Fiscal Year 2022Low Income **Home Energy Assistance** Program

Income Eligibility Chart

Family Size (# of people in the 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	\$12,880	\$16,100	\$19,320	\$22,540	\$25,760	\$40,951	
2	\$17,420	\$21,775	\$26,130	\$30,485	\$34,840	\$53,551	
3	\$21,960	\$27,450	\$32,940	\$38,430	\$43,920	\$66,151	
4	\$26,500	\$33,125	\$39,750	\$46,375	\$53,000	\$78,751	
5	\$31,040	\$38,800	\$46,560	\$54,320	\$62,080	\$91,351	
6	\$35,580	\$44,475	\$53,370	\$62,265	\$71,160	\$103,951	
7	\$40,120	\$50,150	\$60,180	\$70,210	\$80,240	\$106,314	
8	\$44,660	\$55,825	\$66,990	\$78,155	\$89,320	\$108,676	
9	\$49,200	\$61,500	\$73,800	\$86,100	\$98,400	\$111,039	
10	\$53,740	\$67,175	\$80,610	\$94,045	\$107,480	\$113,401	

Energy Saving Tips

- · Caulk and weather-strip doors and windows that leak air.
- · When home, turn down the heat to 68° F or as low as comfortable.
- \cdot When you are asleep or away from home, turn thermostat back 7° to 10° for eight hours and save as much as 10% a year on your heating and cooling bills.
- · Consider getting a programmable thermostat.
- \cdot Turn down the temperature of your hot water heater to 120°.
- \cdot Have your oil-fired heating system serviced annually or your gas-fired heating system serviced every three years.
- · Clean or replace furnace filters every other month.
- · Keep the fireplace flue damper closed unless a fire is burning.
- \cdot Check that warm air registers, baseboard heaters and radiators are not blocked by furniture or drapes.
- · Close your curtains and shades at night; open them during the day.

Contact Us

For more information about our services.

Massachusetts
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100 Cambridge Street
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Boston, MA 02114





HOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE

Cold Relief

DIVISION OF COMMUNITY SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT



40 Years in Service

August 13, 2021 is the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program's 40th anniversary! 40 years ago, the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1981 was signed into law on August 13, 1981, authorizing and establishing the Home Energy Assistance Program we offer today. Four decades of success could not have happened without the incredible work of so many people, from federal partners at the Office of Community Services, to State leaders at offices like DHCD and local agencies in all communities across the country.

For forty years, this national program has helped low-income families pay their home heating and cooling bills. This program is at the core of Health and Human Services' mission—enhancing the health and well-being of all those in need. An estimated 5.3 Million households across the United States received assistance with heating and cooling costs through LIHEAP.



What You Need To Know

All eligible homeowners and renters, including households whose cost of heat is included in the rent, can apply at a LIHEAP agency in their area — visit **www.mass.gov/hed/fuel** (or scan QR code below) for the listing! Eligibility is based on a number of factors, including but not limited to, household size and the gross annual income of every household member 18 years of age or older.

Household income cannot exceed 60% of estimated State Median Income. You will be provided more information on the application process when you contact your local LIHEAP agency.

Call the DHCD **Heat**line
1-800-632-8175
Find Someone to Help You in Your City/Town
www.mass.gov/hed/fuel

Energy Assistance Programs

Home Energy Assistance - LIHEAP

helps pay a portion of eligible households' home heating bill during the winter season.

HEARTWAP - a year round program that serves LIHEAP eligible households with heating system repair, replacement and maintenance services.

Weatherization Assistance Program - a year round program that serves LIHEAP eligible households with air sealing, attic/sidewall insulation, weather-stripping and weatherization related repairs.



Agency Listing

"On behalf of Governor
Charlie Baker and
Lieutenant Governor Karyn
Polito, the Department of
Housing and Community
Development proudly
continues to provide eligible
individuals and families with
home heating assistance
and energy services
throughout the
Commonwealth."

Jennifer Maddox Undersecretary, DHCD

Other Helpful Information

New! Beginning in FY 2022 new and returning households may apply for Home Energy Assistance online via the applicant portal! Simply visit https://www.toapply.org/MassLIHEAP (or the QR code below)! Your local agency is available to assist you as needed.

Water & Sewer Bill Assistance - When applying for Home Energy Assistance in FY 22, be sure to provide your local agency with your water and sewer account information, if available, as there is funding for a households' water and sewer service costs.

Rental Assistance - Many households are experiencing difficulties with rental arrearages across the Commonwealth. Help is available at local Rental Assistance Agencies! Contact your local agency for more information!





