

Program provides up to a \$13.50 credit on qualified residential customers' local monthly phone bills.

Link-Up Florida provides a 50% reduction in the telephone service hook-up charge, up to a maximum of \$30.00.

Making telephone service affordable to low-income consumers in our state.

You may be eligible for savings if you receive benefits under one of these programs:

- ◆ Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF)
- ◆ Supplemental Security Income (SSI) ◆ Medicaid
- ♦ Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)
- ♦ Federal Public Housing Assistance (Section 8)
 ♦ Food Stamps
 - ♦ National School Lunch Free Lunch Program (NSL)
 - Bureau of Indian Affairs programs
- Tribal TANF ◆ Head Start Subsidy ◆ National School Lunch Free Lunch Program (NSL)

If you are at or below 135% of the poverty level, but not currently receiving benefits from one of the listed programs, you may be able to qualify by contacting the Office of Public Counsel in Tallahassee at 1-800-540-7039.

Some wireless and competitive local exchange companies (CLECs) also offer the Lifeline Assistance and Link-Up Florida Programs.



P R O C R A M S

If you have questions about eligibility, or would like to sign-up for either of these programs, please check the front pages of your telephone directory and

CALL YOUR LOCAL TELEPHONE COMPANY

or the Florida Public Service Commission at 1-800-342-3552. <u>www.floridapsc.com</u>