Wisconsin Home Energy Assistance Program (WHEAP)

2026–2027 Program Year: October 1, 2026 – September 30, 2027

How does WHEAP work?

WHEAP provides a **one-time payment** during the heating season (October 1–May 15) to help eligible households with heating costs.

Who may qualify?

Households with income at or below the amounts shown below may qualify. Income limits are based on 60% of Wisconsin's median income.

Household Size	One Month Income	Annual Income
1	$3,322.00	$39,864
2	$4,344.08	$52,129
3	$5,366.25	$64,395
4	$6,388.42	$76,661

What types of energy bills are eligible?

WHEAP can help households heated with **wood, propane, or natural gas.**

Need help right away?

Crisis assistance may be available if you have **no heat**, have received a **disconnect notice**, or are nearly out of fuel and unable to purchase more.

WHEAP agencies provide a **24-hour crisis phone number** for emergencies after regular business hours.

WHEAP Crisis Number: **1-866-432-8947**

To learn more or apply, visit **energybenefit.wi.gov**