

9.J Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)

Table 9.J1.—Number of households receiving home energy assistance, by state, fiscal year 1996, and by type of assistance, fiscal years 1982–96

| State and fiscal year | Number of households assisted ¹ | | | | |
|---------------------------|--|---------|----------------------------|--------|--|
| | Heating | Cooling | Energy crisis intervention | | Low-cost residential weatherization/energy-related home repair |
| | | | Winter | Summer | |
| Total | ² 3,974,152 | 128,538 | 804,560 | 59,992 | 91,503 |
| Alabama..... | 39,706 | ... | 7,944 | 11,689 | 1,304 |
| Alaska..... | ³ 11,501 | ... | 441 | ... | 1,278 |
| Arizona..... | ² 21,083 | (2) | 3,063 | ... | 489 |
| Arkansas..... | 36,353 | ... | 10,112 | ... | 486 |
| California..... | ² 156,168 | (2) | 20,358 | ... | 10,440 |
| Colorado..... | 44,361 | ... | 701 | ... | 2,139 |
| Connecticut..... | 66,111 | ... | 16,193 | ... | ... |
| Delaware..... | 11,594 | ... | 4468 | ... | 70 |
| District of Columbia..... | 11,551 | ... | 2,961 | ... | 300 |
| Florida..... | ² 66,117 | (2) | 24,173 | ... | 1,446 |
| Georgia..... | 70,577 | ... | (4) | ... | 797 |
| Hawaii..... | 25,087 | (2) | ... | 1,137 | ... |
| Idaho..... | 15,302 | ... | ⁵ 1,028 | ... | 1,767 |
| Illinois..... | 178,895 | ... | 13,506 | ... | 1,787 |
| Indiana..... | 94,582 | 303 | 28,615 | ... | 1,087 |
| Iowa..... | 70,248 | ... | ⁴ 6,231 | ... | 1,062 |
| Kansas..... | 23,732 | ... | 6,325 | ... | 728 |
| Kentucky..... | 88,811 | ... | 56,157 | ... | 3,152 |
| Louisiana..... | 251 | 27,949 | 429 | ... | 974 |
| Maine..... | 38,670 | ... | ⁵ 2,318 | ... | 1,253 |
| Maryland..... | 79,615 | ... | ⁶ 6,128 | ... | ... |
| Massachusetts..... | ⁷ 125,205 | ... | ⁶ 14,088 | ... | 3,999 |
| Michigan..... | 276,731 | ... | ⁸ 98,074 | ... | ⁹ 4,503 |
| Minnesota..... | 87,080 | ... | 13,764 | ... | 470 |
| Mississippi..... | 30,019 | 12,527 | 1,388 | 580 | 290 |
| Missouri..... | 105,010 | ... | 35,976 | ... | ... |
| Montana..... | 18,558 | ... | 134 | ... | 762 |
| Nebraska..... | 25,990 | 5,173 | 31,917 | ... | 509 |
| Nevada..... | 8,752 | 4,786 | ... | 71 | ... |
| New Hampshire..... | 18,664 | ... | ⁶ 4,281 | ... | 389 |
| New Jersey..... | 141,931 | 20,848 | 7,368 | ... | 1,297 |
| New Mexico..... | 68,467 | ... | 1,622 | ... | 480 |
| New York..... | 600,834 | ... | 96,105 | ... | 9,455 |
| North Carolina..... | 187,016 | ... | 35,161 | ... | 2,035 |
| North Dakota..... | 13,573 | 182 | 1,166 | ... | 1,420 |
| Ohio..... | 237,614 | ... | 112,744 | 16,832 | 12,568 |
| Oklahoma..... | 72,396 | ... | 5,772 | ... | 172 |
| Oregon..... | 43,659 | ... | 181 | ... | 1,960 |
| Pennsylvania..... | 239,378 | ... | 70,711 | ... | 3,794 |
| Rhode Island..... | 17,834 | ... | 1,910 | ... | 226 |
| South Carolina..... | 51,735 | ... | 2,420 | 1,836 | 456 |
| South Dakota..... | 13,608 | ... | 409 | ... | 387 |
| Tennessee..... | 64,444 | 6,889 | 15,585 | ... | 2,233 |
| Texas..... | 30,809 | 49,881 | 12,852 | ... | 1,400 |
| Utah..... | 25,313 | ... | 683 | ... | 377 |
| Vermont..... | 21,393 | ... | 2,973 | 483 | 1,025 |
| Virginia..... | 106,960 | ... | 3,633 | ... | ... |
| Washington..... | 48,823 | ... | 631 | ... | 6,989 |
| West Virginia..... | 45,508 | ... | 10,558 | ... | 523 |
| Wisconsin..... | 109,876 | ... | 29,317 | ... | 3,148 |
| Wyoming..... | ¹⁰ 6,657 | ... | ... | ... | 77 |

