



Help With Heating Bills (LIHEAP)

What is LIHEAP?

- LIHEAP provides grants to help with a heating bill.
- This includes bills for electricity, gas, water, oil, kerosene, or other fuel types.
- LIHEAP is typically only available November through March.

What type of help can I get from LIHEAP?

- Cash Grant - Pays at least **\$100** to help with a heating bill.
- Crisis grant – Pays up to **\$500** to prevent a utility shut off or to restore service.
- Interface program - Repair or replacement of **broken heaters**.

How do I apply for LIHEAP?

Visit your local County Assistance Office or apply online at: www.compass.state.pa.us.

Who can get LIHEAP?

Households must have income lower than either the monthly **OR** annual limits listed below and must be responsible for paying for heat.

What are the income limits for the 2015-2016 LIHEAP Season?

Household Size	Monthly Income	Yearly Income
1	\$1471	\$17,655
2	\$1991	\$23,895
3	\$2511	\$30,135
4	\$3031	\$36,375

What happens if I am denied?

You can appeal within 30 days. An appeal form will be included with your denial notice.

Get Help

If you were denied LIHEAP, Community Legal Services may be able to help.

Community Legal Services
North Philadelphia Law Center
1410 West Erie Avenue
Philadelphia, PA 19140
Monday & Wednesday
9:00 am - 12:00 pm
215-227-2400

