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Questions? Call ESD Benefit
 Service Center at **800-479-6151**

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IMPORTANT:
 Information about your right to
 appeal this action and your rights
 under the Americans with
 Disabilities Act is on the back of this
 notice.

Notice of Decision

3SquaresVT

You are eligible for 3SquaresVT benefits from February 2, 2023 to January 31, 2024. Your 3SquaresVT began on February 2, 2023, so you will get part of a full month's benefit for that month. Please see the Payment Summary below.

3SquaresVT Payment Summary				
For	Amount	When	How Often	How
February, 2023	\$271.00	February 10, 2023	1 time only	EBT Food
March, 2023	\$281.00	March 1, 2023	1st of each month	EBT Food

If you do not use your EBT card at least every 274 days, you will lose the unused 3SVT benefits.

Your household is eligible for the homeless shelter deduction.

Your household is eligible for the homeless shelter deduction because you are considered homeless and you do not qualify for an excess shelter deduction, or the homeless deduction provides a larger deduction based on the information you provided to ESD. If you would like to see if you qualify for a larger shelter deduction, contact ESD. 7 USC 2014(e)(6)(D)(i).

How your 3SquaresVT were figured				
Old		New		
Minus standard deduction	-\$ 0.00	Minus standard deduction	-\$	193.00
Minus allowed shelter/utility	-\$ 0.00	Minus allowed shelter/utility	-\$	624.00
3SquaresVT income	=\$ 0.00	3SquaresVT income	=\$	0.00
3SquaresVT	\$ 0.00	3SquaresVT	\$	281.00

Individual Career Advancement Network (ICAN) Eligibility

The Individual Career Advancement Network (ICAN) helps you gain job skills, access training and certification programs, create resumes, find job leads and more, as you get ready for the right job. The following 3SquaresVT recipients can participant in ICAN:

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If you have a work requirement ICAN will help you meet it. You are not required to participate in ICAN to meet your work requirement, but it is an option available to you.

ICAN connects you with your local Employment Teams who will support you in the activities that can

help you find the right job including:

- Conducting job searches
- Connecting to employers in your area
- Getting or earning industry certifications
- Using the internet, printers and copiers
- Learning job-landing skills like resume writing and interviewing
- Gaining work experience
- Getting support from partners at Vocation Rehabilitation and Vermont Association of Business Industry and Rehabilitation

ICAN is personalized to your needs and will help you overcome the barriers that you may have to employment.

You can find out more or to get started go to the ICAN webpage, <https://dcf.vermont.gov/benefits/ICAN>. The webpage will include ICAN orientation, enrollment information and local resources. If you are unable to access the information online, you may call the Benefits Service Center to get connected to your Local ICAN team.

Special Messages

Keep the Post Office up to date on where you live and put your name on your mailbox. The post office will not forward our mail, you must tell us when you change your address.

Please use the enclosed Change Report form to report changes in your situation. You may also call or write us to report changes. Please see the back of this notice for a list of what you have to report.

You will get a Vermont Express (EBT) card in a few days along with information on how to use it to get your benefits. 3SquaresVT and Reach Up benefit amounts are available through your EBT card each month unless we send you a notice that your benefits have changed. Fuel Assistance benefit amounts are issued one time only.

Keep your EBT card. We will not send you a new card each month. You do not need to choose a PIN (Personal Identification Number) if you already have one. If you do not have a PIN or have forgotten your PIN, call 1-800-914-8605.

You are budgeted the maximum utility allowance in your 3SquaresVT budget because you are eligible for a Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) fuel benefit.

LIHEAP Fuel Benefit Information: A one time \$21.00 LIHEAP fuel benefit has been issued to your EBT card. If your housing situation changes, you could be eligible for a larger LIHEAP fuel benefit. Visit our website at www.mybenefits.vt.gov to apply for fuel assistance or check the status of other benefits. **WARNING:** If you do not use your EBT cash benefit within 90 days, it will expire and no longer be available to you.

This notice is based on facts for February, 2023 through March, 2023.

To find out more about Agency of Human Services programs, visit our website:
www.screendoor.vermont.gov.

To find out about services in your community, visit www.vermont211.org, or dial 211 on your phone.

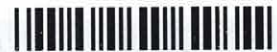
Getting 3SquaresVT Qualifies You For Lifeline

If you get 3Squares VT, you qualify for Lifeline - a federal program that provides a monthly discount on phone or internet service. One benefit is allowed per household: either phone (wireless or landline) or internet service (home or mobile data).

To learn more, call 1-800-234-9473 where you will learn how to contact your provider and how to enroll. If you're age 60 or older, you can also call the Senior Helpline at 1-800-642-5119.

If you applied for other programs, not included in this notice, you will be receiving a separate notice about your eligibility for those programs.

By: Economic Services Division (SM2)



Change Report Form

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You must report changes if you receive benefits from the Economic Services Division. If you are not sure what you must report, call the *Benefits Service Center* at 1-800-479-6151.

The Change Report is for you to use if, now or in the future, there are any changes you need to report. If you need more space, attach a separate sheet. A worker will process the information and you will get a notice if your benefits change.

Name:	SSN (last 4 digits):	Date of Birth:
Mailing Address:		
Physical Address:		
Phone Number:	Is this a new address? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

Programs I currently receive: ☐ 3SquaresVT ☐ 3Squares in a Snap ☐ Reach Up/PSE/ Reach Ahead
☐ Essential Person ☐ Fuel Assistance

Please Check the boxes and fill in only the things that have changed.

1. Household Member Change ☐ No Change- go to next question

	Person 1	Person 2	Person 3
Date moved (in or out):	<input type="checkbox"/> In <input type="checkbox"/> Out	<input type="checkbox"/> In <input type="checkbox"/> Out	<input type="checkbox"/> In <input type="checkbox"/> Out
Name:			
Birth Date:			
Social Security number:			
Shares household expenses:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Relationship to you:			
Sex:	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
Student:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Want benefits:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Purchase and prepares food with you:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Received TANF since 1996:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

2. Shelter Expense and Utility Change ☐ No Change- go to next question

Homeowner	Renter
Mortgage (principal and interest only):	Total Rent:
Property Tax (Total Tax):	Your portion of rent:
Property Tax (state payment):	Subsidized housing? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Property Tax (net tax due):	Section 8 housing? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Condo Fees:	Do you rent a room? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Lot Rent:	Are meals included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Amount of Home Equity Loan:	Landlord name:
Homeowners Insurance:	Landlord address:
	Landlord phone number:

Name of person who pays:	Check all that apply	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Heat <input type="checkbox"/> Hot water <input type="checkbox"/> Cooking <input type="checkbox"/> Lights <input type="checkbox"/> Air Conditioning	
Main type of fuel used to heat your home	<input type="checkbox"/> Coal <input type="checkbox"/> Kerosene <input type="checkbox"/> Oil <input type="checkbox"/> Propane Gas <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Electricity <input type="checkbox"/> Natural Gas <input type="checkbox"/> Pellets <input type="checkbox"/> Wood	
	Name on account:	Account number: