

NM LIHEAP Point and Income Guide FFY 2021

October 2020 - September 2021

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
- Primary Heating Source Account Information
- If primary heating is not electric, Electric Account Information is required if the household has an electric account

Income Eligibility - 150% of Poverty

Household Size	Monthly	Annual
1	\$ 1,596	\$ 19,152
2	\$ 2,156	\$ 25,872
3	\$ 2,715	\$ 32,580
4	\$ 3,276	\$ 39,312
5	\$ 3,836	\$ 46,032
6	\$ 4,395	\$ 52,740
7	\$ 4,956	\$ 59,472
8	\$ 5,516	\$ 66,192
Each +	\$ 561	\$ 6,732

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		\$208

B - Income

HH Size	3 Points	2 Points
1	\$ 1,064	\$ 1,596
2	\$ 1,437	\$ 2,156
3	\$ 1,810	\$ 2,715
4	\$ 2,184	\$ 3,276
5	\$ 2,557	\$ 3,836
6	\$ 2,930	\$ 4,395
7	\$ 3,304	\$ 4,956
8	\$ 3,677	\$ 5,516
Each +	\$ 374	\$ 561

C - Vulnerable Members

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

Point Values - \$40 per point

Points	HH Benefit Amount
2	\$ 80
3	\$ 120
4	\$ 160
5	\$ 200
6	\$ 240
7	\$ 280
8	\$ 320
9	\$ 360
10	\$ 400
11	\$ 440
12	\$ 480
13	\$ 520
14	\$ 560