MA Applicant Portal

Energy Assistance To find the local energy assistance agency nearest you, match the number beside the Agencies

Action for Boston Community Development, Inc. (ABCD) 178 Tremont Street Boston, MA 02111 (617) 357-6012 www.bostonabcd.org

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Action for Boston Community 8 Development, Inc. (ABCD Malden) 18 Dartmouth Street Malden, MA 02148 (781) 322-6284 www.bostonabcd.org

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Action, Inc. 47 Washington Street Gloucester, MA 01930 (978) 281-3900 1-800-696-9276 www.actioninc.org

Berkshire Community Action Council, Inc. (BCAC) 1531 East Street Pittsfield, MA 01201 (413) 445-4503 - Pittsfield (413) 663-3014 - North Adams ⁽⁹⁷⁸⁾ 681-4950 - Lawrence 1-866-216-6200 - Toll Free www.bcacinc.org

Community Action, Inc. (CAI) 3 Washington Square Haverhill, MA 01830 (978) 374-7660 Auto line (978) 373-1971 - Haverhill www.communityactioninc.org Hyannis, MA 02601

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City of Cambridge, Department of Human Services 12 LEO, Inc. 51 Inman Street 156 Broad Street Cambridge, MA 02139 Lvnn, MA 01901 617-665-6234 https://www.cambridgema.gov/⁽⁷⁸¹⁾ 581-7220 iwantto/applyforfuelassistance www.leoinc.org

Community Action Programs Inter-City, Inc. (CAPIC) 100 Everett Street, Unit 14 Chelsea, MA 02150 (617) 884-6130 www.capicinc.org

city/town listing on the following page to the agency number listed below.

Citizens for Citizens (CFC) 250 Griffin Street Fall River, MA 02724 (508) 679-0041 - Fall River (508) 823-6346 - Taunton (508) 676-7398 - Information (508) 675-2157—HWAP / WAP www.cfcinc.org

45 Kirk Street

Valley

Lowell, MA 01852

(978) 459-6161 - Lowell

www.commteam.org

393 Main Street

(413) 774-2310

305 Essex Street

www.glcac.org

(508) 771-5400

Lawrence, MA 01840

Greenfield, MA 01301

1-877-451-1082 - Toll Free

(978)654-4904 - HEARTWAP

Community Action Pioneer

1-800-370-0940 - Toll Free

www.communityaction.us

Greater Lawrence Community

Action Council, Inc. (GLCAC)

(781) 942-6608 - Reading

(978) 983-8825 - Methuen (978) 681-4955 - WAP/HWAP

460 West Main Street

www.haconcapecod.org

New England Farm Workers' Community Teamwork, Inc. (CTI) Council, Inc. (NEFWC) (N. Central Massachusetts only) 473 Main Street, 3rd Floor Fitchburg, MA 01420 (978) 342-4520 www.partnersforcommunity.org

New England Farm Workers'

Council, Inc. (NFFWC)

Springfield, MA 01103

1666 Main Street

(413) 272-2209

(City of Springfield, only)

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North Shore Community Action Programs, Inc. (NSCAP) 119 Rear Foster Street, Bldg. 13 Peabody, MA 01960 (978) 531-8810, Info/App. Status (978) 548-5729, Appointments (978) 548-5712. WAP/HWAP www.nscap.org

People Acting in Community Endeavors, Inc. (PACE) 261 Union Street New Bedford, MA 02740 (508) 525-4271 www.paceinfo.org (978) 664-5600 - North Reading

Quincy Community Action Programs, Inc. (QCAP) 1509 Hancock Street, 4th Floor Quincy, MA 02169 Housing Assistance Corporation (617) 479-8181, ext. 301 www.qcap.org

Springfield Partners for Community Action, Inc. (SPCA) 721 State Street, 2nd Floor Springfield, MA 01109 (413) 263-6500 www.springfieldpartnersinc.com

(508) 226-4192 - Attleboro (508) 588-5440 - Brockton 1-800-225-0875 - Toll Free

South Middlesex Opportunity Council, Inc. (SMOC) 7 Bishop Street Framingham, MA 01702 (508) 620-1230 - Framingham 1-800-286-6776 www.partnersforcommunity.org www.smoc.org

City of Springfield, Office of Community Development 1600 Fast Columbus Avenue Springfield, MA 01103 (413) 787-6500 www.springfield-ma.gov

South Shore Community Action Council, Inc. (SSCAC) 71 Obery Street Plymouth, MA 02360 (508) 746-6707 (877)FUEL AID - Toll Free www.sscac.org

Valley Opportunity Council, Inc. (VOC) 300 High Street Holyoke, MA 01040 (413) 552-1548 www.valleyopp.com

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Worcester Community Action Council, Inc. (WCAC) 484 Main Street, 2nd Floor Worcester, MA 01608 1-800-545-4577 - Toll Free (508) 754-1176, ext.110, Worcester (508) 754-7281—24 hour app info line www.wcac.net

Making Opportunity Count, Inc. Energy & Environmental Services 601 River Street Fitchburg, MA 01420 (978) 342-7025 www.mocinc.org

Self Help, Inc. (SHI) 1362 Main Street Brockton, MA 02301 info@selfhelpinc.org www.selfhelpinc.org

