NYC Benefits Screening Chart .15, December 2021 nolemented on: CESS NYC: nyc.gov/ACCESSNYC Screening API: screeningapidocs.cityofnewyork.us ontact: screeningapi@nycopportunity.nyc.gov This indicates how different types of household information are used to screen for potential eligibility for public benefits, but this information does not represent an eligibility determination and is subject to change. Annotations Key Program Name & Type Cash & Expenses Age / Population This type of information is considered in the screening. Cash Assistance 18 and older Child and Dependent Care Tax Credit Families with children under 13 These specific factors are considered in the screening. Child Tax Credit Household with a member under 18 Disabled Homeowners' Exemption (DHE) 18 and older 1 Children living in the household Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC) 25 and older, under 65, unless you have a child 2 18+ year old children living in the home who are students or 18 and older Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP) 11 School Tax Relief (STAR) No age requirement 3 Supplemental Security Income; Social Security Disability Senior Citizen Homeowners' Exemption (SCHE) 65 and older Benefits 4 Receiving Cash Assistance, Child Support, Social Security Unemployment Insurance No age requirement Survivor's Benefit, SSI, and/or unemployment benefit, Veterans Veterans' Property Tax Exemption No age requirement Pension, Disability related Medicaid Cooling Assistance Benefit No age requirement Fair Fares 18 and older, under 65 5 Includes foster children NYC Free Tax Prep No age requirement Lifeline No age requirement 6 Dependent Care Cost, Child Support, Rent or Mortgage. Emergency Broadband Benefit (EBB) No age requirement Medical Expenses Financial Empowerment Centers 18 and older Child Care 7 Supplemental Security Income or Cash Assistance Child is at least 6 weeks old and younger than 5, or child is EarlyLearn 20 Receiving Disability related Medicaid younger than 18 if blind or disabled. Head Start Child is 2 years and 9 months and older, under 5. Child or step child or other person who is 12 and younger, Child or step child who is blind or disabled, age 18 and Child Care Voucher under and student . or Other person (not child or step child) who is blind or disabled and age 18 and unde City ID Card IDNYC 10 and older These specific factors are required for potential eligibility in Education the screening. Pre-K for All Child is 4 by end of current year 3-K for All Child is 3 by end of current year 8 Worked in the last 18 months Comprehensive After School System of NYC (COMPASS NYC) 5 and older, under 21 9 A homeowner 10 Child care or dependent care costs **Family Services** Family Planning Benefit Program (FPBP) 10 and older, under 65 11 Heating Bill NYC Nurse-Family Partnership (NYC NFP) Up to 28th week of pregnancy, and for first child 12 Primary renter with name on lease NYC NY Connects No age requirement Food 13 Pregnant Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP) 60 and older 14 Must have proof of Supplemental Security Income or Social SchoolFood under 22 Security Disability Benefits or Veterans Pension/Benefits for NYS Community Meals under 19 Disability Benefits or Disability Related Medicaid Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) No age requirement Women, Infants and Children (WIC) Children under 5 15 A Housing Authority resident Health Health Insurance Assistance 18 and older 16 A resident of these housing types: Rent-stabilized or Rent Medicaid for Pregnant Women Pregnant & new parents Controlled; Housing Development Fund Company (HDFC) Home Care Services Program (HCSP) No age requirement Cooperative; Mitchell-Llama; Section 213 Cooperative COVID-19 Vaccines 5 and older 17 Must spend more than 1/3 of income on Rent ousing 16 12 Disability Rent Increase Exemption (DRIE) 18 and older 18 and older Section 8 Housing These specific factors are disqualifying for potential Senior Citizen Rent Increase Exemption (SCRIE) 62 and older 17 12 eligibility in the screening. Public Housing 18 and older Emergency Rental Assistance Program (ERAP) No age requirement 18 Medicaid or Family Health Plus Recipient Learn & Earn (formerly In-school Youth Employment (ISY)) 14 and older, under 21 19 Are currently pregnant NYCHA Resident Economic Empowerment and Sustainability 18 and older (RFFS) Senior Employment Services (SES) 55 and older Summer Youth Employment Program (SYEP) 14 and older, under 25 Workforce1 18 and older Train & Earn 16 and older, under 25