EMERGENCY HOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE FOR THE ELDERLY PROGRAM

Get Help With Your Utility Bills

EHEAP is a 100% federally-funded home energy assistance program for elders. Eligible seniors may receive up to \$5,000 of assistance. To apply, contact your local Area Agency on Aging (AAA) or call the Elder Helpline.

1-800-96-ELDER (1-800-963-5337)

Who Is Eligible?

- Are you or someone in your household age 60 or older?
- Have you received a past due, final, or disconnection notice?
- Do you meet income guidelines: elderaffairs.org/eheap?

What Assistance Does EHEAP Provide?

Utility categories eligible for heating and cooling bill assistance include electricity, natural gas, propane, wood, coal, and refillable fuels.

Benefits may also be used for:

- Pre-paying energy bills.
- Purchasing blankets, portable fans, space heaters, and window air conditioners.
- Repairing an existing heating/cooling unit.
- Charges from a now-closed account previously held by the elder resident.
- Deposits to connect or restore utilities.
- Late, disconnect, and reconnect fees.
- Utility costs that are included in rent.
- Temporary shelter due to an energy-related emergency.





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