

LIHEAP Report to Congress for Fiscal Year 2015: Part III. Household Data
Supplemental Tables: Assisted Households with Detailed Footnotes

Table III-1. Number of LIHEAP-assisted households and States providing assistance, by type of assistance, as reported by states, FY 2015¹

Type of LIHEAP assistance	Number of states	Number of assisted households
Heating	51	5,560,456
Cooling	19	692,604
Winter crisis ²	31	955,293
Year-round crisis ³	22	351,089
Summer crisis	9	114,184
Weatherization ⁴	45	72,840
Any type	51	NA ⁵

¹ These data are collected from the *LIHEAP Household Report for FY 2015*. They're current as of August 23, 2016. Prior to FY 2015, the number of households assisted with winter crisis assistance or year-round crisis assistance were reported together in the *LIHEAP Household Report*. Beginning with the *LIHEAP Household Report for FY 2015*, states were asked to report the number of households assisted with winter crisis assistance separately from the number of households assisted with year-round crisis assistance. See Appendix A for a copy of the report.

² Includes data for households assisted by two states (Alaska, Massachusetts) that provided winter crisis fuel assistance solely by expediting heating assistance.

³ Includes data for households assisted by one state (Maryland) that provided year-round crisis fuel assistance solely by expediting heating assistance.

⁴ Forty-five states provided weatherization assistance in FY 2015. This total includes states that weatherized households during FY 2015 with funds from FY 2014. Therefore, this total is not comparable to the total number of states that provided FY 2015 weatherization assistance benefits under 'Uses of Funds' (Table I-6).

⁵ Two states were unable to report on households receiving 'Any type of LIHEAP assistance' in FY 2015.

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Supplemental Table III-2. Number of LIHEAP assisted households, by type of assistance and state, as reported by states, FY 2015¹

(Table III-2 with detailed footnotes)

State	Heating assistance	Cooling assistance ²	Winter crisis assistance ³	Year-round crisis assistance ³	Summer crisis assistance	Weatherization assistance	Any type of assistance ⁴
Total	5,560,456	692,604	955,293	351,089	114,184	72,840	NA
Alabama	56,970	41,454	13,382	0	11,073	113	79,235
Alaska ³	9,212	0	1,324	0	0	68	9,230
Arizona	7,859	18,855	0	6,102	0	461	28,882
Arkansas	58,340	48,164	15,095	0	5,909	409	81,343
California ^{2 5 6}	139,020	--	0	77,647	0	12,712	223,028
Colorado ⁵	81,449	0	14,238	0	0	613	81,449
Connecticut ^{7 8}	99,088	0	31,888	0	0	0	99,088
Delaware ^{5 7}	14,362	9,415	0	1,657	0	0	15,804
Dist. of Col. ^{5 9}	7,479	557	0	4,724	197	273	12,957
Florida	33,613	38,974	35,909	0	40,678	1,788	124,117
Georgia	112,523	0	28,832	0	0	560	141,563
Hawaii ²	8,394	--	0	541	0	0	8,935
Idaho ⁵	36,496	0	0	4,313	0	451	38,713
Illinois ⁵	185,432	0	26,797	0	0	2,156	189,764
Indiana	117,758	116,651	24,855	0	0	1,195	121,010
Iowa ⁵	80,864	0	0	3,642	0	1,388	80,864
Kansas	41,895	0	2,116	0	0	873	44,769
Kentucky	94,564	0	80,523	0	0	671	125,580
Louisiana	30,135	40,844	0	11,734	0	255	68,330
Maine ^{5 7}	37,360	0	5,044	0	0	1,123	37,511
Maryland ^{3 3 5}	111,071	0	0	2,229	0	76	111,071
Massachusetts ^{3 3 7}	180,010	0	18,357	0	0	10,254	180,010
Michigan ^{5 10}	370,045	0	73,722	0	0	776	509,985
Minnesota ⁵	138,877	0	38,695	0	0	1,591	138,995
Mississippi ⁵	21,878	20,230	1,348	0	755	492	34,464
Missouri ⁵	133,268	0	51,469	0	25,524	1,320	144,312
Montana ^{5 7}	18,459	0	0	619	0	1,003	18,468
Nebraska ^{5 11}	39,674	11,009	0	8,363	0	270	41,973
Nevada ^{2 12}	25,779	--	0	1,434	0	107	25,841
New Hampshire	35,073	0	1,806	0	0	172	35,073
New Jersey ⁵	266,624	48,863	29,341	0	0	2,114	280,090
New Mexico	31,285	21,954	4,316	2,841	1,419	328	62,033
New York ^{5 7}	1,145,331	4,184	118,951	0	0	4,689	1,163,031
North Carolina ⁵	126,108	0	0	104,376	0	1,473	187,865
North Dakota ^{5 13 14}	12,625	91	0	1,112	0	931	12,625
Ohio ⁵	403,110	0	131,090	0	17,908	8,661	414,760
Oklahoma	92,294	85,307	0	9,894	0	190	119,217

