

2017 Benefit Matrix

Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) Block Grant

Maximum Income Eligibility based on 150% of the Federal Poverty Level:

FAMILY SIZE	150% MONTHLY POVERTY GUIDELINE	150% ANNUAL POVERTY GUIDELINE
1	\$1,485.00	\$17,820.00
2	\$2,002.50	\$24,030.00
3	\$2,520.00	\$30,240.00
4	\$3,037.50	\$36,450.00
5	\$3,555.00	\$42,660.00
6	\$4,072.50	\$48,870.00
7	\$4,591.25	\$55,095.00
8	\$5,111.25	\$61,335.00
For each additional person, add	\$520.00	\$6,240.00

**Special Note:* The 2016 Federal Poverty Guidelines listed above were published on January 22, 2016 and will update each year.

Crisis Assistance Benefits (Electric and Non-electric Vendors):

Maximum FPL:	Vulnerable Household	Non-vulnerable Household
150%	Up to \$1,000.00	Up to \$1,000.00

Non-Emergency Benefits (Electric and Non-electric Vendors)::

Each eligible vulnerable/non-vulnerable household receives a minimum benefit of \$225.00.
Each qualifying household description increases the benefit award.

Maximum FPL:	Description	Vulnerable Household	Non-Vulnerable Household
150%	Minimum Benefit	\$225	\$225
150 %	Child Age 5 or <	\$50	-
150%	Energy Burden	\$75	\$75
150%	Elderly, Age 60	\$50	-
150%	Disabled	\$50	-
100%	Income <100%	\$50	\$50
Maximum Non-Emergency Award for Vulnerable/Non-Vulnerable Households:			\$500.00