Does Your Home Need to be Weatherized?

If you are looking for a long term solution to high energy bills and a way to make your home more energy efficient, we have the program for you!

The Indiana Weatherization Assistance Program provides energy conservation measures and education to qualifying Hooisers every day

Getting Started

If you are interested in having your home weatherized you must first contact your local Community Action Agency to enroll. Eligibility for the program is based on household income and the condition of your home.

To meet income guidelines your yearly household income can be up to 200% of the Federal Poverty Level, that is \$48,500 for a family of 4.

Weatherization Process

Because the demand for these services routinely exceeds available funds, you can expect to be placed on a waiting list.

Once your home comes up on the wait list, you will be contacted, and a state-trained energy auditor will be sent to your home to perform a comprehensive energy audit.

Health and Safety

Because the Health and Safety of all who enter your home is a priority, there are some things you should do to prepare:

- Take care of any water leaks or mold issues.
- Make sure your home is free of pest and bug infestation.
- Make sure all utilities are on (water, gas, electric, etc)
- Make sure all areas of the home are accessible (attics, crawlspaces, utility rooms, etc.)

Frequently Asked Questions

- Q: Do I qualify if I rent?
- A: Yes, Rental units qualify
- Q: Will this cost me any money?
- A: No, all energy efficiency upgrades are installed at no cost to you.
- Q: Do you replace windows or doors?
- A: No, this program does not replace windows or doors
- Q: If I qualify based on my income does my house automatically qualify?
- A: No, the house must be assessed by an auditor before it can qualify, some health and safety issues may prevent the home from qualifying.
- Q: Do my utility services have to be on at the time of weatherization?
- A: Yes, utilities must be on during all of the weatherization process

The Result

The results of the audit are unique to your home and determines which energy efficiency upgrades will maximize energy savings for you.

Upon completion of the audit, state-trained contractors will install the energy efficiency upgrades prescribed by the auditor. A final audit will be conducted at the completion of the installation work to ensure the energy efficiency measures installed are operating in such a way to maximize energy savings.

Because the work completed on your home is funded through the federal government, all audits and energy upgrades are installed at no cost to you. After the final audit has been completed and approved by you, then you will be responsible for maintenance of the home and all measures installed.

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