

Fiscal Year 2027
Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP)
Income Eligibility and Benefit Levels

Number of People in a Household	100% of Federal Poverty Level	125% of Federal Poverty Level	150% of Federal Poverty Level	175% of Federal Poverty Level	200% of Federal Poverty Level	60% of Estimated State Median Income
1	\$ 15,960	\$ 19,950	\$ 23,940	\$ 27,930	\$ 31,920	\$ 53,585
2	\$ 21,640	\$ 27,050	\$ 32,460	\$ 37,870	\$ 43,280	\$ 70,073
3	\$ 27,320	\$ 34,150	\$ 40,980	\$ 47,810	\$ 54,640	\$ 86,561
4	\$ 33,000	\$ 41,250	\$ 49,500	\$ 57,750	\$ 66,000	\$ 103,049
5	\$ 38,680	\$ 48,350	\$ 58,020	\$ 67,690	\$ 77,360	\$ 119,536
6	\$ 44,360	\$ 55,450	\$ 66,540	\$ 77,630	\$ 88,720	\$ 136,024
7	\$ 50,040	\$ 62,550	\$ 75,060	\$ 87,570	\$ 100,080	\$ 139,116
8	\$ 55,720	\$ 69,650	\$ 83,580	\$ 97,510	\$ 111,440	\$ 142,207
9	\$ 61,400	\$ 76,750	\$ 92,100	\$ 107,450	\$ 122,800	\$ 145,299
10	\$ 67,080	\$ 83,850	\$ 100,620	\$ 117,390	\$ 134,160	\$ 148,390
11	\$ 72,760	\$ 90,950	\$ 109,140	\$ 127,330	\$ 145,520	\$ 151,482
12	\$ 78,440	\$ 98,050	\$ 117,660	\$ 137,270	\$ 154,573	\$ 154,573
13	\$ 84,120	\$ 105,150	\$ 126,180	\$ 147,210	\$ 157,665	\$ 157,665
14	\$ 89,800	\$ 112,250	\$ 134,700	\$ 157,150	\$ 160,756	\$ 160,756
15	\$ 95,480	\$ 119,350	\$ 143,220	\$ 163,848	\$ 163,848	\$ 163,848
16	\$ 101,160	\$ 126,450	\$ 151,740	\$ 166,939	\$ 166,939	\$ 166,939
17	\$ 106,840	\$ 133,550	\$ 160,260	\$ 170,031	\$ 170,031	\$ 170,031
Homeowners and Non-Subsidized Housing Tenants						
Deliverable Fuel (Oil, Propane, Kerosene & Other)	\$1,450	\$1,276	\$1,123	\$988	\$988	\$870
Utility and Heat- Included-in-Rent	\$1,000	\$880	\$774	\$681	\$681	\$600
High Energy Cost Supplement	\$200	\$180	\$160	\$140	\$140	\$120
Subsidized Housing Tenants						
Deliverable Fuel (Oil, Propane, Kerosene & Other)	\$1,015	\$893	\$786	\$692	\$692	\$609
Utility and Heat- Included-in-Rent	\$700	\$616	\$542	\$477	\$477	\$420
High Energy Cost Supplement	\$200	\$180	\$160	\$140	\$140	\$120
High Energy Cost Supplement (HECS) Thresholds						
Heating Oil & Propane	\$1,948		Natural Gas	\$1,542	Other	\$1,174
Kerosene	\$1,622		Electricity	\$1,957		

Note: Contact EOHLC to determine eligibility for a household of 18 and above.

Sources (Income Level): "Annual Update of the HHS Poverty Guidelines, *Federal Register*, January 15, 2026 (91 FR 1797-1798) and

"Federal Poverty Guidelines and State Median Income Estimates ... Mandatory Use in FY26 LIHEAP", USHHS, OCS, DEA, *LIHEAP-IM-2026-01*

The **Benefit Amount** awarded to eligible households is based on several household factors reflected on this chart. Those include the number of people in a household, their gross income, the energy source, and the housing situation.

The **High Energy Cost Supplement** is an additional benefit provided only to qualifying, eligible HEAP households whose previous year's heating source costs exceed the above listed HECS thresholds.

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