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State	Heating assistance	Cooling assistance ²	Winter crisis assistance ³	Year-round crisis assistance ³	Summer crisis assistance	Weatherization assistance	Any type of assistance ⁴
Oregon ⁷	63,225	0	0	6,663	0	814	63,760
Pennsylvania ^{5 7}	390,121	0	130,349	0	0	1,067	390,708
Rhode Island ^{5 7}	30,021	0	5,892	0	0	1,742	30,021
South Carolina ^{5 15}	13,932	9,348	16,951	272	10,721	110	22,199
South Dakota ⁵	21,953	0	1,532	0	0	0	23,485
Tennessee	77,419	11,592	0	19,434	0	0	108,445
Texas ^{5 16}	19,385	97,084	0	34,263	0	3,571	NA
Utah ⁵	32,846	0	0	931	0	513	34,357
Vermont ⁷	26,812	0	5,653	0	0	0	26,812
Virginia	126,670	68,028	21,906	0	0	1,173	156,049
Washington ^{5 7 17}	58,507	0	12,471	0	0	947	71,925
West Virginia ^{5 18}	76,500	0	9,971	0	0	537	NA
Wisconsin ^{5 19}	209,208	0	0	48,298	0	2,387	215,202
Wyoming ⁵	9,533	0	1,470	0	0	423	9,533

¹ The data in this table are current as of August 23, 2016.

² A designation of "--" applies to those states that did not provide a separate count for cooling assistance because: 1) their heating assistance household counts include, and cooling assistance counts exclude, households that received combined heating and cooling assistance (California, Nevada), or 2) households received energy assistance with no differentiation made between heating and cooling assistance (Hawaii). These states reported these households under heating assistance.

³ Households in winter fuel crisis situations (Alaska, Massachusetts) or year-round fuel crisis situations (Maryland) were assisted solely through expedited heating assistance. These states reported these household counts under the type of crisis assistance, but reported the funding obligated under heating assistance (Table I-7).

⁴ The national total unduplicated count of households receiving any type of LIHEAP assistance is not available as data were reported incorrectly by two states (Texas, West Virginia). These instances are marked with "NA" as data were not available.

⁵ The following states provided emergency heating/cooling repairs or replacements to households as part of their energy crisis benefits. These households are excluded from the crisis assistance counts from Table III-2: California (3,375), Colorado (1,592), Delaware (2), District of Columbia (61), Idaho (462), Illinois (1,358), Iowa (1,166), Maine (18), Maryland (152), Michigan (976), Minnesota (5,243), Mississippi (1,705), Missouri (192), Montana (562), Nebraska (153), New Jersey (2,924), New York (1,264), North Carolina (1,287), North Dakota (933), Oregon (339), Pennsylvania (8,050), Rhode Island (553), South Carolina (122), South Dakota (544), Texas (3,927), Utah (357), Washington (307), West Virginia (75), Wisconsin (335), and Wyoming (413).

⁶ California's crisis assistance counts exclude 51 households served with the state's Severe Weather Energy Assistance and Transportation Services (SWEATS).

⁷ The following states provided nominal benefits for SNAP households and reported the number of households assisted. These households are not included in the household counts in Table III-2: Connecticut, 95,229 - \$20.01 benefits; Delaware, 14,177 - \$20 benefits; Maine, 8,071 - \$21 benefits; Massachusetts, 113,757 - \$21 benefits; Montana, 884 - \$25 benefits or 5% of the amount of a regular LIHEAP benefit; New York, 291,922 - \$21 benefits; Oregon, 48,514 - \$1 benefits (first quarter of FY 2015) or \$21 benefits (remainder of FY 2015); Pennsylvania, 301,213 - \$21 to \$24 benefits; Rhode Island, 67,459 - \$20 benefits; Vermont, 26,558 - \$21 benefits; Washington, 143,603 - \$20 benefits.

⁸ Connecticut's winter crisis assistance count excludes 16,960 households that also received Safety Net Assistance.

⁹ The District of Columbia obligated funds to year-round crisis assistance, but separated the household count into year-round crisis assistance and summer crisis assistance depending on the month in which assistance was provided.

¹⁰ Michigan's winter crisis assistance count excludes 96,680 households that received assistance through the Michigan Energy Assistance Program.

¹¹ Nebraska's year-round crisis assistance counts exclude 1,908 households that received deposit assistance.

¹² Nevada's year-round crisis assistance count excludes 12 households assisted through the state's Crisis Intervention Program.

¹³ North Dakota assisted households with non-crisis cooling equipment repair and replacement services using funding obligated to emergency cooling equipment repair and replacement, but reported such households under cooling assistance.

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¹⁴ North Dakota reported that it weatherized some households in FY 2015 with LIHEAP weatherization funds obligated but not expended in FY 2014.

¹⁵ South Carolina's crisis assistance counts exclude 382 households that were provided air conditioners and 45 households that were provided blankets. Households receiving year-round fuel crisis bill payment assistance may have also received emergency furnace and air conditioner repair and replacement services.

¹⁶ Texas has not developed effective procedures to develop accurate statistics on the unduplicated count of households receiving any type of assistance. Therefore, these data are suppressed and are indicated as 'NA'.

¹⁷ Washington's winter crisis assistance count excludes 205 households that received Temporary Shelter Assistance and 16 households that received other emergency repairs.

¹⁸ West Virginia was unable to report a reliable unduplicated count of households receiving any type of assistance because the state has not developed effective procedures for comparing LIHEAP fuel assistance recipients with LIHEAP-funded weatherization assistance recipients. Therefore, these data are suppressed and are indicated as 'NA'.

¹⁹ Wisconsin's year-round crisis assistance count excludes 2,384 households that received assistance through the Keep WI Warm Fund.