

# High Heating Bills? HEAP Can Help!

**The Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP)** is a federally funded program managed by the Ohio Department of Development to help income-eligible households with winter heating costs.

Households at or below 175% of the federal income level (see chart) may receive a credit once per winter heating season towards their primary heating source—electric, natural gas, or bulk fuel.

## Three ways to apply until May 31, 2023:

- ▶ Online at [www.energyhelp.ohio.gov](http://www.energyhelp.ohio.gov)
- ▶ Appointment with your local Community Action Agency
- ▶ Mail in an Energy Assistance application\* from [www.energyhelp.ohio.gov](http://www.energyhelp.ohio.gov)

2022-2023 Income Guidelines	
Size of household*	Total Gross Annual Household Income
	175%
1	\$23,783
2	\$32,043
3	\$40,303
4	\$48,563

\* For families/households with more than 8 persons, please contact your local community action agency.

*\*Mailed applications take 12-16 weeks to process.  
Always sign, date and provide all required documents to avoid delay.*

## Contact your your local Community Action Agency for more details

For more utility assistance information visit:  
[www.occ.ohio.gov/utilityassistance](http://www.occ.ohio.gov/utilityassistance)



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