Low Income Weatherization

LOW INCOME WEATHERIZATION PROGRAMS

Illinois Home Weatherization Assistance Program (IHWAP)
If you meet certain low-income requirements, you may be eligible to lower your utility bills by making your home more energy efficient through the Illinois Home Weatherization Assistance Program (IHWAP).

Energy conservation actions that can be funded through this program include:

- Air sealing
- Attic and wall insulation
- Furnace repair and replacement
- Electric base load reduction (lighting and refrigerator)
- Window and door weatherization

A maximum of $7,500 can be spent on each eligible client’s home for energy-related weatherization and repair work.

Eligibility Requirements:
Eligibility is determined by family size and household income in accordance with federal guidelines. Weatherization services are free to households that:

1. Are eligible for the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP).
2. Have an occupant receiving Supplemental Security Income (SSI), Aid to Aged, Blind or Disabled (AABD); or Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF).
3. Are at or below the annual income chart shown to the right.

(For a household with more than six people, add $6,030 for each additional person.)

Weatherization services are provided by local community action agencies or not-for-profit agencies throughout the state.

Multi-Family Illinois Home Weatherization Assistance Program (IHWAP)
The Multi-Family Illinois Home Weatherization Assistance Program (IHWAP) is for building owners who provide housing to income-eligible residents in Chicago and suburban Cook County.

The program requires a 50 percent mechanical contribution from the owner if 66 percent or more of the tenants are income eligible. Weatherization services, and eligibility requirements are the same as those listed above.
To apply:
• Residents must apply for the weatherization program at a local intake site.
• Intake sites are organized by the ZIP codes they serve.
• Please bring proof of home ownership, a current electric/gas bill, hard copy of social security number for the head of the household (social security number only for those who are 16 and older in the residence), and proof of income for the previous 12 months.

To find an agency provider in your area, call 877-411-9276 or visit http://www.weatherizationillinois.com/community.html. You can also view our list of providers listed by county below.

Providers:

Adams
Two Rivers Regional Council of Public Officials
217-224-8171

Alexander
Shawnee Development Council, Inc.
618-734-0535

Bond
BCMW Community Services, Inc.
618-664-3309

Boone
Rockford Human Services Department
815-987-5782

Brown
Two Rivers Regional Council of Public Officials
217-773-3141

Bureau
Tri-County Opportunities Council
800-225-2099 or 815-875-6064

Calhoun
Illinois Valley Economic Development Corporation
618-576-2218

Carroll
Tri-County Opportunities Council
815-625-7830 or 800-323-5434

Cass
MCS Community Services
888-288-4413

Champaign
Champaign County Regional Planning Commission
217-328-3313

Christian
C.E.F.S. Economic Opportunity Corporation
217-824-4712

Clark
Embarras River Basin Agency, Inc.
217-932-5272

Clay
C.E.F.S. Economic Opportunity Corporation
618-662-4024

Clinton
BCMW Community Services, Inc.
618-594-4146

Coles
Embarras River Basin Agency, Inc.
217-345-4840

Cook and City of Chicago
Community and Economic Development Association of Cook County, Inc. (CEDA)
800-571-2332 (LIHEAP) or 312-795-8998 (weatherization)

Crawford
Embarras River Basin Agency, Inc.
618-544-8780

Cumberland
Embarras River Basin Agency, Inc.
217-923-3599

Dekalb
Community Contacts, Inc.
847-758-3835

DeWitt
Central Illinois Economic Development Corporation
217-935-2455

Douglas
Embarras River Basin Agency, Inc
217-253-4434

DuPage
DuPage County Department of Human Services
630-407-6500

Edgar
Embarras River Basin Agency, Inc.
217-465-4911

Edwards
Wabash Area Development, Inc
618-445-2379
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618-692-6200 ext. 6485

Marion
BCMW Community Services, Inc.
618-532-7388

Marshall
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815-875-6064 or 888-225-2099

Mason
Central Illinois Economic Development Corporation
309-543-6988

Massac
Shawnee Development Council
618-524-2941

McDonough
Western Illinois Regional Council
309-837-2997

McHenry
McHenry County Housing Authority
815-338-7752

McLean
Mid Central Community Action, Inc.
309-829-0691

Menard
Central Illinois Economic Development Corporation
217-632-3878

Mercer
Project NOW, Inc
309-582-2644

Monroe
Western Egyptian Economic Opportunity Council
618-965-9733

Montgomery
C.E.F.S. Economic Opportunity Corporation
217-532-5971

Morgan
MCS Community Services
217-243-9404 or 1-888-288-4413

Moultrie
C.E.F.S. Economic Opportunity Corporation
217-728-7721

Ogle
Tri-County Opportunities Council
815-625-7830 or 800-323-5434

Peoria
Peoria Citizens Committee for Economic Opportunity, Inc.
309-671-3900

Perry
Western Egyptian Economic Opportunity Council
618-965-9733

Piatt
Central Illinois Economic Development Corporation
217-762-2421

Pike
Two Rivers Regional Council of Public Officials
217-285-5424

Pope
Shawnee Development Council
618-683-2107

Pulaski
Shawnee Development Council
618-745-6388

Putnam
Tri-County Opportunities Council
815-875-6064 or 888-225-2099

Randolph
Western Egyptian Economic Opportunity Council
618-826-3141 or 618-443-5231

Richland
Embarras River Basin Agency, Inc.
618-395-2714

Rock Island
Project NOW, Inc
309-793-6391

Saline
Wabash Area Development, Inc.
618-252-2680

Sangamon
Sangamon County Department of Community
217-535-3120

Schuyler
Two Rivers Regional Council of Public Officials
217-322-6916

Scott
MCS Community Services
217-243-9404 or 888-288-4413

Shelby
C.E.F.S. Economic Opportunity Corporation
217-774-4541

Stephenson
Northwestern Illinois Community Action Agency
815-232-3141 or 800-883-1111

St. Clair
St. Clair County Community Action Agency
618-257-9246
Keep Warm and Keep Cool Illinois

Keep Warm and Keep Cool Illinois provide information about state energy assistance programs, tips about how to save energy and lower utility bills, a web-based tool to conduct a home energy audit, other energy saving resources, and help in resolving utility complaints.

Keep Cool Illinois also provides information about finding cooling centers and tips to avoid heat-related health problems.

Call the Keep Warm and Keep Cool Illinois hotline at 877-411-9276 if you need assistance.

For more information, visit http://www.keepwarm.illinois.gov/ and http://www.keepcool.illinois.gov/

If you have any additional questions about these programs, please call CUB, 1-800-669-5556, and ask for Laura Goldberg, environmental outreach coordinator.

CUB works hard to maintain the accuracy and timeliness of this information, but programs often change and/or run out of money. CUB is not responsible for the administration of any of the programs described in this fact sheet. If you are having trouble applying for or receiving benefits from any of the programs described above, please contact the administrator of that program. Please notify CUB if you find any inaccuracies here.