

Parish of Natchitoches-OCS

Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)

The Parish of Natchitoches Office of Community Services (OCS) is announcing the availability of funds to help low-income households in Natchitoches Parish stay safe and cool in the summer by helping with home cooling bills. To request an appointment for help please call (318)357-2220 on Monday, October 6, 2025, starting at 8:30 a.m. All interested households MUST call for an appointment. **Walk-ins will not be accepted.** Services are provided based on availability of funds.

LIHEAP Income Eligibility Limits for FFY2026

Effective 10/01/2025 to 09/30/2026

# Household Members	Annual Household Income Limit	Monthly Household Income Limit
1	\$30,618	\$2,551.50
2	\$40,039	\$3,336.58
3	\$49,460	\$4,121.67
4	\$58,882	\$4,906.83
5	\$68,303	\$5,691.92
6	\$77,724	\$6,477.00
7	\$79,490	\$6,624.17
8	\$81,257	\$6,771.42
9	\$83,023	\$6,918.58
10	\$84,790	\$7,065.83

Information you will need (no exceptions):

- Proof of identity: Valid Louisiana driver's license or Louisiana identification card of all household members 18 years of age or above
- Social Security cards for each household member.
- All check stubs from the previous 30 days for all employed household members (additional requirements for self-employment and no employment will apply) the household income for members aged 18 and older for the past 30 calendar days
- Proof of unearned income (Social Security, temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) Unemployment Insurance, Pension Funds, Disability, Rental Income, Current Worker Compensation, veteran benefit, Regular Contribution, SSI, etc.)
- Citizenship verification
- Vulnerability (Responsibility for the household energy account): i.e. lease agreement that displays the name of applicant and the service address.
- Utility bills for heating and cooling (no older than 30 days)
- Utility Allowance Confirmation, if applicable.
- Disability status verification, if applicable
- Food Stamp (SNAP) certification letter or printout if applicable.

If you have any questions please call the office at (318)357-2220