



CarefreeCredit guidance on navigating Braemar Finance Fast Track System (lending platform)

The following slides will show a screen by screen step on how to complete the eligibility & affordability checks

Before the applicant can proceed with their application you need to ensure they are eligible to apply and you have discussed affordability with them.

Eligibility Check:

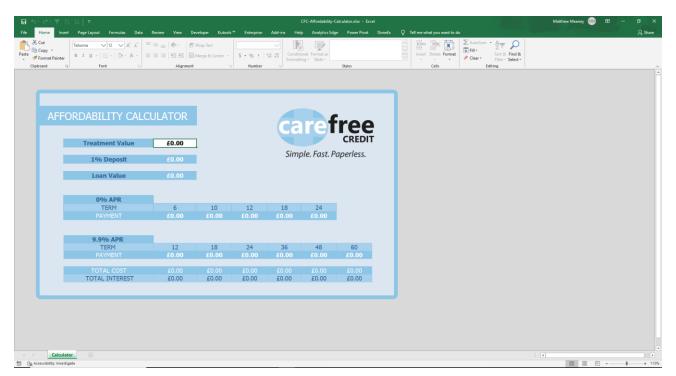
- 1. Is the applicant over the age of 18? (If **NO**, they are **not** eligible to apply)
- 2. Have an income over £8000? (If **NO**, they are **not** eligible to apply)
- 3. Been a UK resident for 3 years or more? (If **NO**, they are **not** eligible to apply)
- 4. Do they have any CCJ's in last 3 years? (If **YES**, they are **not** eligible to apply)
- 5. Do they have any accounts in default? (If **YES**, they are **not** eligible to apply)
- 6. Do they have a UK bank account that supports Direct Debits? (If **NO**, they are <u>not</u> eligible to apply)
- 7. Do they have an email address? (if **NO**, they must be able to **provide a family/spouse email**)

IMPORTANT: Applicants must be employed or in receipt of full disability or carers allowance. **NO** other benefits are accepted.

If the applicant is eligible to apply the next step is to discuss the cost of the treatment. You can estimate the costs if treatment has not been completed and amend this at a later date.

We send an 'Affordability Calculator' as part of your resources. Please download this onto each practice computer to ensure easy access.

It is pre-set with terms you can offer and will calculate 1% of the value as this is the minimum deposit set by the lender.



All finance offered is subject to age/status and a full credit check carried out on the applicant, which they must be made aware of prior to completing their application. (This is also confirmed at the time of their application).

Once the applicant has had time to choose the most affordable payment, and they have confirmed they are happy to proceed, the next stage is the credit application.

There are 2 options:-

- Online (Send a link): This is the most preferred option and the easiest. The lender system is smart phone compatible which enables the applicant to complete the details on their phone in the practice.
- In-store (face to face): This can only be done if the staff member has completed the modules and test. Staff must ensure they have privacy to obtain the clients personal information for this process.

Online Application (Send a link)

How client pays:

When an applicant is applying ONLINE (send a link) they also pay the deposit online by entering their bank details. The deposit taken is the amount entered at the time of application (minimum 1%).

How practice gets paid:

When the deposit is paid by the applicant it is held by the lender (Braemar Finance) and released to the practice when payment has been requested by them.

Example

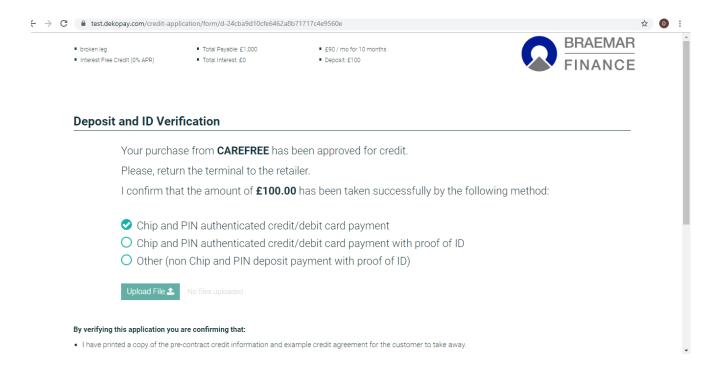
Mr J Bloggs applied for and was Accepted for £1000 over 12 months on Interest Free Credit Deposit = £10 (paid by client and held by Lender until payment requested. This will then be included in payment amount.)

