

Burlington County Community Action Program

LOW INCOME HOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM/UNIVERSAL SERVICE FUND

OFFICE LOCATION:

1 Van Sclver Parkway, Willingboro, NJ 08046

Telephone: (609) 835-2464

MAILING ADDRESS:

718 Route 130 South, Burlington, NJ 08016

Toll Free: (877) 332-2278

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School Board President
Delran Township Public School Board
52 Hartford Road
Delran, NJ 08075

Dear School Board President:

Do you know individuals or families who need assistance with their heating & electric expenses?

HELP IS AVAILABLE!

Introducing LIHEAP – the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program designed to assist low income households or those who may only need temporary help with their energy bills.* LIHEAP is a federally funded program open to all New Jersey residents who meet the income guidelines.

Applicants are not required to reside in affordable or low-income housing. LIHEAP is open to homeowners, mobile homeowners, or those who lease their homes. Applicants may qualify if they have a public utility bill** in a household member's name for natural gas or electric, if their home is heated by fuel (oil, propane, kerosene, wood, or coal), if heat is included in their rent or association fee, or if they pay a separate charge to their landlord for heat.

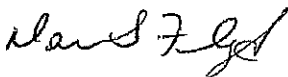
Attached are flyers announcing the 2016 LIHEAP Program and a tear-off flyer to be posted in public locations. The flyers may be duplicated as needed. To obtain an application for 2016 LIHEAP benefits, stop by the BCCAP Willingboro Office, Monday-Friday from 9:00 A.M.-5:00 P.M., call us at (609) 835-2464 or Toll Free at (877) 332-2278 to request an application by mail, or download an application at www.energyassistance.nj.gov; however, applications cannot be completed on-line. The same application is used to apply for once-annual heating & cooling (with required doctor's note) benefits and for Universal Service Fund (USF) benefits, which are monthly discounts for 12 months on natural gas and/or electric utility bills when applicant spends more than 3% of total household income for natural gas and 3% of total household income for electric, or 6% for all-electric households.

Additional *emergency assistance* may be available beginning in March for applicants who have a natural gas or electric heating bill in a household member's name & have received a shut-off notice with a minimum of \$200 due to avoid termination of service. Emergency assistance may begin for fuel customers in December for applicants with a heating bill in household member's name & are in danger of being without fuel.

Households that are over income for the LIHEAP program may apply to the PAGE Program (Payment Assistance for Gas and Electric). To learn more about the PAGE Program, go on-line www.njpoweron.org/page-requirements, or call The Affordable Housing Alliance at (732) 982-8710.

Thank you for helping us to reach out to Burlington County residents who may be in need of assistance with their heating & electric expenses. If we can answer any questions regarding our programs, please call us at (609) 835-2464.

Sincerely,



Darlene Floyd
Energy Crisis Intervention Coordinator

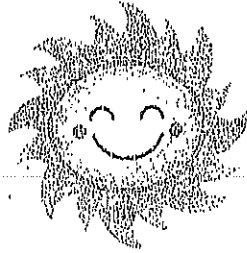
* Income Guidelines Apply

** Public Utilities for Burlington County – PSE&G, JCP&L, South Jersey Gas and Atlantic City Electric



Dr. Silas M. Townsend
Executive Director

NEED HELP WITH YOUR HEATING & ELECTRIC BILLS?



YOU MAY QUALIFY FOR HELP WITH YOUR
HEATING & ELECTRIC BILLS

LIHEAP

THE LOW INCOME HOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

Are you income eligible?

<u>HOUSEHOLD SIZE</u>	<u>MAXIMUM GROSS MONTHLY INCOME</u>	
	<u>LIHEAP</u>	<u>USE</u>
1	\$1,962	\$1,717
2	\$2,655	\$2,324
3	\$3,349	\$2,930
4	\$4,042	\$3,537
5	\$4,735	\$4,144
6	\$5,429	\$4,750
7	\$6,122	\$5,357
8	\$6,815	\$5,964
9	\$7,452	\$6,570

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DICKENS COMMUNITY SERVICE CENTER

1 VAN SCIVER PARKWAY

WILLINGBORO, NJ 08046

Telephone 609-835-2464 or Toll Free (877) 332-2278

To obtain an application:

In-person – stop by the BCCAP office

By mail – call BCCAP

Download an application – www.energyassistance.nj.gov

Documents Required for Application

Social Security Cards.

Gross monthly earned & unearned income for all household members.

Mortgage or Lease and current Heating & Electric bills.

NECESITA AYUDA CON SU CALEFACCION Y CUENTAS DE ELECTRICIDAD?



USTED PUEDE CALIFICAR PARA AYUDA CON SUS
FACTURAS DE CALEFACCION Y ELECTRICOS

LIHEAP

HOGAR DE BAJOS INGRESOS PROGRAMA DE ASISTENCIA DE ENERGIA

ES ELEGIBLES POR INGRESOS?

<u>TAMANO DEL HOGAR</u>	<u>INGRESO BRUTO MENSUAL MAXIMO - 2016</u>	
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Para obtener una Aplicacion:

En persona - pase por la oficina de BCCAP

Por correo - llamar BCCAP

Descargar la solicitud - www.energyassistance.nj.gov

Documentos Requeridos para la Aplicacion:

Tarjeta de seguro social o tarjeta de seguro social para permiso de trabajo o
residente permanente legal.

Ingreso mensual de vivienda y no de vivienda por todos los miembros del hogar.

Hipoteca o Alquiler y calefaccion actual y facturas de electricidad.