Crisis Funding (Emergency Energy Assistance) Fondos para la Crisis *(Ayuda Energética de Emergencia)*

You might qualify for both a cash and a crisis grant. Crisis funding opens **Nov 2, 2026**, and closes **April 23, 2027**. It provides a payment for low-income households whose utility service has been disconnected. You may receive crisis funding:

- To restore gas service
- To help repair or replace your furnace or gas lines
- To prevent service termination

How to apply

Call your local county assistance office. You will need:

- A denial of service letter or a final bill
- Names and social security numbers for all household members
- Proof of income for all household members

For help repairing your furnace or gas lines, you will need:

- Owners – proof of ownership
- Renters – copy of lease, if responsible for the repair

For more information, contact Columbia Gas at **1-800-272-2714**.

Para obtener más información sobre el Programa de Asistencia de Energía, comuníquese con nuestra línea directa de LIHEAP al **1-800-272-2714**. Un representante que habla español estará allí para ayudarle.

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YOU MIGHT BE ELIGIBLE FOR LIHEAP FUNDS

GET HELP PAYING YOUR GAS BILL

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What is LIHEAP?

Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program *(Programa de Ayuda Energética para Hogares de Bajos Ingresos)*

A federally-funded program, LIHEAP provides income-eligible customers monetary assistance to help pay home heating bills and emergency energy assistance to avoid shut-off or to restore service.

A LIHEAP grant is not a loan or part of the welfare program. You do not need to repay the grant. No lien is placed on your property if you receive help.



Do you qualify?

Homeowners and renters might be eligible to receive LIHEAP funding if total household income (before taxes) is at or less than 150 percent of federal poverty income guidelines.

2027 Federal Income Guidelines
150% Federal Income Level

HOUSEHOLD SIZE	ANNUAL INCOME
1	$23,940
2	$32,460
3	$40,980
4	$49,500
5	$58,020
6	$66,540
For family size of 6 or more, add $8,520 for each additional family member.	

Where the money goes

If you're eligible for LIHEAP and list Columbia Gas of Pennsylvania as your utility company, the grant will be sent directly to Columbia Gas and the payment will be applied to your account. In some cases, the check will be mailed to you for forwarding to Columbia Gas.

When to apply

November 2, 2026 through April 23, 2027

- Funds are limited, so don't delay in completing your LIHEAP application as soon as you receive it.

Where to apply

Call or visit your local county assistance office.

- If you received an energy assistance grant last year, an application or postcard to apply online will be mailed to you automatically.

How to apply

To ensure your request for LIHEAP is processed promptly, please include:

- Names and social security numbers of all household members
- Proof of income for all household members
- Your most recent gas bill or landlord statement verifying that heat is included in the rental payment

For more information, an application, or assistance in completing the application, call Columbia Gas at **1-800-272-2714**. Our representatives will be happy to assist you. Para más información, llame al **1-800-272-2714**.