

Lower Elwha Klallam Tribe
COVID-19 Health and Wellness Support Service
12 visit pool pass

SERVICE OVERVIEW

The COVID Health and Wellness Support Service 12 visit pool pass service is established by the Contract Health Service (CHS) for the promotion of health, wellness, and supporting Mental Health success and administered by the Lower Elwha Health Department.

During the COVID-19 pandemic LEKT families sustained unrecoverable losses in their academic, social, and physical development. The recovery from COVID is a long and intensive process that entails a myriad of support for wellness and mental health.

The goal of the COVID Health and Wellness 12 visit pool pass Service is aimed at beginning to overcome the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic by encourage and promote physical activity and promote health and wellness in LEKT families, youth and adults while lessening the families' financial burden and expanding opportunities to participate in wellness activities.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

This service is available to enrolled Lower Elwha Klallam Tribal members, and 1st generation Lower Elwha Klallam Tribal descendants who are not enrolled in another tribe, who live in the LEHD service area.

APPLICATION PROCESS

The application process requires:

1. Completion of a COVID-19 Health and Wellness Support Service needs assessment, and
2. Updated PAO21 on file with LEKT CHS.

The COVID-19 Health and Wellness 12 visit pool pass Needs Assessment form can be found online at www.elwha.org/COVID, and can be picked up in-person from the Lower Elwha Health Department.

The PAO21 form can be found online at <https://elwhahealth.org/services/contract-health-services/>, and can be picked up in-person from the Lower Elwha Health Department.

The LEHD Contract Health Services representative and the LEKT Elders Coordinator can provide assistance with completion of the application.

Forfeiture. The assistance offered under the COVID-19 Health and Wellness Pool 12 visit pool

pass may be revoked or forfeited for any beneficiary who is found to have misapplied service funds or to have made any misrepresentations during the application process. Assistance may also be forfeited should said benefits be treated as a resource to the detriment of the Tribe or a beneficiary. The Tribe shall have a right of recovery with regard to any excess or improper payments hereunder.

DISBURSEMENT OF BENEFITS

A gift certificate to the Shore Aquatic Center in the amount of a 12 visit pass will be disbursed to approved applicants. One (1) gift certificate will be issued per tribal member, or one (1) per household for the family passes.

The visit passes are for leisure swimming or water fitness classes. The gift certificate cannot be used for youth or adult swim lesson, room rentals, SPARK enrollment, or party packages.

SERVICE ADMINISTRATION

The Lower Elwha Health Department has the responsibility and authority to administer the COVID-19 Health and Wellness Pool 12 pass visit service. The Lower Elwha Health Department is empowered to take such actions as may be necessary for the proper administration of the COVID-19 Health and Wellness Pool 12 pass visit service, including the exercise of discretion in interpreting and applying service eligibility and other terms and conditions in a manner that is not inconsistent with the requirements of the General Welfare Code, or other applicable law. All decisions of the Lower Elwha Health Department upon all matters within the scope of this authority shall be binding and conclusive upon all persons.