

LOW-INCOME HOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.

Applications will be taken starting November 1, 2014 for the 2014-2015 Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program. This program is funded by the Department of Health and Human Services through the Iowa Department of Human Rights/DCAA, and has been established to help qualifying low-income Iowa homeowners and renters pay for a portion of their primary heating costs.

The Red Rock Community Action Agency located at 406 SW School Street, Suite 201 in Ankeny, Iowa will be taking applications from November 1, 2014 through April 30, 2015 (October 1 for households with elderly/disabled member). Applicants will need to furnish some form of identification, a copy of their most recent heating and electric bill, and proof of all household members' gross income for the past three months or for the past calendar year.

The assistance is based on household income, household size, type of fuel, and other factors.

Eligibility for participation is established according to the following federal income guidelines:

INCOME MAXIMUMS

Household Size	LIHEAP Three Month Gross Income	LIHEAP Annual Gross Income
1	\$ 4,376	\$ 17,505
2	5,899	23,595
3	7,421	29,685
4	8,944	35,775
5	10,466	41,865
6	11,989	47,955

For households with more than six members, add \$1,523 / \$6,090 for each additional member.

*** Medical Waiver:** Households who are over LIHEAP regular income guidelines may be eligible for LIHEAP benefits through our medical waiver component. The medical expenses must be documented, paid, and non-reimbursable. For more information please contact your local community action agency.

“THIS PROGRAM IS NOT DESIGNED TO PAY A HOUSEHOLD’S TOTAL ENERGY COSTS. THE PROGRAM WILL PROVIDE SUPPLEMENTAL ASSISTANCE BASED ON SEVERAL FACTORS. THOSE FACTORS INCLUDE TOTAL HOUSEHOLD INCOME, HOUSEHOLD SIZE, DWELLING TYPE, AND TYPE OF HEATING FUEL, AMONG OTHERS.”

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