

Natchitoches Parish Office of Community Services (OCS)
Monthly Report
January 1 – January 31, 2024

1. Energy Programs

Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)

Appointments issued for 2024 Heating on February 1, 2024. Next appointments for February will be issued March 4, 2024 (based on availability of funds).

- a. **2024 Heating:** Utility assistance to 114 Households/Families totaling \$54,350.00. **OCS 1a.**
- b. **2024 Crisis:** Utility assistance to 12 Households/Families totaling \$3,444.31 **OCS 1b.**

2. Food Programs

- a. **USDA Commodity:** provided nutritional food items to **120 households/families**.
Distribution date was January 30, 2024, Next distribution date February 22, 2024.
- b. **Food for seniors:** provided nutritional food items to **136 individuals** 60 of age years and older.
Distribution date was January 30, 2024, Next distribution date February 22, 2024.

3. Senior Companion Program (SCP)

- 36 SCP volunteers
- 2,677 volunteer hours, stipend payment = \$10,780.00
- Travel = 3,189 miles
- 37 Clients receiving services.

4. Community Services Block Grant (CSBG):

- a. **eLogic Genesis – Demographic data** **OCS 4a**
 - Household members (unduplicated): 266
 - Individuals (unduplicated): 439

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Equal Opportunity Employer/Provider

Auxiliary Aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities.

LIHEAP Agency Production Report**OCS 1a 1/1/2024 - 1/31/2024**Agency : Natchitoches Parish Police Jury/Office of
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County : Natchitoches

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Utility :

Allocation:**FY2024 Heating**

Utility Agency	Family	Occupants	Number of Children Under 3	3 to 5	Number of Elderly	Payment Amount
Program Total	114	237	14	20	54	\$54350.00
Atmos Energy	36	65	4	4	18	\$17300.00
Natchitoches Parish Police Jury/Office of Community Servic	36	65	4	4	18	\$17300.00
City of Natchitoches Utility Dept	41	100	6	12	17	\$18600.00
Natchitoches Parish Police Jury/Office of Community Servic	41	100	6	12	17	\$18600.00
Cleco Power	3	13	0	1	0	\$2050.00
Natchitoches Parish Police Jury/Office of Community Servic	3	13	0	1	0	\$2050.00
Entergy Services Inc. Louisiana = 7000	3	12	1	0	0	\$1300.00
Natchitoches Parish Police Jury/Office of Community Servic	3	12	1	0	0	\$1300.00
Ferrellgas	2	3	0	0	3	\$1050.00
Natchitoches Parish Police Jury/Office of Community Servic	2	3	0	0	3	\$1050.00
Pinnacle Propane LLC	4	5	0	0	5	\$1950.00
Natchitoches Parish Police Jury/Office of Community Servic	4	5	0	0	5	\$1950.00
SWEPCO Natchitoches	22	35	2	3	9	\$11200.00
Natchitoches Parish Police Jury/Office of Community Servic	22	35	2	3	9	\$11200.00
Town of Montgomery	3	4	1	0	2	\$900.00
Natchitoches Parish Police Jury/Office of Community Servic	3	4	1	0	2	\$900.00

LIHEAP Agency Production Report**OCS 1b 1/1/2024 - 1/31/2024**Agency : Natchitoches Parish Police Jury/Office of
Community Servic

County : Natchitoches

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Utility :

Allocation: FY2024 Crisis						
Utility Agency	Family	Occupants	Number of Children Under 3	Number of Children 3 to 5	Number of Elderly	Payment Amount
Program Total	12	43	4	7	0	\$3444.31
Atmos Energy	1	3	0	0	0	\$345.75
Natchitoches Parish Police Jury/Office of Community Servic	1	3	0	0	0	\$345.75
City of Natchitoches Utility Dept	6	26	3	5	0	\$1255.52
Natchitoches Parish Police Jury/Office of Community Servic	6	26	3	5	0	\$1255.52
Cleco Power	1	5	0	1	0	\$373.16
Natchitoches Parish Police Jury/Office of Community Servic	1	5	0	1	0	\$373.16
SWEPCO Natchitoches	4	9	1	1	0	\$1469.88
Natchitoches Parish Police Jury/Office of Community Servic	4	9	1	1	0	\$1469.88

**Natchitoches Parish OCS****OCS 4a****Module 4 Report**

Filter Combination Setting: *Match ANY* **Client Created:** 01/01/2024 - 01/31/2024 **Client Assessed:** 01/01/2024 - 01/31/2024 **Service Created:** 01/01/2024 - 01/31/2024 **Service Started:** **Program Started:** **Program:** **Percentage of Poverty:** **Child Groups:** **Natchitoches Head of Household:** **Client Type:** **Warning Indicator:**

Section C:

A. Total unduplicated number of all INDIVIDUALS about whom one or more characteristics were obtained: **439**

B. Total unduplicated number of all HOUSEHOLDS about whom one or more characteristics were obtained: **266**

C. Individual Level Characteristics

1. Gender

Options	# of Persons
Female	293
Male	145
Other	0
Unknown/Not Reported	1
Unknown/not reported	0
Missing Data	1
Total	439

