

OTHER ENERGY SAVING PROGRAMS

Pratt Center for Community Development's EnergyFit NYC pilot seeks to increase the number of home energy efficiency retrofits in New York City. By studying 2-family, attached brick or masonry, gas-heated homes, we are looking to enhance the comfort, health and safety of one's home while saving homeowners energy and money. If you do not qualify for the pilot but are still interested in learning about energy saving opportunities for your home, contact one of the programs below.

Refer a friend to www.EnergyFitNYC.com and you will receive a \$200 gift card if it leads to a completed retrofit!

WEATHERIZATION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (WAP)

Program Overview

No-cost assistance for income-eligible families and individuals by reducing their heating and cooling costs. Addresses health and safety issues in homes through energy-efficiency measures.

Eligibility Criteria

- Prioritizes senior citizens, families with children, persons with disabilities
- Households with members receiving SSI, public assistance, food stamps, HEAP benefits
- Open to renters, homeowners, rental property owners

Program Measures

- Air Sealing and insulation
- Heating system repair or replacement
- Energy efficient lighting & refrigerators
- Window and outside door repair or replacement
- Hot water tank and pipe insulation
- Mitigation of energy related health and safety issues
- Indoor air quality improvement
- Identification of lead paint hazards

Contact Info

Website: www.nyshcr.org/programs/weatherizationassistance/
Email: weatherization@nyshcr.org **Phone:** 1-518-474-5700

EMPOWER NEW YORK

Program Overview

Provides no-cost energy efficiency solutions to income eligible New York homeowners and renters.

Program Measures

- Air Sealing and insulation
- Replacement of inefficient refrigerators and freezers
- Energy efficient lighting
- Health and safety checks of smoke detectors and appliances

Eligibility Criteria

- Participation in a utility payment assistance program
- Electricity or natural gas customer of Con Edison, National Grid or pay for oil heat.
- Individuals responsible for paying utility bills

Contact Info

Website: www.nyserda.ny.gov/All-Programs/Programs/EmPower-New-York
Email: Acsempower.applications@honeywell.com
Phone: 1-800-263-0960

CON EDISON ENERGY SAVINGS AND REBATES

Program Overview

Rebates and incentives to upgrade your home's heating and cooling equipment, including some appliances and oil-to-gas conversions.

Contact Info

Website: <http://www.coned.com/energyefficiency/default.asp>
Phone: 1-800-430-9505

NATIONAL GRID ENERGY SAVINGS AND REBATES

Program Overview

Incentives and services to help homeowners manage their energy use, including rebates for gas equipment such as boilers.

Contact Info

Website: <https://www1.nationalgridus.com/EnergyEfficiencyPrograms>
Phone: 1-800-642-4272

AFFORDABLE SOLAR BY NYSERDA

Program Overview

Expands access to solar energy to households most in need of electricity cost reductions. Doubles incentives provided by the NY-Sun program for income-qualified homes.

Contact Info

Website: <http://ny-sun.ny.gov/affordablesolar>
Email: affordablesolar@nyserda.gov



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HOME PERFORMANCE & ASSISTED HOME PERFORMANCE WITH ENERGY STAR

Program Overview

Provides affordable options for income eligible homeowners to make smart investments in a more energy efficient home.

Eligibility Criteria

- 1-4 unit households

Program Measures

- Free or reduced-cost comprehensive home energy assessment based on income eligibility
- Detailed report about recommendations for home energy improvements
- Assessment and home performance work performed by participating Building Performance Institute gold-star contractors.

Contact Info

Website: <http://www.nyserda.ny.gov/All-Programs/Programs/Home-Performance-With-ENERGY-STAR>

Email: info@nyserda.ny.gov

Phone: 1-866-NYSERDA

NYC DEPT OF HOUSING PRESERVATION & DEVELOPMENT HOME IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (HIP)

Program Overview

Developed in cooperation with private banks and credit unions, HIP loans of up to \$30,000 are made to owner/occupants of one- to four-family homes located throughout the city who wish to improve their properties. The City provides a grant which reduces the bank's interest rate to 2.5% or 5%, depending on the borrower's income.

Contact Info

Website: <http://www1.nyc.gov/site/hpd/owners/homeowner-repair-loans.page>

Phone: 1-212-863-6429

NYC DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING PRESERVATION & DEVELOPMENT SENIOR CITIZEN HOME ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

Program Overview

Assists low and moderate income seniors in making necessary home repairs. A maximum of \$40,000 is available for single-family homes. For homeowners of two- to four-family homes, a maximum of \$30,000 per dwelling unit is available.

Contact Info

Website: <http://www1.nyc.gov/site/hpd/owners/homeowner-repair-loans.page>

Phone: 1-431-9700 x 313 (Parodneck Foundation)

HOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (HEAP)

Program Overview

Federally funded program assisting low-income homeowners with the cost of home heating. Also provides emergency benefits for heat related energy efficiency and cooling assistance.

Program Measures

- Utility bill assistance
- Heat related emergency benefits
- Repair and replacement of furnaces, boilers and other direct heating components
- Assists in purchase of air conditioners or fans

Eligibility Criteria

- Prioritizes senior citizens, families with children, persons with disabilities
- Household with member receiving SSI, public assistance, food stamps, HEAP benefits
- Open to renters, homeowners, rental property owners

Contact Info

Website: <https://otda.ny.gov/programs/heap/>

Phone: 1-800-342-3009

NEW YORK STATE AFFORDABLE HOUSING CORPORATION GRANT

Program Overview

Grants are made to governmental, nonprofit and charitable groups to build, acquire or improve homes for low and moderate income families. Homeowners access grants by contacting the grantee organizations.

Program Measures

- Building rehabilitation and home improvements

Eligibility Criteria

- Check website for income qualifications

Contact Info

Website: <http://www.nyshcr.org/Topics/Municipalities/AHCGrants/>



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