
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APPLICATION INFORMATION

Thank you for your interest in Jeremiah Program. Jeremiah Program is an education and career-readiness program with integrated life skill training and coaching by qualified staff within a supportive housing setting. We partner with motivated parents who are willing to stretch themselves, grow, and develop their ability to be self-reliant and nurturing parents.

Mission Statement: To transform families from poverty to prosperity

Program Description: Jeremiah Program, with a broad-based coalition of partners, assists single mothers and their children to break the cycle of poverty by providing a campus community where they can prosper in all senses of the word. Our holistic programming actively supports women in completing post-secondary education by providing safe affordable housing, life skills education, empowerment training, and early childhood education.

Applicant Criteria:

1. Single mothers at least 18 years of age
2. Meet income requirements (see below for more details)
3. Hold High School diploma or a GED
4. Accepted or enrolled in a post secondary educational program accredited through The Higher Learning Commission (please refer to our List of Approved Post-Secondary Institutions)
5. All children under the age of 5 years at the time of application
6. Resident of Minnesota for a minimum of 2 years
7. All applicants are subject to a criminal background check (a criminal record of convictions that would affect the health, safety, or wellbeing of the other residents, or the staff or the viability of the property will be a basis for rejection), income verification, and urinalysis testing

Expectations of residents include:

- Maintain a 2.0 or greater GPA and remain in good standing with educational institution
- Maintain part-time employment
- Regular participation in Coaching sessions with an individual Life Skills Coach
- Participation in Life Skills education classes (one night a week)
- Participation in Resident Council meetings and activities
- Eligible children enrolled in onsite Child Development Center
- Quarterly apartment inspections conducted by Family Services staff and Property Management

- Adherence to Jeremiah Program Resident Handbook and lease agreement
- Residents pay 30% of their adjusted income for rent. Residents pay their own utilities (except heat and hot water, which are included in the rent) and are expected to maintain and pay for phone service.

Income Qualifications:

Minneapolis Campus

Household Size	Income Limits
2	\$32,350
3	\$36,400
4	\$40,450
5	\$43,700

St. Paul Campus

Household Size	Income Limits
2	\$20,100
3	\$22,650
4	\$25,150
5	\$27,150

Selection Process:

Applications are reviewed as received. Those families that meet the applicant criteria may be invited for an intake interview. After completion of the intake interview, candidates may be invited to participate in the pre-admissions process which includes a 16-week Empowerment training course, pre-admissions coaching and documentation collection. Pre-admission participation is a requirement for acceptance to the program. Upon successful participation in pre-admissions, an applicant may be invited to an admissions interview. The admissions decision is final. Actual admission for housing is based on unit availability/occupancy. Jeremiah Program reserves the right to close applications at anytime.

Campus Descriptions:

The Minneapolis Campus sits on the edge of downtown Minneapolis at 1510 Laurel Avenue. It is conveniently located in walking distance from several educational institutions. The Minneapolis campus consists of thirty-nine 2 and 3 bedroom apartments, a licensed child development center and a fenced-in safe playground.

The St. Paul Campus is located at 932 Concordia Avenue in the historic Rondo neighborhood. The St. Paul Campus consists of thirty-eight 2 and 3 bedroom apartments, a licensed child development center and a fenced-in safe playground.