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Table 9.J1.—Number of households receiving home energy assistance, by state, fiscal year 1996, and by type of assistance, fiscal years 1982–96—*Continued*

| State and fiscal year | Number of households assisted ¹ | | | | |
|-----------------------|--|-----------|----------------------------|---------|--|
| | Heating | Cooling | Energy crisis intervention | | Low-cost residential weatherization/energy-related home repair |
| | | | Winter | Summer | |
| 1982..... | 5,990,176 | 1,075,061 | 707,123 | ... | 430,830 |
| 1983..... | 6,414,448 | 529,036 | 972,894 | 25,342 | 482,620 |
| 1984..... | 6,443,637 | 537,598 | 963,743 | 28,841 | 180,748 |
| 1985..... | 6,545,616 | 511,333 | 857,809 | 27,196 | 217,864 |
| 1986..... | 6,359,924 | 535,553 | 951,945 | 114,194 | 191,316 |
| 1987..... | 6,495,409 | 366,721 | 1,060,425 | 60,797 | 172,372 |
| 1988..... | 5,827,481 | 309,044 | 981,775 | 57,750 | 156,770 |
| 1989..... | 5,595,268 | 126,977 | 890,616 | 20,384 | 142,584 |
| 1990..... | 5,459,631 | 358,823 | 1,058,067 | 37,340 | 148,104 |
| 1991..... | 5,769,346 | 374,483 | 1,004,634 | 39,399 | 127,587 |
| 1992..... | 5,906,292 | 384,468 | 950,275 | 25,570 | 106,066 |
| 1993..... | 5,282,993 | 143,279 | 956,435 | 47,169 | 111,295 |
| 1994..... | 5,663,040 | 145,684 | 1,127,832 | 24,532 | 126,086 |
| 1995..... | 5,147,619 | 341,041 | 932,263 | 77,915 | 102,817 |
| 1996..... | 3,974,152 | 128,538 | 804,560 | 59,992 | 91,503 |

¹ An unduplicated total of households assisted cannot be derived from these data because the same households may be included under more than one type of assistance.
² Totals include households that received combined heating and cooling assistance in Arizona, California, and Florida; households that received energy assistance in Hawaii with no differentiation made between heating and cooling assistance.
³ Heating assistance data include 608 households that received expedited heating assistance payments for home energy crises.
⁴ State served 2,654 crisis households with private fuel funds.
⁵ Crisis assistance data include 146 single family households which received emergency furnace replacements or repairs.
⁶ Households needing crisis fuel assistance received expedited heating assistance.
⁷ Heating assistance data include one or two-person households assisted by oil overcharge funds.
⁸ Crisis assistance data include 3,120 households that received energy intervention unit services, and may have received a benefit under other crisis assistance components.
⁹ Weatherization data include 2,856 households which received regular weatherization services, and may have received also energy-related home repair services.
¹⁰ Households needing crisis fuel assistance received expedited heating assistance. Households with deposit requests were referred to Energy Shares of Wyoming. Heating system crisis cases and related repairs were referred directly to weatherization subgrantees.

