WEATHERIZATION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
The Weatherization Assistance Program helps lower energy costs for income-eligible households

WEATHERIZATION
● helps reduce energy costs;
● conserves energy;
● increases comfort in the home;
● improves safety and health standards;
● preserves housing;
● and provides jobs.

HOW DOES THE PROGRAM WORK?
1. An application is submitted to the local service provider to determine program eligibility;
2. An energy audit of the home is conducted to identify needs;
3. The home is weatherized; and
4. Home is inspected to assure quality of work completed.

WHAT SERVICES ARE INCLUDED?
Services may include but are not limited to:
● sealing of cracks and holes to reduce heat loss;
● insulation of attics and walls;
● heating system repairs or replacement;
● providing efficient lighting and refrigeration;
● window and/or outside door repair or replacement;
● minor repairs which are needed to ensure maximum efficiency of the weatherization services performed; and
● mitigation of energy-related health and safety issues.

WHO DOES THE WORK?
Program services are delivered through NYS Homes and Community Renewal’s (HCR) statewide network of local service providers who may use their own licensed crews or hire local private contractors to perform the work.

WHAT IS THE QUALITY OF THE MATERIALS USED?
HCR requires providers to purchase and use materials that meet state and federal government standards. HCR offers providers training in quality control and material use.

IS THERE A CHARGE FOR WEATHERIZATION SERVICES?
All services are provided without cost to the occupant of the home. However, owners of rental buildings must invest funds toward the cost of weatherization services performed on their property.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE FOR WEATHERIZATION SERVICES?
Eligibility is based on household income relative to federal low-income guidelines. If a household contains a member who receives Supplemental Security Income (SSI), Public Assistance, or Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP) benefits, the household may be considered automatically eligible for weatherization services.

ARE RENTERS ELIGIBLE FOR SERVICES?
Yes. Applications are accepted from renters, homeowners, and rental property owners.

WHAT TYPE OF HOME IS ELIGIBLE?
A manufactured or single-family home, an apartment building, group homes and a single room occupied as separate living quarters are all eligible.

CAN THE WEATHERIZATION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM HELP ME FIND OTHER SOURCES OF ENERGY AID?
Yes. Local providers are knowledgeable in the assistance programs from NYSERDA, the Office for Temporary and Disability Assistance, and gas and electric utility companies. Weatherization staff may help you apply for grants or loans from these agencies and others.

WHO FUNDS THE WEATHERIZATION PROGRAM?
HCR’s Weatherization Assistance Program is funded by the US Department of Energy. In addition, HCR receives funds for Weatherization activities from the Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program funded by the US Department of Health and Human Services through the NYS Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance.

HOW CAN I APPLY?
Contact a local service provider in your county for program information and an application.

FOR MORE INFORMATION:
Visit HCR’s website at hcr.ny.gov. Click “Homeownership” and then “Homeowners” scroll down to “Weatherization.” You can also contact the HCR Regional Office which serves your county.

WEATHERIZATION ASSISTANCE PROVIDERS listed on back.
Coverage by REDC* Region

Please contact the service provider for the availability of funds in your area

Capital District Region
Hampton Plaza
38-40 State St.
Albany, NY 12207
(518) 474-5700


Albany County
Albany County Community Action Partnership, Inc. (518) 463-3175 x123

Essex County
Adirondack CAP, Inc. (518) 873-3207 or 1-877-873-2979

Franklin County
Joint Council for Economic Opportunity of Clinton and Franklin Counties, Inc. (518) 561-6310

Fulton County
Fulton CAA, Inc. (585) 853-8359

Genesee County
Community Action of Orleans and Genesee, Inc. (585) 343-7798 x113 or (585) 589-5605 x106

Greene County
Community Action of Greene County, Inc. (518) 943-9205

Herkimer County
Mohawk Valley CAA (315) 624-9930

Jefferson County
Community Action Planning Council of Jefferson County, Inc. (315) 788-4388

