



Energy Assistance

Eligibility Requirements

Income Guidelines

Size of Household		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Gross Income for 30 days prior to Application Date	LIHEAP	\$1,561	\$2,114	\$2,666	\$3,219	\$3,771	\$4,324	\$4,876	\$5,429
	Share the Warmth	\$2,023	\$2,743	\$3,463	\$4,183	\$5,623	\$5,623	\$6,343	\$7,063
	ComEd Hardship	\$2,658	\$3,592	\$4,525	\$5,458	\$6,392	\$7,325	\$8,258	\$9,192

LIHEAP Application Dates:

Remote Intake began April 20, 2020.

The following program benefits are currently available to all eligible Cook County residents: -

- Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)
- ComED Residential Special Hardship
- Peoples Gas Share the Warmth
- Energy Efficient Kits

Due to Covid-19, our Partner Intake Sites are not conducting face-to-face intake. However, you may apply for assistance with one of our Partner Intake Sites via phone and email. Follow this link [Partner Intake Site Locator](#) for Site contact information.

Intake demand is high, so please be patient

Required Remote Intake Documents

Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)

- Proof of current 30-day gross income from all household members.
- Copy of most recent heat and electric bills if you pay for your home energy directly. (Must provide entire bill)
- Verbally Proof of Social Security Numbers of all household members (Hard-copy of Social Security cards are not required at this time)
 - For proof of Social Security or Supplemental Security income benefits go to www.socialsecurity.gov/myaccount for an instant letter.
- Applicants that have their utilities included in the rent must bring proof of rental agreement stating monthly rental amount, that utilities are included, and landlord contact information. (Rent costs must be greater than 30% of current household 30-day gross income).

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Share the Warmth Program Required Documentation:

- Most recent Peoples Gas bill, issued within the last 30 days
- Proof of household income for the past 30 days

ComEd Residential Special Hardship Program Required Documentation:

- Most recent ComEd bill, issued within the last 30 days
- Current Government issued picture ID for the customer of record
- Proof of household income for the past 30 days
- Proof of financial hardship

Energy Efficiency Kits

If you are a ComEd and/or a Nicor customer, you are eligible to receive FREE energy efficiency kits from the respective utility companies. The kits include light bulbs, a smart power strip, faucet aerators and more! The kits will be mailed to you in 3-5 weeks.

- Complete an Energy Efficiency Kit Form (can be obtained from one of our Partner Intake Sites via phone and email).

For more information or to find a location near you

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