

Home Energy Assistance Northeastern Massachusetts



The Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP) helps with heating costs from November 1 through April 30 each year. Applications are reviewed on a first come first serve basis. Homeowners and renters, including those in subsidized or public housing, may be eligible for assistance. Assistance is based on income, limits by family size are listed below. Complete information about the application process, how to schedule an appointment, and required documents are listed on each agency's website.

The information below is for the 2026-2027 year.

Applications open October 1.

Action for Boston Community Development (ABCD)

<https://bostonabcd.org/service/fuel-assistance/>

Northeast towns served: Everett, Malden, Medford, Melrose, Stoneham, Winchester, and Woburn.

Action, Inc.

<https://actioninc.org/energy/>

Northeast towns served: Essex, Gloucester, Hamilton, Ipswich, Manchester, Rockport, and Wenham.

Community Action Inc. (CAI)

<https://caihaverhill.org/heap/>

Northeast towns served: Amesbury, Boxford, Georgetown, Groveland, Haverhill, Merrimac, Newbury, Newburyport, Rowley, Salisbury, and West Newbury.

Community Teamwork Inc.

<https://www.commteam.org/program/home-energy-assistance-heap/>

Northeast towns served: Arlington, Bedford, Billerica, Burlington, Carlisle, Chelmsford, Dracut, Dunstable, Lexington, Lowell, Tewksbury, Tyngsboro, Westford, and Wilmington

Greater Lawrence Community Action Council, Inc. (GLCAC)

<https://www.glcac.org/home-energy-assistance/>

Northeast towns served: Andover, Lawrence, Methuen, North Andover, North Reading, and Reading.

Leading Through Empowering Opportunities Inc. (LEO)

<https://leoinc.org/services/fuel-assistance-home-heating/>

Northeast towns served: Lynn, Lynnfield, Nahant, Saugus, Swampscott, and Wakefield.

North Shore Community Action Programs (NSCAP)

<https://www.nscap.org/our-programs/home-energy-assistance/>

Northeast towns served: Beverly, Danvers, Marblehead, Middleton, Peabody, Salem, and Topsfield

South Middlesex Opportunity Council (SMOC)

<https://smoc.org/service/home-energy-assistance/>

Northeast towns served: Acton, Boxborough, Concord, Lincoln, Littleton, Maynard, and Stow.

Number of People in Household	Maximum Income Level
1	\$53,585
2	\$70,073
3	\$86,561
4	\$103,049
5	\$119,536
6	\$136,024
7	\$139,116
8	\$142,207

Additional Information and Resources

Information on energy assistance, weatherization and heating system repairs

<https://www.mass.gov/info-details/learn-about-home-energy-assistance-heap>

Information on National Grid Discounts-<https://tinyurl.com/National-Grid-Assistance-26>

Look up additional resources for your town/city-<https://mass211.org/utility-assistance>

Access the information on this flyer

<https://tinyurl.com/NortheastEA27>

