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# Alabama Weatherization Assistance Program



### Overview

The Alabama Weatherization Assistance Program receives funding from the U.S. Department of Energy and the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. ADECA contracts with local community action agencies and the Central Alabama Regional Planning and Development Commission to deliver weatherization assistance to low-income households in all 67 counties across the state.

The mission is to reduce energy costs for low-income households, particularly for the elderly, people with disabilities and families with children, by improving the energy efficiency of their homes while ensuring their health and safety. In order to receive assistance, the applicant's income must not exceed 200% of the federally established poverty level.

Alabama Weatherization Assistance requires participants agree to minor alterations to their homes based on an assessment and energy audit conducted by trained professionals to determine the most cost-effective means of reducing energy consumption. Health and safety checks are also performed on the home.

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## 2023 POVERTY INCOME GUIDELINES CONTIGUOUS STATES U.S. GRANTEES EFFECTIVE January 12, 2023

#### INCOME LEVELS

Size of Family Unit	Threshold	200%
1	\$14,580	\$29,160
2	\$19,720	\$39,440
3	\$24,860	\$49,720
4	\$30,000	\$60,000
5	\$35,140	\$70,280
6	\$40,280	\$80,560
7	\$45,420	\$80,840
8	\$50,560	\$101,120

For families with more than 8 persons, 100% of poverty level increases \$5,140 for each additional person. Therefore, for weatherization at 200% of poverty level, add \$10,280 for each additional person.

# 2023 POVERTY GUIDELINES FOR ALASKA

Size of Family Unit	Threshold	200%
1	\$ 18,210	\$36,420
2	\$ 24,640	\$49,280
3	\$ 31,070	\$62,140
4	\$ 37,500	\$75,000
5	\$ 43,930	\$87,860
6	\$ 50,360	\$100,720
7	\$ 56,790	\$113,580
8	\$ 63,220	\$126,440

For families with more than 8 persons, 100% of poverty level increases \$6,430 for each additional person. Therefore, for weatherization at 200% of poverty level, add \$12,860 for each additional person.



# Community Action of Northwest Alabama

### Weatherization Assistance Instruction Sheet and Guide

The Low-Income Home Weatherization Program (WAP) helps qualified households in meeting the rising cost of home energy. Please read this letter carefully and use the step-by-step guide below to ensure you are submitting a complete application. <u>Failure to provide requested information and documents will delay your application process.</u>

- Step 1- Complete & Sign Application
- Step 2- Include Copy of Proof of Ownership of Residence
- Step 3- Include Copy of Photo ID for Head of Household or Spouse (Person Signing Application)
- Step 4- Include Copy of Social Security Cards for ALL household members
- Step 5- Include Copy of Income Documentation for ALL household members for the entire prior calendar month (NO BANK STATEMENTS) Examples below are a guide, but not limited to:
  - Pay stubs for the entire prior calendar month (determined by pay DATE rather than pay period)
  - Current Social Security, SSI, Disability benefit letter
  - Child Support, TANF
  - EXCEPTION If anyone 18 or over had NO INCOME, Income from Occasional Work and/or received money from family or friends or Income not reported elsewhere then COMPLETE STEP 6
- Step 6- If applicable, complete and sign a NO INCOME FORM. The form may be picked up at one of the office locations listed below. ONLY COMPLETE if anyone 18 or over in the household had NO INCOME for the month prior to application OR received INCOME FROM OCCASIONAL WORK (such as lawn care, house cleaning, babysitting, etc.) and/or RECEIVED MONEY from family or friends or any INCOME NOT REPORTED ELSEWHERE.
- Step 7- Include PAST utility bill/statement
- Step 8- Review each page for completeness, sign/date where requested, and include required documents.
  - Fax, Mail or Drop off application and documentation to any of the below offices.

<u>Community Action Agency of Northwest Alabama</u> \*Agency Website: <u>www.caanw.org</u>

Colbert County Office: 505 North Columbia Avenue, Sheffield, Al 35660

Phone Number: (256) 383-3832 Fax: (256) 381-4107

Lauderdale County Office: 745 Thompson Street, Florence, Al 35630

Phone Number: (256) 766-4330 Fax: (256) 766-4367

Franklin County Office: 13150 Hwy 43, Suite 4, Russellville, Al 35653

Phone Number: (256) 332-7534 Fax (256) 332-7520

Processing your application is our top priority; however it does take time. You will be contacted by telephone 1) once application is approved, 2) if additional information is needed or 3) if there are any discrepancies in your application in comparison to information on file.

# Community Action Agency of Northwest Alabama



## APPLICATION FOR WEATHERIZATION ASSISTANCE

## \*\*THIS APPLICATION DOES NOT GUARANTEE SERVICE OR ELIGIBILITY\*\*

Date:		
Has the dwelling of app previous federally funded	licant ever received any weatherizati weatherization program?  ] YES   NO	on assistance from a
	the <u>date</u> originally weatherized:	
Last Name:	First Name:	Social Security #:
Street Address:	City/Town:	Zip Code:
SEX:  Male Female	Age of Applicant:	Telephone#
Race:  ( ) White ( ) Black ( ) American Indian ( ) Hispanic ( ) Asian or Pacific Island ( ) Other	Is any member disabled?  Yes  No	Is any member of the household Elderly?  Yes No

Does the government pay any of your rent or house payment?
☐ Yes ☐ NO
IS THE RESIDENCE:
OWNED BY HOUSEHOLD MEMBER
<ol> <li>ZRENTED WITH FUEL INCLUDED IN RENT</li> <li>3RENTED BUT HOUSEHOLD PAYS FOR FUEL</li> </ol>
You live in:
City/TownSuburb Rural Area
Number of persons 18 years of age or younger in household
Number of persons 19 years of age or older in household
Number of migrants and seasonal farmworkers
Type of Structure:
Wood FrameBrickMasonryMobile HomeMulti-Unit
Which fuel do you use most for heating? Check one of the following:
Fuel oil KeroseneLP GasNatural Gas Electricity Wood/CoalOther
Which Type of Heating Source is Used? Check one of the following:
Space HeaterHot WaterSteamHot AirStoveOther
STATEMENT OF AFFIRMATION
I certify that the information I have provided is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I hereby give my consent for the local Weatherization Assistance Program (WAP) to verify the information I have given. I also understand that I am subject to any applicable Federal or State laws concerning fraud or knowingly provide false or incomplete information in order to obtain assistance.
Date:
WAP Employee or Outreach Worker Applicant's Signature

Name (First and Last)		Household Members Information	
לו נוצר מנות במצל	Name (First and Last)	Name (First and Last)	Name (First and Last)
DOB / /	) / / BOO	DOB / /	) / MOD
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Gender  M F Other  Education:	Gender  M F Other	Gender M F Other	Gender M F Other
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Black/Af.Am White	Race Black/Af.Am White	Race Black/Af.Am White	Race Black/Af.Am White
Bi-/Multiracial Other	Bi-/Multiracial Other		][
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Source	Source	Source	Source
		Wages	Wages
Social Security	Social Security	cial Security	Social Security
Frequency (Wages or Other)	Frequency (Wages or Other)	Frequency	Frequency
Weekly Monthly Bi-weekly Semi-monthly	Weekly Monthly	ages or Other	(Wages or Other)  Weekly
Every person that lives in your household	must he listed on this face.	Bi-weekly Semi-monthly	Bi-weekly Semi-monthly
updated information in our system to better assist you with your needs.	iter assist you with your needs.	updated information in our system to better assist you with your needs.	household it ensures that we have
Applicant's Signature			Date

Please make copies of this form if needed for additional household members