

Home Weatherization Assistance

Northwestern Illinois Community Action Agency (NICAA) has funding available for the residents of Jo Daviess and Stephenson Counties through the Department of Commerce & Economic Opportunity to weatherize homes for low-income homeowners.

Weatherization work and materials are provided at no cost for households who are eligible and will include measures to save energy for heating and cooling the home.

To qualify for this program, households must have one of the following conditions:

- Have applied for and been approved for LIHEAP or PIPP
- Have income at or below the annual income guidelines

<u># of people in Household</u>	<u>30 day Gross Income</u>	<u>Annual Income</u>
1	\$1,485	\$17,820
2	\$2,003	\$24,030
3	\$2,520	\$30,240
4	\$3,038	\$36,450

Add \$520 for 30 days or \$6,240 annually for each additional member

When applying for assistance, the following documents will be needed:

- Social Security Cards for all members of the household
- Proof of all income for all members of the household for the 30 days prior to the application date
- Most recent heating utility bills in their entirety, which must be in an adult household member's name and **not disconnected**
- Real estate tax bill or warranty deed required
- If your household has zero income, proof must be provided.

For assistance, contact the Freeport office to make an appointment. Please call 815-232-3141 or 800-883-1111 between 8:00a.m. and 3:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.