



Monetary Benefits of Service

Living Allowance (pre-tax)	\$16,000
Education Award (pre-tax)	\$6,345
Healthcare (if enrolled) \$386.37 per month, no cost to member	\$4,636.44
Housing Discount* \$922 per mo, per bedroom average cost in Newport Member pays \$300 per month Discount of \$622 per month for 11 months	\$6,842
SNAP Benefits Average monthly benefit of \$220 per month	\$2,640
Professional Development Funds	\$100
700 miles reimbursed by LEAP Reimbursed at federal rate, current .56	\$392
Mileage reimbursed by GMFTS, .51 per mile, average of \$150 per month, per member	\$1,800
Trainings offered to members for free by LEAP Meals included at average of \$9 per member, per training Facilitator a space free for members. Average cost of \$300 per training Average of 5 per year	\$1,545
SerVermont Conferences, no cost to member Includes overnight accommodations, trainings, & meals Average cost per member: \$350 per member, per conference 2 per year	\$700
TOTAL BENEFITS PACKAGE	\$41,000.44

*housing discount is based on January 2022 rental rates from Zillow. We looked at 5 large houses for rent and took the average cost per room of those houses to determine average monthly room rate in Newport.

Non-Monetary Benefits of Service

- Knowledge gained through access to a variety of free trainings
- Hands on experience in the field
- Networking
- Resume building