**Utility Assistance Programs:**

1. **LIHEAP (Low-income Home Energy Assistance Program**):

Link: <https://www.commerce.wa.gov/growing-the-economy/energy/low-income-home-energy-assistance/>

Info: LIHEAP provides energy assistance to households in Washington through a network of community action agencies and local partners. These local organizations will help you determine if you’re eligible and how much assistance you might receive. If you qualify, your local LIHEAP agency will send a payment directly to your energy utility on behalf of your household.

1. **Seattle City Light Payment Assistance Program**: <https://www.seattle.gov/city-light/residential-services/billing-information/payment-assistance-programs#federalenergyassistanceprogram>

Info: Short Term $250 onetime payment assistance. Long term assistance Income-qualified program with utility bills. Provides a 60% discount for your City Light bill. Seattle Public Utilities customers receive 50% off their bills.

1. **Hope Link Energy Programs**: <https://www.hopelink.org/need-help/energy#collapseFour>

Info: Hopelink may be able to provide up to $2,500 toward past-due balances on your water and/or wastewater bills. This one-time grant may be able to bring your balance back up to $0.This Depends on income and location.

1. **Bryd Barr Place**: <https://byrdbarrplace.org/programs-services/energy-assistance/>

Info: If you live in Seattle and your household income is at or below 150 percent of the federal poverty level, you may be eligible for financial assistance with your utility bill. With both programs, payment support ranges from $100 to $1,000; the average household receives $337 per year. Payment support is made by Byrd Barr Place directly to the utility company.

1. **Puget Sound Energy CACAP and HELP Programs**: <https://www.pse.com/pages/CACAP>

Info: an assistance program for our customers who may have been impacted by the pandemic. It’s called CACAP and if you qualify, we’ll credit your account for past-due balances up to $2,500. If you’ve applied before, even if you’ve already received assistance, we encourage you to reapply, as you may qualify for additional support. Also, by applying for CACAP, we will automatically start your application for HELP, our other energy assistance program, which may provide you with additional financial assistance.

1. **Multi-Service Center**: <https://mschelps.org/gethelp/energy/>

Info: Multi-Service Center’s Energy Assistance Program helps households meet the financial challenges of increasing heat and light bills. We can help with bills for electricity, gas, propane, wood, and oil. Payments are made directly to service providers on behalf of households. Level of assistance depends on type of housing, income, household size and home energy usage.