What help can I get?

LIHEAP can help you pay your main heating & cooling bills and get Emergency Services:

- Blankets
- Emergency lodging
- Furnace and central air replacement and repairs
- Window air conditioners
- Wood stoves

Questions?

Call:

1-855-FSD-INFO
(1-855-373-4636)

Or visit our website:

dss.mo.gov/fsd/energy-assistance

LIHEAP helps keep families safe and healthy through initiatives that assist families with energy costs.

Family Support Division

LIHEAP Unit
615 Howerton Court
Jefferson City, MO 65109
Who can get help?

The Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) helps low-income people meet their immediate energy needs. It mainly helps those who spend a large amount of their household income on energy bills.

To qualify for LIHEAP assistance, you must meet each of these requirements:

1. Be the person responsible for paying home heating and cooling costs
2. Be a United States citizen or have been legally admitted for permanent residence
3. Have $3,000 or less in bank accounts, retirement accounts, or investments
4. Meet specific income guidelines that vary according to household size

How does it work?

Energy Assistance (EA)

EA will give you a one-time payment to help pay your main fuel heating bill during the months of November-March. The amount of help you receive is based on the size of your household, your household income, and the type of heating fuel used in your home.

Energy Crisis Intervention Program (ECIP)

ECIP can help you pay your fuel bills when your energy is shut off or threatened to be shut off. The amount of help you receive is based on the amount of money needed to settle your crisis with the energy provider.

- Winter ECIP is available November-May based on funding; the maximum amount you could receive is $800.
- Summer ECIP is available June-September based on funding; the maximum amount you could receive is $300.

How do I apply?

Get an application by calling: 1-855-FSD-INFO (1-855-373-4636)

Download and print an application here: dss.mo.gov/fsd/energy-assistance

See the instructions attached to the application to determine how it should be completed and where it should be sent.