

## Household Income Limits

Household Size	Monthly Gross
1	\$1,361
2	\$1,839
3	\$2,316
4	\$2,794
5	\$3,271
6	\$3,749
7	\$4,226
8	\$4,704
Each Extra Person	\$478

### Eligibility requirements:

- You are a U.S. Citizen or a legal resident of Colorado.
- You pay heating costs directly to an energy provider or you pay the cost of heating your home with you rent.
- Your income falls within the guidelines.

**If you receive a shut-off notice or your main heat source has been disconnected please bring the notice to our office immediately.**

To receive information on the status of your application, or for year-round assistance with your utility bill please call:

**1-866-432-8435  
(HEAT HELP)**

*County LEAP offices have up to 50 calendar days to process a non-emergency application.*

Colorado LEAP Website:  
<http://www.cdhs.state.co.us/LEAP/>

Pueblo County



LEAP

*warmth in every home*

### What is LEAP?

The Colorado LEAP program is a federally funded state-supervised, county-administered system and is designed to **assist** with your winter heating costs. The LEAP Program eligibility period runs from **November 1st through April 30th.**

***LEAP is not intended to pay the entire cost of home heating. If you are applying for LEAP assistance you should continue to pay your home heating bill.***

### Department of Social Services

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## Where can I get an application?

If you received LEAP last season an application packet will be mailed to your residence. For all other applicants you may request an application packet be mailed to you by contacting HEAT HELP at 1-866-432-8435. For year-round assistance with your utility bills please contact HEAT HELP toll-free at 1-866-432-8435. You may also print a copy of the [English LEAP application](#).

Please follow the directions on the [English information sheet](#) and then mail or fax your application to Pueblo County DSS.

[Aplicacion de espanol](#) and [Hoja de informacion](#)



**To contact us:**

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## List of Services

In addition to assisting with winter heating costs, **Crisis Intervention Program:** The Crisis Intervention Program (CIP) operates year-round and provides assistance with your home's primary heating source such as a furnace. You must be eligible for basic LEAP to qualify for CIP. Applications are available at Pueblo County DSS.

## Weatherization

You may also qualify for free weatherization services that will improve your home through the Governor's Energy Office Weatherization Program. Weatherization will reduce your home energy usage, help you save money, and keep your home safer and more comfortable year round. For more information please call

583-6110



## CIP—Crisis Intervention Program

If you are eligible for LEAP, you may qualify for emergency help such as repair or replacement of your primary heating system. If you have this type of emergency during business hours you must contact DSS and request a CIP application before work is done.

If you have a life-threatening emergency after business hours or on the weekend, have the work done but you must apply within (5) working days after the next business day to receive benefits. If you have a non-life threatening emergency, wait until the next business day to contact DSS.