Source: *Low-Income Energy Assistance Program: Report to Congress for Fiscal Year 1996.*

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Table 9.J2.—Federal net allocations, by state, fiscal year 1996, and by amounts carried over, fiscal years 1982–96

| State and fiscal year | Low-income Home Energy Assistance Program funds | | |
|---------------------------|---|---|---------------------------------------|
| | Amount of regular federal allocation | Amount of supplemental federal allocation | Carried over to following fiscal year |
| Total | ¹ \$867,303,740 | ² \$178,061,573 | ³ \$81,479,264 |
| Alabama..... | 7,491,527 | 1,537,958 | 750,763 |
| Alaska..... | 3,187,014 | 650,436 | 472,251 |
| Arizona..... | 3,360,222 | 689,895 | ... |
| Arkansas..... | 5,746,223 | 1,179,659 | 44,000 |
| California..... | 40,124,288 | 8,237,427 | 5,895,123 |
| Colorado..... | 14,086,084 | 2,891,774 | 642,981 |
| Connecticut..... | 18,375,794 | 3,772,422 | 2,883,828 |
| Delaware..... | 2,439,033 | 500,716 | 363,057 |
| District of Columbia..... | 2,853,791 | 585,863 | 419,254 |
| Florida..... | 11,910,023 | 2,445,044 | 1,388,439 |
| Georgia..... | 9,421,185 | 1,934,103 | 313,881 |
| Hawaii..... | 948,765 | 194,775 | 13,938 |
| Idaho..... | 5,403,707 | 1,109,343 | ... |
| Illinois..... | 50,861,025 | 10,441,412 | 5,889,443 |
| Indiana..... | 23,022,443 | 4,726,332 | ... |
| Iowa..... | 16,320,567 | 3,350,498 | 2,720,263 |
| Kansas..... | 7,485,408 | 1,536,679 | 954,843 |
| Kentucky..... | 11,983,924 | 2,460,216 | ... |
| Louisiana..... | 7,697,989 | 1,580,344 | ... |
| Maine..... | 11,469,473 | 2,354,602 | 1,179,508 |
| Maryland..... | 14,070,113 | 2,888,496 | 1,610,275 |
| Massachusetts..... | 36,748,898 | 7,544,291 | 4,488,332 |
| Michigan..... | 48,100,660 | 9,874,729 | 6,874,132 |
| Minnesota..... | 34,788,833 | 7,141,904 | 3,858,068 |
| Mississippi..... | 6,445,553 | 1,323,227 | 224,669 |
| Missouri..... | 20,315,879 | 4,170,708 | 1,601,562 |
| Montana..... | 5,463,723 | 1,127,949 | ... |
| Nebraska..... | 8,071,146 | 1,656,950 | 1,457,241 |
| Nevada..... | 1,710,491 | 351,152 | 234,833 |
| New Hampshire..... | 6,957,477 | 1,428,321 | 1,008,938 |
| New Jersey..... | 34,038,468 | 6,987,859 | 1,500,000 |
| New Mexico..... | 4,217,752 | 865,875 | 44,538 |
| New York..... | 111,196,120 | 22,827,256 | 17,505,761 |
| North Carolina..... | 16,312,166 | 3,348,080 | ... |
| North Dakota..... | 6,085,889 | 1,249,390 | 945,011 |
| Ohio..... | 44,994,178 | 9,236,990 | 1,570,305 |
| Oklahoma..... | 6,388,659 | 1,311,519 | 156,430 |
| Oregon..... | 10,823,797 | 2,230,997 | 74,660 |
| Pennsylvania..... | 59,848,608 | 12,286,500 | 8,089,945 |
| Rhode Island..... | 6,027,663 | 1,237,437 | 108,984 |
| South Carolina..... | 5,980,851 | 1,227,827 | 330,112 |
| South Dakota..... | 4,675,001 | 959,742 | 261,815 |
| Tennessee..... | 12,139,459 | 2,492,146 | 1,342,869 |
| Texas..... | 19,823,743 | 4,069,676 | ... |
| Utah..... | 6,413,480 | 1,316,468 | 886,857 |
| Vermont..... | 5,214,878 | 1,070,578 | 92,584 |
| Virginia..... | 17,138,971 | 3,518,511 | 1,961,133 |
| Washington..... | 17,256,375 | 3,542,612 | 238,669 |
| West Virginia..... | 7,930,673 | 1,628,111 | 790,851 |
| Wisconsin..... | 31,314,945 | 6,428,739 | ... |
| Wyoming..... | 2,620,811 | 538,035 | 289,118 |