Kings County
Bedford-Stuyvesant Restoration Corporation (718) 638-5705

Crown Heights Jewish Community Council (718) 771-9000 x7717

ODA Community Development Corp. (718) 855-8233

Sunset Park Redevelopment Committee, Inc. (718) 492-8580

Lewis County
Lewis County Opportunities, Inc. (315) 376-8202

Livingston County
Cattaraugus Community Action, Inc. (716) 945-1041 x601 or (716) 244-0577

Madison County
Stoneleigh Housing, Inc. (315) 697-3737

Monroe County
City of Rochester Only - Action for a Better Community, Inc. (585) 424-4160

PathStone Corporation (585) 424-2030 x752

Montgomery County
Fulton CAA, Inc. (585) 853-8359

Nassau County
Community Development Corporation of Long Island, Inc. (631) 471-1215 x155

New York County
Harlem Community Development Corp. (212) 961-4100

Housing Conservation Coordinators (212) 541-5996

Northern Manhattan Improvement Corp. (212) 822-8340

Niagara County
Niagara Community Action Program, Inc. (716) 285-9681 x114

Onondaga County
People’s Equal Action and Community Effort, Inc. (315) 390-2222 x200

Orange County
Regional Economic Community Action Program, Inc. (845) 421-6266

Ottawa County
Community Action of Orleans and Genesee, Inc. (585) 589-5605 x106 or (585) 589-5605 x106

Peekskill Community Action Program, Inc. (845) 279-5533

Queens County
Association for Energy Affordability, Inc. (718) 292-6733 x8212

HANAC, Inc. (718) 626-7575

Margaret Community Corporation (718) 471-3724

Rensselaer County
Commission on Economic Opportunity for the Greater Capital Region, Inc. (518) 272-6012 x920

Richmond County
Northfield Community LDC of Staten Island, Inc. (718) 442-7351 x241

Rockland County
Economic Community Action Program, Inc. (845) 421-6266

Saratoga County
LifeWorks Community Action (518) 288-3206

Schenectady County
LifeWorks Community Action (518) 288-3206

Schoharie County
Schoharie County CAP, Inc. (518) 234-2568

Schuyler County
Economic Opportunity Program, Inc. of Chemung and Schuyler Counties (607) 535-2466 x201

Seneca County
Seneca County Office for the Aging (315) 220-3045

Steuben County
Pro Action of Steuben and Yates, Inc. (607) 776-2125 x116 or 1-800-618-7882

Suffolk County
Community Development Corporation of Long Island, Inc. (631) 471-1215 x155

Sullivan County
Delaware Opportunities, Inc. (607) 746-1690

Tioga County
Tioga Opportunities, Inc. (607) 687-0944 or 1-877-786-2419 x1

Tompkins County
Cortland CAP, Inc. (607) 344-3112

Ulster County
Ulster County Community Action Program, Inc. (845) 333-4155 x3102

Wayne County
Wayne County Action Program, Inc. (315) 333-4155 x3102

Genesee County
Economic Opportunity Program, Inc. of Chemung and Schuyler Counties (607) 734-0795

Chenango County
Opportunities for Otsego, Inc. (607) 433-8000 or 1-800-986-5463

Clinton County
Joint Council for Economic Opportunity of Clinton and Franklin Counties, Inc. (518) 561-6310

Columbia County
Columbia Opportunities, Inc. (518) 672-7268

Cornell County
Cornell CAP, Inc. (607) 344-3112

Delaware County
Delaware Opportunities, Inc. (607) 746-1690

Dutchess County
Community Action Partnership for Dutchess County, Inc. (845) 452-5104 x127

Erie County
City of Buffalo Only - Neighborhood Housing Services of South Buffalo, Inc. (716) 837-0071

Lt. Colonel Matt Urban Human Services Center of Western NY (716) 893-7222 x218

Supportive Services Corp. (716) 689-6252

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