How To Apply for Benefits on benefind
What is benefind?

benefind is a website where you can apply for benefits like:

- Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) – helps you buy healthy foods for you and your family.
- Medicaid – helps cover medical care costs.
- Kentucky Transitional Assistance Program (KTAP) – helps pay for basic needs like rent, utilities, and other household expenses.

You can access benefind by visiting benefind.ky.gov from any computer with internet.

Applying Benefits in benefind

Rather than visiting your local DCBS office, you can use benefind to apply for benefits. Please note, that you may still be required to call or visit your local DCBS office if benefind says that your eligibility is pending.

Follow the steps below to learn how to access the application to apply for benefits through benefind.

1. Open your internet browser and go to benefind.ky.gov.
2. Click the Log In link in the top right corner of the benefind homepage.
3. Enter your Kentucky Online Gateway Citizen Account username or email address and click the Log In button.

Note: If you have not already created a Kentucky Online Gateway Citizen Account, go to the Creating a Kentucky Online Gateway Citizen Account section to learn how.

4. Read the warning consent text and click Reject or Accept.

Note: If you click Reject, you will not be permitted to enter benefind and will be automatically signed out of your account.
5. Click the **Visit the marketplace for Individual and Families** button.

6. On your benefind account homepage, there is an **Ongoing Applications** section. Click the **Continue** link in the **Action Required** column to continue filling out your application.

7. If you would like to start a new application, click the **Start an application** link on the left side of the benefind homepage.