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Table 9.J2.—Federal net allocations, by state, fiscal year 1996, and by amounts carried over, fiscal years 1982–96—*Cont.*

| State and fiscal year | Low-income Home Energy Assistance Program funds | | |
|-----------------------|---|---|---------------------------------------|
| | Amount of regular federal allocation | Amount of supplemental federal allocation | Carried over to following fiscal year |
| 1982..... | \$1,855,265,713 | \$123,000,000 | \$167,622,219 |
| 1983..... | 1,954,327,406 | ... | 126,734,742 |
| 1984..... | 2,052,395,279 | 2,200,000 | 160,512,007 |
| 1985..... | 2,078,044,805 | ... | 103,191,230 |
| 1986..... | 1,988,842,779 | ... | 100,034,095 |
| 1987..... | 1,804,751,604 | ... | 128,664,885 |
| 1988..... | 1,516,388,203 | ... | 76,987,683 |
| 1989..... | 1,369,642,868 | ... | 68,307,592 |
| 1990..... | 1,379,023,013 | 49,700,470 | 53,923,488 |
| 1991..... | 1,400,498,244 | 193,443,923 | 73,292,715 |
| 1992..... | 1,460,448,621 | 24,431,796 | 78,189,483 |
| 1993..... | 1,307,182,655 | 23,663,576 | 36,828,086 |
| 1994..... | 1,397,090,175 | 322,170,703 | 91,639,371 |
| 1995..... | 1,855,265,713 | 123,000,000 | 167,622,219 |
| 1996..... | 867,303,740 | 178,061,573 | 81,479,264 |

¹ The Department of Health and Human Services Appropriations Act for 1995 (P.L. 103-333) included \$1 billion to LIHEAP as advanced funding for FY 1996. However, the appropriations act for FY 1996 (P.L. 104-134) rescinded \$100 million of the advance appropriation, leaving a total of \$900 million. Table excludes the following funds: \$8.3 million set aside for direct grants to Indian tribes and tribal organizations; \$1.2 million set aside for the insular areas (American Samoa, Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, Guam, Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands/Palau, and U.S. Virgin Islands); \$16.9 million for the leveraging incentive program that was distributed on a competitive basis. The LIHEAP leveraging incentive program rewards grantees that add private or non-federal public resources to provide home energy benefits to low income households beyond what could be provided with federal resources: \$5.5 million that was distributed on a competitive basis to LIHEAP grantees for the Residential Energy Assistance Challenge Option Program (REACH), which was funded for the first time in FY 1996. REACH is designed to help low income households reduce their energy vulnerability; \$0.3 set aside by HHS for training and technical assistance activities; \$454,374 for a prior year debt; and negative grant awards to correct errors that were made in calculating the leveraging incentive grant awards that were made in FY 1995. HHS made subsequent corrections in August 1996 to the awards, including issuing negative grant awards where necessary. Many of the excess awards were for less than \$500. The major impact was on West Virginia which received \$192,144 more than it should have received, and Wisconsin which received \$277,774 less than it should have received.

² An amendment to P.L. 103-333 contained in the Emergency Supplemental Appropriations for Additional Disaster Assistance, for Anti-Terrorism Initiatives, for Assistance in the Recovery From the Tragedy That Occurred at Oklahoma City, and Rescissions Act, 1995 (P.L. 104-19) provided that \$300 million of the emergency contingency funds appropriated for FY 1995 would remain available for FY 1996. Of that amount, \$180 million was released on Apr. 11, 1996 to all grantees on the basis of the regular LIHEAP distribution formula. The funds enabled LIHEAP grantees to take steps to mitigate the effects of the abnormally cold winter on low income households, and prevent utility shut-offs that could endanger lives during the winter of 1995–96. Excludes \$1.7 million set aside for direct grants to Indian tribes and tribal organizations, and \$0.2 million set aside for the insular areas.

³ Excludes any funds carried by Indian tribes and tribal organizations, and insular area grantees.