2. Age

Options	# of Persons
0 - 5	34
6 - 13	58
14 - 17	20
18 - 24	20
25 - 44	54
45 - 54	22
55 - 59	16
60 - 64	45
65 - 74	104
75+	61
Unknown/not reported	5
Total	439

3. Education Level

Options	# of Persons		
	Ages 14-24	Ages 25+	Missing DOB
9th - 12th Grade (nongrad)	18	63	2
Associate Degree	0	8	0
Bachelors Degree	0	15	0
GED/Equivalency Diploma	0	4	0
Graduate Degree or Higher	0	2	0
High School Graduate	8	167	0
Less than 9th Grade	9	12	0
Some College	3	31	0
Unknown/Not Reported	2	0	3
Unknown/not reported	0	0	2
Missing Data	2	0	1
Total	40	302	5

6. Ethnicity/Race

Options	# of Persons
Ethnicity	
Hispanic, Latino or Spanish Origins	0
Not Hispanic, Latino or Spanish Origins	436
Unknown/Not Reported	3
Unknown/not reported	1
Missing Data	2
Total	439
Race	
American Indian or Alaska Native	0
Asian	0
Black or African American	401
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0
White	35
Multiracial	2
Other	0
Unknown/Not Reported	1
Unknown/not reported	0
Missing Data	1
Total	439

4. Disconnected Youth

Options	# of Persons
Youth ages 14–24 who are neither working or in school	3

5. Health

Options	# of Persons		
	Yes	No	Unknown
Disabling Condition	163	275	1
Health Insurance	438	0	1
Health Insurance Sources			
Direct-Purchase			2
Employment Based			6
Medicaid			354
Medicare			171
Military Health Care			6
State Children's Health Insurance Program			0
State Health Insurance for Adults			1
Does not have health insurance			0
Unknown/Not Reported			1
<i>Unknown/not reported</i>			0
<i>Missing Data</i>			1
Total			541

7. Military Status

Options	# of Persons	
	Ages 18+	Missing DOB
Active Military	0	0
Never Served in the Military	307	4
Veteran	8	0
Unknown/Not Reported	7	1
<i>Unknown/not reported</i>	7	0
<i>Missing Data</i>	0	1
Total	322	5

8. Work Status

Options	# of Persons	
	Ages 18+	Missing DOB
Employed Full-Time	26	0
Employed Part-Time	15	0
Migrant Seasonal Farm Worker	0	0
Retired	100	1
Unemployed (Long-Term, more than 6 months)	17	0
Unemployed (Not in Labor Force)	155	1
Unemployed (Short Term, 6 months or less)	8	0
Unknown/Not Reported	1	3
<i>Unknown/not reported</i>	0	2
<i>Missing Data</i>	1	1
Total	322	5

D. Household Level Characteristics

9. Household Type

Options	# of Households
Multigenerational Household	16
Non-Related Adults with Children	0
Single Parent/Female	41
Single Parent/Male	3
Single Person	172
Two Adults/No Children	31
Two-Parent Household	2
Other	0
Unknown/Not Reported	1
<i>Unknown/not reported</i>	0
<i>Missing Data</i>	1
Total	266

10. Household Size

Options	# of Families
One	175
Two	50
Three	18
Four	10
Five	8
Six or more	4
Unknown/not reported	1
Total	266

13. Sources of Household Income

Options	# of Households
Income from Employment Only	9
Income from Employment and Other Income Sources	4
Income from Employment, Other Income Sources, and Non-Cash Benefits	6
Income from Employment and Non-Cash Benefits	7
Other Income Sources Only	119
Other Income Sources and Non-Cash Benefits	83
No Income	0
Non-Cash Benefits Only	9
Unknown/not reported	29
Total	266

11. Housing

Options	# of Families
Homeless	0
Other permanent housing	1
Own	133
Rent	131
Other	1
Unknown/Not Reported	0
Unknown/not reported	0
Missing Data	0
Total	266

12. Level of Household Income

% of HHS Guideline	# of Households
Up to 50%	26
51% to 75%	37
76% to 100%	91
101% to 125%	52
126% to 150%	21
151% to 175%	6
176% to 200%	2
201% to 250%	0
250% and over	1
Unknown/not reported	30
Total	266

14. Other Income Source

Options	# of Households
Alimony or Other Spousal Support	0
Child Support	3
EITC	0
Pension	14
Pension-Government	0
Pensions-Private	4
Private Disability Insurance	0
Retirement Income from Social Security	3
Social Security (Section G)	149
Social Security Retirement Income - DO NOT USE - USE "Retirement Income from Social Security"	6
SSDI	14
SSI	81
TANF	2
Unemployment Insurance	0
VA Non-Service Connected Disability Pension	2
VA Service-Connected Disability Compensation	2
Worker's Compensation	0
Other	20
Unknown/not reported	36
Total	336

15. Non-Cash Benefits

Options	# of Households
Affordable Care Act Subsidy	0
Childcare Voucher	0
Housing Choice Voucher	0
HUD-VASH	0
LIHEAP	0
Other Non-Cash Benefits	0
Permanent Supportive Housing	0
Public Housing	0
SNAP	103
WIC	0
Other	0
Unknown/not reported	157
Total	260