



Working Together to Improve  
the Quality of Life for Seniors



## Cheryl Wilson Memorial Fund

The Cheryl Wilson Memorial Fund provides small grants to persons 55+ years who demonstrate need and the ability to remain solvent after receiving a grant.

### Requirements for Cheryl Wilson Memorial Fund

The following criteria must be met to be considered for financial assistance to meet emergent needs.

Applicant must reside in Broward County. Proof of residency must be submitted with the application. (Driver's License, State ID card or Passport)

Application must be supported by a BCOA member

Applicant must have an annual income that is at or below 150% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines

Applicant must show proof of Household Income (IRS Tax Filing)

Applicant must provide statement of reasons for assistance

Applicant must be an individual age 55 years or older

Applicant has not received emergency financial assistance from any other organization within the last 12 months

Applicant must demonstrate a critical need for the grant and financial stability to remain solvent after the grant

Applicant must complete the application on their own. If assistance is needed all applicant responses must be narrated to person assisting in preparing the application

Applicant must give permission to use their "story" (anonymously) with an option to use their name and/or photo

Applicant must submit an invoice from the vendor for the required amount of funds

Grants will be paid to the vendor for one-time basic needs. Due to limitations of funds, applications will be considered case-by-case. Incomplete applications will not be approved.

Submit application and attachments to: [CherylWilsonFund@bcoaf.org](mailto:CherylWilsonFund@bcoaf.org)

**BCOA Mission:** *To assist Broward's aging population through education, resources and grant support by providing networking, training and referral opportunities for professionals serving seniors.*