

# **BPA Low-Income Program support updates . . .**

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## Clarified Income Verification Language

- “Form that documents review and approval of: income eligibility using verifiable documentation of household income and number of individuals for the entire household.
  - ‘Verifiable’ refers to any documentation that can be verified by another source (e.g. pay stub, copies of IRS form 1040, Section 8 eligibility, etc.)”
- This can be done by the utility or an agent acting on behalf of the utility (i.e. a CAP or a program implementer)

## Clarity on repair costs

- Examples now included in measure payment chart:
  - Repair roof leak
  - Address dry-rot in window framing
  - Replace rotten threshold
- Repair costs must be documented on contractor invoices and reported separately.

# Clarity on installation & repair costs

Home Type	Low Income Qualifying Measure	Installed Measure Cost Payment - dollar for dollar (except as noted)	Repair Cost Payment - dollar for dollar (examples)
Single - Family	Attic Insulation (up to R49)	Dollar for dollar	<i>Examples include: repair roof leak, re-build external entrance covering, fix hole in siding.</i>
	Floor Insulation (up to R30)	Dollar for dollar	
	Wall Insulation (up to R11)	Dollar for dollar	
	Prime Window	Dollar for dollar, not to exceed \$20/square foot	<i>Examples include: address dry-rot in window framing, replace rotten threshold, repair cracked header.</i>
	Patio Door	Dollar for dollar, not to exceed \$20/square foot	
	Exterior Insulated Door	Dollar for dollar, not to exceed \$400/door	
	Whole House Air Sealing	Dollar for dollar	<i>Examples include: repair attic access hatch, or pull-down stairs</i>
	Prescriptive Air Sealing	Dollar for dollar	
	PTCS Duct Sealing	Dollar for dollar	<i>Examples include: replace rusted duct, repair broken filter slot</i>
	Prescriptive Duct Sealing	Dollar for dollar	
Ductless Heat Pump	Dollar for dollar, not to exceed \$3,800/unit	<i>Examples include: improve structural support for interior head.</i>	

# CAP Market Assessment

- Resource for utilities exploring low-income options
- Gather information that may facilitate collaboration
  - Contact information, organizational and operating basics
  - Existing partnerships with utilities
  - Services performed
  - Willingness to create new partnerships
  - Costs for fee-for-services (BPA use only)
  - Information to help us better understand barriers

# Thank You

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