

# Do You Qualify for Fuel Assistance? 2018-2019

We may be able to help you pay your winter heating bills regardless of the source, or pay a portion of your monthly rent if your heat is included in your rent\*.

## FOLLOW THE FOUR STEPS BELOW TO DETERMINE IF YOU ARE ELIGIBLE FOR FUEL ASSISTANCE.

### 1. FILL IN YOUR HOUSEHOLD'S GROSS INCOME BELOW FOR EVERYONE LIVING IN THE HOUSING UNIT.

WAGES (4 WEEKS, GROSS AMOUNT)	\$ _____ + \$ _____ + \$ _____ + \$ _____ = \$ _____	X 13 = \$ _____	_____
UNEMPLOYMENT (4 WEEKS, GROSS AMOUNT)	\$ _____ + \$ _____ + \$ _____ + \$ _____ = \$ _____	X 13 = \$ _____	_____
CHILD SUPPORT (4 WEEKS)	\$ _____ + \$ _____ + \$ _____ + \$ _____ = \$ _____	X 13 = \$ _____	_____
WORKERS' COMPENSATION (GROSS AMOUNT)	\$ _____ + \$ _____ + \$ _____ + \$ _____ = \$ _____	X 13 = \$ _____	_____
OTHER WEEKLY INCOME (GROSS AMOUNT)	\$ _____ + \$ _____ + \$ _____ + \$ _____ = \$ _____	X 13 = \$ _____	_____
CHILD SUPPORT (IF YOU RECEIVE IT MONTHLY RATHER THAN WEEKLY OR BI-WEEKLY)	\$ _____	X 12 = \$ _____	_____
PENSION / ANNUITIES/IRA/401(k), 403(b), RETIREMENT BENEFIT (GROSS MONTHLY AMOUNT)	\$ _____	X 12 = \$ _____	_____
SOCIAL SECURITY + MEDICARE (GROSS/FULL MONTHLY BENEFIT BEFORE ANY DEDUCTIONS)	\$ _____	X 12 = \$ _____	_____
SSI (FEDERAL)/SSP (STATE) SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME/STATE SUPPLEMENT PROGRAM	\$ _____	X 12 = \$ _____	_____
VETERANS BENEFIT (GROSS AMOUNT)	\$ _____	X 12 = \$ _____	_____
TANF/EAEDC (MONTHLY AMOUNT)	\$ _____	X 12 = \$ _____	_____
OTHER MONTHLY INCOME	\$ _____	X 12 = \$ _____	_____
LUMP SUM INCOME			\$ _____
<b>TOTAL GROSS HOUSEHOLD INCOME</b>			<b>\$ _____</b>

Household Size	Maximum Annual Gross Income	Household Size	Maximum Annual Gross Income
1	\$35,510	5	\$79,215
2	\$46,437	6	\$90,141
3	\$57,363	7	\$92,190
4	\$68,289	8	\$94,239

### 2. ADD TOTAL INCOME FROM THE YELLOW COLUMN AND PUT IN THE YELLOW BOX BELOW.

### 3. FIND YOUR HOUSEHOLD SIZE AND PUT THE MAXIMUM ANNUAL GROSS INCOME AMOUNT SHOWN NEXT TO IT IN THE BLUE BOX BELOW.

\$   \$  

**If the amount in the yellow box is less than the amount in the grey box go to step 4.**

**4.** Call **NEW ENGLAND FARM WORKERS' COUNCIL** at **978.342.4520** or complete the appointment form below and return to New England Farm Workers' Council, 473 Main St., 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Fitchburg, MA 01420, or make an appointment online at <https://liheappub.octopi.org/LiheapPublic1/ScheduleAppointment.aspx?>

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Heat Source: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Some restrictions may apply