



# Get Help Paying Your Gas Bill

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**Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)** is a federally-funded program that pays a portion of qualified low-income customers' natural gas bills. The application period begins October 8, 2024 and ends on November 8, 2024.

**Columbia Gas**<sup>®</sup>  
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## Do You Qualify?

Total household income (before taxes) must be at or below 150 percent of federal poverty income guidelines.

## Where The Money Goes?

The Department of Social Services (DSS) will notify you of your eligibility by mid-December. Upon receipt of eligible recipients, Columbia Gas of Virginia will begin to bill DSS for the fuel assistance monies until funds are depleted or mid-April; whichever comes first.

## Where To Apply?

Contact your local Department of Social Services. Info located at [dss.virginia.gov/localagency/index.cgi](https://dss.virginia.gov/localagency/index.cgi).

If you received an energy assistance grant last year, an application will be mailed to you automatically.

For more information, visit [ColumbiaGasVA.com](https://ColumbiaGasVA.com)

### 2024-2025 LIHEAP Income Guidelines / Fuel Crisis Regular & Fuel 150% of FPIG

Household Size	Monthly Income	Annual Income
1	\$1,882	\$22,590
2	\$2,555	\$30,660
3	\$3,277	\$38,730
4	\$3,900	\$46,800
5	\$4,572	\$54,870
6	\$5,245	\$62,940
7	\$5,917	\$71,010
8	\$6,590	\$79,080

For family size of more than 8, add \$672 per month or \$8,070 per year for each additional family member.

Questions? Please contact our Energy Assistance Hotline at **1-800-272-2714**

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