



Fuel and Electric Assistance Programs Information

The following gives you important information about how to apply to the Fuel and Electric Assistance Programs.

Please keep this page for your records.

- Complete all sections of the application form list everyone living in the household; include birthdates and social security numbers on the application.
- First time applicants: please include copy of most recent tax return. If no taxes were filed, include copies of social security cards or other legal documents with social security numbers listed for all household members.
- All applicants: please include copies of all income received for all household members for the 30 days prior to the date you sign your application. See reverse side for types of documentation to include.
- Provide a current copy of your electric bill and fuel account information.
- Sign and date your application we cannot process it without your signature.
- This is the beginning of the application process. Processing times can be up to 60 days.

Please complete the attached application and submit along with requested documents via one of the following methods:

- Mail: Community Action Program, PO Box 1016, Concord NH 03302
- Email: Fuelassistance@capbm.org
- o Fax: 603-228-1898
- o **Drop off at your local area resource center contacts on next page**Please be advised that an intake worker may not be able to review your application with you right away.
- o If you would prefer an In Person Appointment, please call 603-223-0043

APPLICATION PROCESS

1. Submit your application

Make sure you complete and sign the application.

Make sure you've included your supporting documentation.



2. Initial Review

An intake staff member will complete an initial review and contact you if any additional information is needed to complete your application.



3. Application is Certified

The application will be submitted to a certifier once all required info is received. A certifier will review, and your application will be Enrolled or Denied.

HOW YOU WILL BE NOTIFIED

Denial Letter

- You will receive a physical notification letter explaining why the application was denied.
- You may reapply for the programs with updated information and/or a complete application.

Fuel Assistance Enrollment

- You and your fuel vendor will receive a notification letter showing the benefit amount you have been approved for.
- Letters for applicants enrolled in preseason (July-November) will be mailed once the program opens in December.

Electric Assistance Enrollment

- You will be mailed a physical notification letter showing the discount amount you have been approved for.
- Your electric bill will start to show this recurring discount after 1-2 billing cycles.

Required Income Documentation

Please provide copies for <u>all</u> household members for 30 days prior to the date the application is signed.

For these types of income, you need copies ONLY

• Employment Paychecks

Last 6 paystubs if paid weekly, last 3 paystubs if paid bi-weekly, 2 if paid monthly

• Social Security

Benefit letter from current year or current bank statement if direct deposited

• Short or Long Term Disability

For Workers Comp or Disability send in total amount received in last 30 days (last 5 pay stubs)

• Pensions or Annuities

Tax return or most recent account statement if received in the last 30 days

IRA

If taken within the last year, proof of amount and date taken, or most recent tax return.

• Self-Employment

Include most recent complete tax return with all schedules and attachments

• Rental Income

Include most recent complete tax return with all schedules and attachments

• Interest or Dividends

Most recent tax return

• VA Benefit or VA Pension

Current benefit letter

Alimony

Proof of total amount received in last 30 days

• DHHS Assistance

If any household members receive food stamps, TANF, NHEP, FAP, OAA, APTD, etc. – please include copy of most recent decision letter(s)

For these types of income, you must complete a form

• Unemployment

If you are receiving, or have received in the prior year please complete the unemployment form

• Employer Verification Form

If job ended within last 8 weeks or pay is sporadic then employer must complete this form

• Child Support Form

If both parents are not in the household this form must be completed.

• No Income Form

If any adults (18+) in home have no form of income, this form must be completed

Commissions Form

If anyone receives payment through commissions, form to be completed by employer

• State or Town Welfare Form

If assistance was received in last 8 weeks from state/town welfare, form must be completed - OR provide your letter of decision.

• Self-Employment Form

(only if income is not on current tax return)

• Rental Income

(only if income is not on current tax return)

*Please contact us to request forms be mailed or emailed to you. You can also download forms from our website at:

www.capbm.org/fuel-assistance-program-fap

You may receive a request for additional information. We cannot process an application until we have all the necessary information and documentation per the program rules. Thank you for your cooperation.

If you have any questions, please call us at 603-223-0043:

Concord Area Resource Center 2 Industrial Park Dr Concord, NH 03301 CARC@capbm.org

Towns Served: Boscawen, Canterbury, Concord, Franklin, Loudon, Northfield Laconia Area Resource Center 121 Belmont Rd Laconia, NH 03246 LARC@capbm.org

Towns Served: Alton, Barnstead, Belmont, Gilford, Gilmanton, Laconia, Sanbornton, Tilton Warner Area Resource Center 49 West Main St Warner, NH 03278 WARC@capbm.org

Towns Served: Andover, Bradford, Danbury, Henniker, Hill, Hopkinton, Newbury, New London, Salisbury, Sutton, Warner, Webster, Wilmot Suncook Area
Resource Center