Subsidy is calculated on the remaining £990 = £80.19 (subsidy) will be deducted by Lender Practice completes for £1000 and requests payment. £1000 (applied amount) - £80.19 (subsidy) = £919.81 will be paid

In-Store Application (Face to Face)

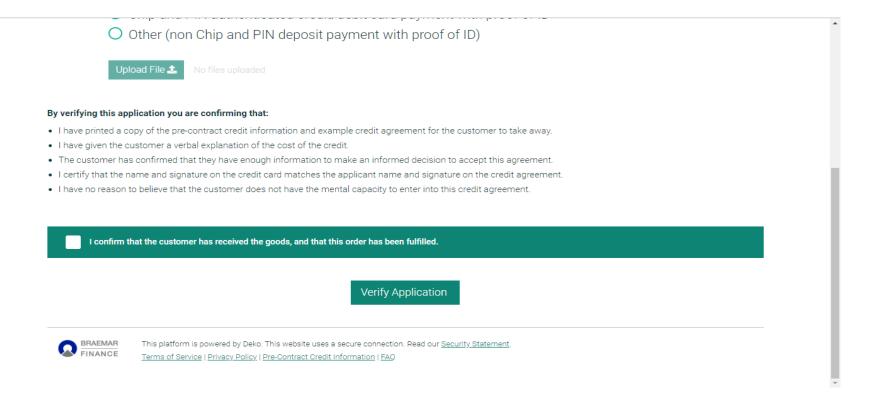
How applicant pays:

When an applicant is applying In-Store (Face to Face) they pay the deposit directly to the practice. The easiest option is by 'Chip and PIN' as other payment methods need the applicants ID to be uploaded.

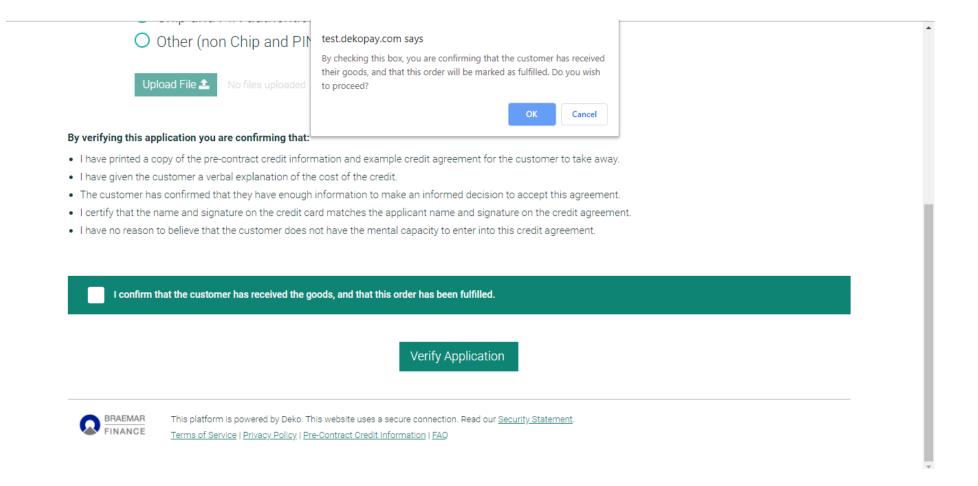


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Practice then needs to tick to confirm the applicant has received the Goods/Treatment.



Practice then needs to confirm the next screen:



How practice gets paid:

When the deposit it paid by the client it has been paid directly to the practice and therefore will be deducted from the payment sent by the lender.

Example

Mr J Bloggs applied for and was Accepted for £1000 over 12 months on Interest Free Credit

Deposit = £100 (paid by client directly to the practice).

Subsidy is calculated on the remaining £900 = £72.90 (subsidy) will be deducted by Lender Practice completes for £1000 and requests payment. £1000 (applied amount) - £100 (Deposit paid to practice) - £72.90 (subsidy) = £827.10 will be paid by the lender to the practice.