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Blandford	23	18	23	Gardner	14b	13	13	Maynard				Randolph	19	19	1
Bolton	14b	13	13	Georgetown	4	2	4	Medfield	20 1b	20 6	20 6	Raynham	19	19	1
Boston	1a	1a	1a	Gill	9	9	9	Medford	1b 20	20		Reading	10	10	1
Bourne	22	11	11	Gloucester	2	2	2	Medway			20	Rehoboth	7	7	
Boxborough	20	20	20	Goshen	9	9	9	Melrose	1b	6	6	Revere	6	6	
Boxford	4	2	4	Gosnold	22	11	11	Mendon	20 4	20	20 4	Richmond	3	3	
Boylston	24	24	24	Grafton	20	20	20	Merrimac				Rochester	16	7	
Braintree	17	17	17	Granby	9	9	9	Methuen	10	10	10	Rockland	19	19	1
Brewster	22	11	11	Granville	23	18	23	Middleborough	22 9	22	22	Rockport	2	2	
Bridgewater	19	19	19	Gr. Barrington	3	3	3	Middlefield		9	9	Rowe	9	9	
Brimfield	23	18	23	Greenfield	9	9	9	Middleton	15	15	15	Rowley	4	2	
Brockton	19	19	19	Groton	8	8	8	Milford	20	20	20	Royalston	14b	13	1
Brookfield	24	24	24	Groveland	4	2	4	Millbury	24	24	24	Russell	23	18	2
Brookline	1a	1a	1a	Hadley	9	9	9	Millis	20	20	20	Rutland	24	24	2
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Canton	19	19	19	Hancock	3	3	3	Monson	23	18	23	Sandwich	22	11	1
Carlisle	8	8	8	Hanover	22	22	22	Montague	9	9	9	Saugus	12	2	
Carver	22	22	22	Hanson	19	19	19	Monterey	3	3	3	Savoy	3	3	
Charlemont	9	9	9	Hardwick	14b	13	13	Montgomery	23	18	23	Scituate	22	22	2
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Chatham	22	11	11	Harwich	22	11	11	Nahant	12	2	2	Sharon	19	19	
Chelmsford	8	8	8	Hatfield	9	9	9	Nantucket	22	11	11	Sheffield	3	3	
Chelsea	6	6	6	Haverhill	4	2	4	Natick	20	20	20	Shelburne	9	9	
Cheshire	3	3	3	Hawley	9	9	9	Needham	19	19	19	Sherborn	20	20	2
Chester	23	18	23	Heath	9	9	9	New Ashford	3	3	3	Shirley	14b	13	1
Chesterfield	9	9	9	Hingham	22	22	22	New Bedford	16	7	7	Shrewsbury	20	20	2
Chicopee	23	18	23	Hinsdale	3	3	3	New Braintree	14b	13	13	Shutesbury	9	9	-
Chilmark	22	11	11	Holbrook	19	19	19	New Marlborou		3	3	Somerset	7	7	
Clarksburg	3	3	3	Holden	24	24	24	New Salem	9	9	9	Somerville	5	6	
Clinton	14b	13	13	Holland	23	18	23	Newbury	4	2	4	Southborough	20	20	2
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Concord	20	20	20	Hopedale	20	20	20	Norfolk	19	19	19	Southhampton	9	9	
Conway	9	9	9	Hopkinton	20	20	20	North Adams	3	3	3	Southwick	23	18	2
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Community	Listings	for HEA	—Ho	ome Energy Assistance W —Weatherization H —Heating Services
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Springfield	14a	18	21	
Sterling Stockbridge	14b 3	13 3	13 3	For utility company problems, places call
Stockbridge	1b	6	6	For utility company problems, please call
Stoughton	19	19	19	the Department of Public Utilities (DPU)
Stow Sturbridge	20 24	20 24	20 24	1-877-886-5066
Sudbury	20	20	20	1-8//-880-3000
Sunderland	9	9	9	E-Mail:
Sutton Swampscott	24 12	24 2	24	DDI Consumar Complaints@mass gov
Swansea	7	7	7	DPUConsumer.Complaints@mass.gov
Taunton	7	7	7	
Templeton Tewksbury	14b 8	13 8	13 8	For limited income households who are
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Tyngsborough	8	8	8	The Good Neighbor Energy Fund,
Tyringham Upton	3 20	3 20	3 20	0
Uxbridge	20	20	20	operated by your local Salvation Army .
Wakefield	12	6	2	
Wales Walpole	23 19	18 19	23 19	In area codes (17, FOO, 701 or 070, call
Waltham	8	6	6	In area codes 617, 508, 781 or 978, call
Ware	9	9	9	1-800-334-3047.
Wareham Warren	22 24	11 24	11 24	In area code 112 call 1 000 aca 1220
Warwick	9	9	9	In area code 413, call 1-800-262-1320.
Washington	3	3	3	www.magoodneighbor.org
Watertown Wayland	8 20	6 20	6 20	0 0 0
Webster	24	24	24	
Wellesley Wellfleet	20 22	20 11	20 11	For other essential social service
Wendell	9	9	9	programs contact Mass 2.1.1 by
Wenham	2	2	2	programs, contact Mass 2-1-1 by
W. Boylston W. Bridgewater	24 19	24 19	24 19	dialing 211 or go to
W. Brookfield	24	24	24	www.mass211.org
W. Newbury	4	2	4	WWW.IIId33211.01g
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Yarmouth	22	11	11	

