
General Information Memorandum

ISD-GI 16-54

TO: ISD Employees
FROM: Sean Pearson, Deputy Secretary, Income Support Division
RE: LIHEAP Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2017 Points and Income Guide
DATE: August 18, 2016

Attached is the updated FFY 2017 LIHEAP Income Points Guide Effective October 1, 2016 - September 30, 2017.

- Point Value is \$35
- The Energy Standard Allowance is \$200

If you have any questions or comments, feel free to contact Sharon Rivera at 505-827-7267 or by email at Sharonm.Rivera@state.nm.gov

NM LIHEAP Income/Points Guide FFY 2017

October 2016 - September 2017

Household Eligibility

- Heating or Cooling Expense
- Reside in New Mexico
- US Citizenship or Qualified Immigrant
- Identification
- Social Security Number
- Income no more than 150% of Poverty

Income Eligibility - 150% of Poverty

Household Size	Monthly	Annual
1	\$ 1,485	\$ 17,820
2	\$ 2,003	\$ 24,036
3	\$ 2,520	\$ 30,240
4	\$ 3,038	\$ 36,456
5	\$ 3,555	\$ 42,660
6	\$ 4,073	\$ 48,876
7	\$ 4,592	\$ 55,104
8	\$ 5,112	\$ 61,344
Each +	\$ 521	\$ 6,252

Benefit Points

A - Energy

Highest Energy Bill divided by income

16% or greater	3 Points
11% - 15%	2 Points
6% - 10%	1 Point
5% <	0 Points
Propane additional	2 Points
Energy Standard Allowance \$200	

B - Income

HH Size	3 Points	2 Points
1	\$ 990	\$ 1,485
2	\$ 1,335	\$ 2,003
3	\$ 1,680	\$ 2,520
4	\$ 2,025	\$ 3,038
5	\$ 2,370	\$ 3,555
6	\$ 2,715	\$ 4,073
7	\$ 3,061	\$ 4,592
8	\$ 3,408	\$ 5,112
Each +	\$ 347	\$ 521

C - Vulnerable Members

Age 5 or younger	2 Points
Age 60 or older	2 Points
Disabled	2 Points

will change when receive the FNS data

Point Values - \$35 per point	
Points	HH Benefit Amount
2	\$ 70
3	\$ 105
4	\$ 140
5	\$ 175
6	\$ 210
7	\$ 245
8	\$ 280
9	\$ 315
10	\$ 350
11	\$ 385
12	\$ 420
13	\$ 455
14	\$ 490