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Table 9.J3.—Estimated home energy assistance obligations, by type of assistance, fiscal year 1996, and fiscal years 1982–96

| State | Estimated amount | | | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------------|
| | Heating assistance benefits | Cooling assistance benefits | Crisis assistance benefits | Weatherization assistance benefits |
| Total | \$696,801,144 | \$17,597,204 | \$168,743,411 | \$135,835,358 |
| Alabama | 5,621,197 | ... | 2,930,000 | 451,473 |
| Alaska ¹ | 3,651,347 | ... | 81,132 | 5,638,653 |
| Arizona ² | 3,074,995 | ... | 398,234 | 980,398 |
| Arkansas | 3,035,652 | ... | 1,514,925 | 1,038,888 |
| California ^{2,3} | 35,666,584 | ... | 3,450,573 | 10,633,143 |
| Colorado ^{4,5} | 14,409,351 | ... | 218,884 | 2,739,034 |
| Connecticut ⁶ | 22,051,238 | ... | 3,995,197 | ... |
| Delaware | 2,270,577 | ... | 57,107 | 400,000 |
| District of Columbia | 2,356,837 | ... | 556,182 | 637,153 |
| Florida | 7,285,632 | ... | 4,063,466 | 1,791,521 |
| Georgia ⁷ | 8,670,527 | ... | ... | 1,402,412 |
| Hawaii ⁸ | 853,616 | ... | 178,073 | ... |
| Idaho | 3,389,067 | ... | 1,399,659 | 827,158 |
| Illinois | 46,182,974 | ... | 6,096,499 | 7,038,137 |
| Indiana | 17,196,420 | 6,670 | 5,614,003 | 4,177,723 |
| Iowa | 14,425,722 | ... | 980,262 | 2,952,152 |
| Kansas | 6,076,885 | ... | 1,784,663 | 1,340,490 |
| Kentucky | 5,909,767 | ... | 5,163,458 | 1,949,959 |
| Louisiana | 2,957,469 | 4,140,456 | ... | 1,252,576 |
| Maine ⁹ | 9,996,455 | ... | 401,294 | 2,648,369 |
| Maryland ^{10,11} | 16,278,609 | ... | 395,745 | ... |
| Massachusetts | 41,083,489 | ... | ... | 2,000,000 |
| Michigan | 30,226,450 | ... | 16,217,339 | 8,111,027 |
| Minnesota ¹² | 30,569,495 | ... | 6,578,033 | 2,641,453 |
| Mississippi | 4,209,335 | 1,595,911 | 295,074 | 589,735 |
| Missouri | 19,221,339 | ... | 2,895,391 | ... |
| Montana ¹³ | 4,327,949 | ... | 43,003 | 1,517,939 |
| Nebraska | 4,286,609 | 300,000 | 5,388,670 | 1,029,165 |
| Nevada | 1,414,462 | 536,698 | 11,889 | ... |
| New Hampshire | 6,109,284 | ... | 1,138,077 | 500,000 |
| New Jersey | 30,975,527 | 2,085,000 | 1,963,000 | 3,246,000 |
| New Mexico | 3,717,176 | ... | 130,930 | 762,500 |
| New York | 80,268,491 | ... | 33,564,203 | 19,974,025 |
| North Carolina ¹³ | 10,457,970 | ... | 3,695,759 | 4,247,470 |
| North Dakota ^{13,14} | 4,728,402 | ... | 202,206 | 1,833,820 |
| Ohio | 22,685,929 | ... | 19,807,233 | 8,064,920 |
| Oklahoma | 5,660,502 | ... | 667,300 | 693,016 |
| Oregon ¹³ | 9,004,376 | ... | 40,725 | 2,946,736 |
| Pennsylvania | 44,064,583 | ... | 17,173,363 | 8,360,000 |
| Rhode Island | 4,969,966 | ... | 224,588 | 726,510 |
| South Carolina | 4,685,600 | ... | 279,098 | 1,139,852 |
| South Dakota ¹³ | 4,221,823 | ... | 46,964 | 1,408,685 |
| Tennessee | 9,394,892 | 636,675 | 2,658,659 | 1,402,555 |
| Texas | 5,084,520 | 8,295,794 | 3,345,078 | 3,584,013 |
| Utah ¹³ | 5,013,975 | ... | 129,818 | 1,930,442 |
| Vermont ¹⁵ | 4,173,735 | ... | 1,107,688 | 707,367 |
| Virginia | 17,529,360 | ... | 2,157,822 | ... |
| Washington ¹⁰ | 15,900,645 | ... | ... | 3,364,751 |
| West Virginia | 5,278,394 | ... | 3,229,887 | 930,427 |
| Wisconsin ¹⁶ | 33,895,611 | ... | 6,472,258 | 5,411,553 |
| Wyoming | 2,280,336 | ... | ... | 812,158 |