15 Glass Street, Suite 104 Suncook, NH 03275 SARC@capbm.org

Towns Served:
Allenstown, Bow,
Chichester, Dunbarton,
Epsom, Hooksett,
Pembroke, Pittsfield

Meredith Area Resource Center 147 Main Street Meredith, NH 03253 MARC@capbm.org

Towns Served: Center Harbor, Meredith, New Hampton





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A	pplicant	Con	tact	Inform	nation:
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Applicant Name:	Total Number of I	Total Number of Members in House:		
Street Address:	City:	Zip:		
Mailing: Street/PO Box:	City:	Zip:		
Primary Phone Number:	Cell Phone Number:			
Email address:				
Home Information:				
Are you interested in having your home Weat	herized? YESNO			
Type of Home: Single Family Do	uplex Multi-Family			
Mobile Home Co	ondo Rooming House			
Total number of rooms: (do not cou	ant hallways, bathrooms, closets, panta	ries, or basements)		
Do you own your home? YES	NO Monthly Mortgage am	ount: \$		
Do you rent your home? YES	NO Monthly Rental amoun	nt: \$		
Is your rent subsidized? YES	NO Your Portion of Rent	amount: \$		
Is your heat included in your rent? YES If your rent is subsidized <u>and</u> your heat	NO is included, you will not be eligible for the	ne fuel assistance program.		
Fuel Account Information:				
Fuel Vendor Company Name:	Account Number:	Account Number:		
Have you used the same fuel vendor for the la	ast 12 months? YES NO			
Heating Type: Oil Kerosene Pr	opane Electric Natural	Gas Wood/Pellets _		
How much fuel is in your tank?	(or) How much wood/pellets de	o you have?		
Do you have a permanent secondary heat sou	arce? (Other than space heaters)			
If heat is included in rent, are you facing evict	tion? NO YES *1	Date of eviction:		
Do you have a natural gas or electric disconne *Please include a copy of dem	ect notice? NO YES *I			
Would you like to apply for the E	lectric Assistance Progran	<u>n</u> ? YES NO		
Electric Vendor Company Name:	Account Number:			
Customer name on electric bill:				

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Household Info: Please provide information regarding each household member. For more than 4 members, please either make a copy of this application, attach a separate sheet, or print the additional household members page from our website: www.capbm.org/fuel-assistance-program-fap

	1st Resident	2nd Resident	3rd Resident	4th Resident
First & Last Name	(Applicant on page 1)			
Social security #				
Date of Birth				
Gender				
Ethnicity (optional)				
Are you a Veteran?	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO
Health Insurance	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO
Current Student	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO
Last grade completed:				
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Currently Employed? Pay Frequency?	YES NO Weekly Bi-weekly Monthly	YES NO Weekly Bi-weekly Monthly	YES NO Weekly Bi-weekly Monthly	YES NO Weekly Bi-weekly Monthly
Receiving Unemployment?	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO
Self-Employed?	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO
Are You Disabled?	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO
Receiving Social Security, SSI or SSDI?	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO
Do you pay for Medicare? Part D prescription plan?	Medicare \$ Prescription \$	Medicare \$ Prescription \$	Medicare \$ Prescription \$	Medicare \$ Prescription \$
Receiving Food Stamps?	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO
Receiving Pension, VA benefits or Annuities?	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO
Withdrew from IRA/401K within one year?	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO
Child Support? (If both parents are not in the household a form must be completed) If any other income, what	YES – paying YES – receiving NO			

Release and Conditions: I understand that this application is only a request for assistance. No assistance can be provided until the application is completed and approved. I understand that assistance is based on the availability of funds. I authorize the Fuel, Electric and Weatherization Assistance Programs to contact any necessary third party in order to verify my household income and any other information necessary to determine my eligibility for assistance. I authorize the Fuel and Electric Assistance Program(s) to obtain a record of my annual energy consumption, electric usage or costs and billing information from my heating and electric company for purposes of program operation and evaluation. I authorize the Community Action Agency to provide my household date to their internal information systems for the purpose of program evaluation and reporting. I authorize the Fuel Assistance Program to call the listed vendor/landlord in the event of an energy emergency. I understand that a final determination of eligibility for the Weatherization Program does not take place until a home energy audit has been completed by certified Weatherization Program personnel. I understand that the Electric Assistance Program benefit is provided to assist our household in making full and timely payments on my electric bill. I understand that the information that I am providing is for the purpose of determining my eligibility for the Fuel, Electric and/or Weatherization Assistance Program(s). I understand that if I knowingly give inaccurate or incomplete information pertaining to my eligibility for the program(s), I am breaking the law and can be prosecuted; conviction may result in imprisonment and/or fine. Furthermore, I may be subject to administrative penalties which may include denial of eligibility and/or repayment of the assistance I received. The information that I have provided for this application process is true and correct. NH's Fuel and Weatherization Assistance Programs prohibit discrimination based on race, color,

Applicant Signature:	Date:	
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We cannot process this application without your signature and date

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