

Fiscal Year 2022  
 Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)  
 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	\$ 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
11	\$ 58,280	\$ 72,850	\$ 87,420	\$ 101,990	\$ 115,764	\$ 115,764
12	\$ 62,820	\$ 78,525	\$ 94,230	\$ 109,935	\$ 118,127	\$ 118,127
13	\$ 67,360	\$ 84,200	\$ 101,040	\$ 117,880	\$ 120,489	\$ 120,489
14	\$ 71,900	\$ 89,875	\$ 107,850	\$ 122,852	\$ 122,852	\$ 122,852
15	\$ 76,440	\$ 95,550	\$ 114,660	\$ 125,214	\$ 125,214	\$ 125,214
16	\$ 80,980	\$ 101,225	\$ 121,470	\$ 127,577	\$ 127,577	\$ 127,577
17	\$ 85,520	\$ 106,900	\$ 128,280	\$ 129,939	\$ 129,939	\$ 129,939
<b>Homeowners and Non-Subsidized Housing Tenants</b>						
<b>Deliverable Fuel (Oil, Propane, Kerosene &amp; Other)</b>	\$2,100	\$1,902	\$1,728	\$1,574	\$1,574	\$1,439
<b>Utility and Heat-Included-in-Rent</b>	\$1,525	\$1,342	\$1,181	\$1,039	\$1,039	\$915
<b>High Energy Cost Supplement</b>	\$250	\$230	\$210	\$190	\$190	\$170
<b>Subsidized Housing Tenants</b>						
<b>Deliverable Fuel (Oil, Propane, Kerosene &amp; Other)</b>	\$1,605	\$1,466	\$1,344	\$1,237	\$1,237	\$1,143
<b>Utility and Heat-Included-in-Rent</b>	\$1,068	\$939	\$827	\$727	\$727	\$640
<b>High Energy Cost Supplement</b>	\$250	\$230	\$210	\$190	\$190	\$170

**High Energy Cost Supplement (HECS) Thresholds**

<b>Heating Oil &amp; Propane</b>	\$ 1,279	<b>Natural Gas</b>	\$ 974	<b>Other</b>	\$1,058
<b>Kerosene</b>	\$ 1,076	<b>Electricity</b>	\$ 1,592		

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

Sources (Income Level): "Annual Update of the HHS Poverty Guidelines, *Federal Register* 86 No. 19 (1 Feb 2021): 7732-7734 and "State Median Income Estimates", USHHS, OCS, DEA, *LIHEAP-IM-2021-03*

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 LIHEAP households whose previous year's heating source costs exceed the above listed HECS thresholds.