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Table 9.J3.—Estimated home energy assistance obligations, by type of assistance, fiscal year 1996, and fiscal years 1982–96—*Cont.*

| State | Estimated amount | | | |
|-----------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------------|
| | Heating assistance benefits | Cooling assistance benefits | Crisis assistance benefits | Weatherization assistance benefits |
| 1982..... | \$1,124,476,630 | \$51,498,572 | \$138,941,133 | \$136,195,046 |
| 1983..... | 1,343,267,155 | 33,020,830 | 191,771,756 | 195,463,612 |
| 1984..... | 1,372,772,591 | 32,374,067 | 225,795,893 | 186,662,906 |
| 1985..... | 1,466,721,924 | 29,135,118 | 191,407,205 | 227,096,051 |
| 1986..... | 1,351,903,078 | 35,620,945 | 199,178,003 | 193,420,839 |
| 1987..... | 1,280,302,113 | 29,581,262 | 197,719,071 | 220,419,633 |
| 1988..... | 1,145,560,993 | 21,151,405 | 190,046,023 | 170,292,505 |
| 1989..... | 1,017,024,757 | 12,341,113 | 187,442,779 | 147,952,928 |
| 1990..... | 1,030,150,903 | 25,007,676 | 188,844,316 | 133,479,484 |
| 1991..... | 1,098,583,280 | 27,416,776 | 220,795,517 | 129,279,737 |
| 1992..... | 990,903,081 | 22,645,002 | 197,218,623 | 134,816,010 |
| 1993..... | 948,596,196 | 22,274,975 | 183,189,522 | 146,444,590 |
| 1994..... | 1,062,552,111 | 24,862,635 | 225,583,805 | 214,342,289 |
| 1995..... | 884,846,144 | 43,883,481 | 212,713,182 | 159,076,150 |
| 1996..... | 696,801,144 | 17,597,204 | 167,622,219 | 135,835,358 |

¹ Includes \$4.9 million in state funds used for weatherization.

² Benefits for heating and cooling assistance were combined.

³ Crisis funds were used for energy-related crises caused by natural disasters or geopolitical events. Other types of home energy crises were processed through an expedited or fast-track emergency system as part of the state's heating assistance program.

⁴ Includes \$1.6 million in private fuel funds donated by the Colorado Energy Assistance Foundation for fuel assistance.

⁵ Heating assistance amount includes \$600,000 allocated for outreach and \$1,251,421 obligated for Public Service Company of Colorado for FY 1997 heating assistance benefits.

⁶ Crisis assistance data include \$1.8 million in Safety-Net benefits of up to \$150 per authorization to households which exhausted their energy and regular crisis assistance benefits, were in a life-threatening situation, and were unable to secure shelter with adequate heat. In addition, Safety Net benefits were only provided to those households which did not have access to sufficient income and/or assets to enable them to purchase fuel on their own. If no such resources were determined to be available, attempts were made to relocate the household with either family, friends, or within a temporary shelter. Fuel authorizations were issued as a last resort.

⁷ State provided energy crisis assistance through a state program.

⁸ Households received energy assistance with no differentiation between heating and cooling assistance.

⁹ Crisis assistance includes \$118,000 for no-heat situations or for health and safety situations in which a household could receive up to \$2,500 for replacement or repair of heating system.

¹⁰ Households needing energy crisis fuel assistance received expedited heating assistance.

¹¹ Crisis funds were provided for Partners in Energy, Refrigerator Project, and shelters.

¹² Includes \$3.3 million for emergency furnace repairs.

¹³ State received waiver from the Department of Health and Human Services to increase from 15% to up to 25% of LIHEAP funds allotted or available to provide weatherization or other energy-related home repairs.

¹⁴ Cooling assistance was provided with funds obligated in FY 1995.

¹⁵ Includes \$780,000 in Aid to Needy Families with Children (ANFC) funds to provide fuel assistance, to ANFC Special Needs households.

¹⁶ Includes \$6.1 million in special needs funds administered through LIHEAP to provide fuel assistance to households receiving Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF).

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