

LIHEAP Fast Facts

The Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) provides crucial financial assistance to help low-income families afford energy costs.



6 million
households supported

Nearly 6 million households across the U.S. received assistance from LIHEAP in FY2024.



50,000
homes weatherized

Nearly 50,000 homes were weatherized using LIHEAP funds in FY2024, making them safer and more energy efficient.



2 million
disconnections prevented

In FY2024, LIHEAP prevented disconnection or reconnected households to energy or fuel more than 2 million times.



57,000
children



78,000
seniors

lifted out of poverty

In FY2024, energy assistance helped to lift 57,000 children and 78,000 older adults out of poverty.



LIHEAP plays a crucial role in helping income-constrained families afford energy costs, preventing disconnections, and improving energy efficiency, ultimately impacting poverty levels and enhancing the overall well-being and safety of vulnerable households.