

LIHEAP (Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program) - General Information

Applications are usually accepted October 1 - April 30 of each program year (heating season). The following items are required:



- ▶ Complete **all sections** of the application, including your signature. Items that don't apply should be marked "**none**" or "**n/a**", not left blank.
- ▶ **Include everyone** who resides in the home, even if they just moved in and/or are considered a "separate household" for other programs.
- ▶ Recent bill or "letter of service" from your one main **heating provider** and recent **electricity bill**.
- ▶ Verification of **all income**, from **all sources**, for **all current household members** – see below.
- ▶ **All pages** of a recent statement for **all bank/credit union accounts**. Verification of the current balance of all Direct Express cards, ReliaCards, Direct Deposit payroll cards, CDs, IRAs, stocks, bonds, investments, TSAs, 401(k)s, 403(b)s, or any other retirement/investment accounts.

2023/24 LIHEAP Heating Season

Household Members	<u>Income Limit</u> 1 Month Prior to Application Submitted (Averaged by 12)	<u>Income Limit</u> 12 Month Average (using 1 Month Prior to Application Submitted)	<u>Resource Limit</u> (excludes home, vehicles & some retirement accounts)
1	\$2,483.00	\$29,796	\$13,277
2	\$3,247.00	\$38,964	\$19,924
3	\$3,787.50	\$48,132	\$21,253
4	\$4,509.00	\$57,300	\$22,582
5	\$5,230.41	\$66,468	\$23,911

<u>Application Submitted in the month of:</u>	<u>Provide income verification for the month of:</u>	<u>Application Submitted in the month of:</u>	<u>Provide income verification for the month of:</u>
September 2023	August 2023	January 2024	December 2023
October 2023	September 2023	February 2024	January 2024
November 2023	October 2023	March 2024	February 2024
December 2023	November 2023	April 2024	March 2023

Contact CAPNM for more information:

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- LIHEAP processing can take up to 45 days and are processed in the order they are received.
- Energy Share of MT may be able to help if you have an energy "crisis" (past due/disconnect).
- LIHEAP benefits can be used only during the "heating season" of October 1 - April 30.
- Benefit amounts aren't based on energy usage and are for 1 main heat type only.
- If approved for LIHEAP, you're also added to the "priority list" for Weatherization.