

LOW-INCOME HOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM PAYMENT MATRIX - FFY 2026								
HOME ENERGY BENEFITS ¹ AND POVERTY LEVELS BY HOUSEHOLD INCOME AND SIZE							Max Income Value Column†	
Number of People in Household	50% or Less of Max Income Value	>50%-70% of Max Income Value		>70%-85% of Max Income Value		>85%-100% of Max Income Value		
1	\$ 16,078	\$ 16,079	\$ 22,509	\$ 22,510	\$ 27,332	\$ 27,333	\$ 32,155	State Median Income (SMI)
2	\$ 21,025	\$ 21,026	\$ 29,434	\$ 29,435	\$ 35,742	\$ 35,743	\$ 42,049	
3	\$ 25,972	\$ 25,973	\$ 36,360	\$ 36,361	\$ 44,152	\$ 44,153	\$ 51,943	
4	\$ 30,919	\$ 30,920	\$ 43,286	\$ 43,287	\$ 52,561	\$ 52,562	\$ 61,837	
5	\$ 35,865	\$ 35,866	\$ 50,211	\$ 50,212	\$ 60,971	\$ 60,972	\$ 71,730	
6	\$ 40,812	\$ 40,813	\$ 57,137	\$ 57,138	\$ 69,380	\$ 69,381	\$ 81,624	
7	\$ 41,740	\$ 41,741	\$ 58,435	\$ 58,436	\$ 70,957	\$ 70,958	\$ 83,479	
8	\$ 42,668	\$ 42,669	\$ 59,735	\$ 59,736	\$ 72,535	\$ 72,536	\$ 85,335	
9	\$ 43,595	\$ 43,596	\$ 61,033	\$ 61,034	\$ 74,112	\$ 74,113	\$ 87,190	
10	\$ 44,523	\$ 44,524	\$ 62,332	\$ 62,333	\$ 75,688	\$ 75,689	\$ 89,045	
11	\$ 45,450	\$ 45,451	\$ 63,630	\$ 63,631	\$ 77,265	\$ 77,266	\$ 90,900	
12	\$ 46,378	\$ 46,379	\$ 64,929	\$ 64,930	\$ 78,842	\$ 78,843	\$ 92,755	
13	\$ 78,843	\$ 78,844	\$ 110,380	\$ 110,381	\$ 134,033	\$ 134,034	\$ 157,686	
LIHEAP HOME ENERGY BENEFIT ¹	\$350 (up to \$700) <i>(Base \$350 plus one each of additional assistance below**)</i>	\$300 (up to \$650) <i>(Base \$300 plus one each of additional assistance below**)</i>		\$250 (up to \$600) <i>(Base \$250 plus one each of additional assistance below**)</i>		\$200 (up to \$550) <i>(Base \$200 plus one each of additional assistance below**)</i>		
**Additional Assistance if applicant household includes any of the following:			† These benefit levels are effective October 1, 2025					
(1) Elderly (Senior 60 and over)		\$100		Figures are based on the the State Medium Income (SMI) Estimates for LIHEAP issued by HHS on February 7, 2025.				
(2) Disabled		\$100						
(3) Child age 5 or younger:		\$150						



† Maximum Income Values are 60% of SMI