



Social Services

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Senior Energy Program Hits Heating Season

Flagler County Senior Services has geared up for the cold weather season with the availability of energy assistance.

The heating season runs from October 1, 2019 through March 31, 2020. Assistance continues for cooling season beginning April 1, 2020. The Emergency Home Energy Assistance Program (EHEAP) is a program that assists low-income households experiencing a home energy emergency provided the household includes **at least one person age 60 or older**, residing in **Flagler County**, meets **qualifying factors** to include **gross income** and **family size** and **presents all required documentation**. The program is administered through a contractual relationship between the Department of Economic Opportunity (DEO) and the Department of Elder Affairs. The Flagler County Board of County Commissioners, Senior Services Division, is the provider for Flagler County by way of an agreement with the Northeast Florida Area Agency on Aging, Inc., d/b/a Eldersource, Jacksonville, Florida.

Eligible households may receive one benefit during this heating season for a maximum of \$600. A heating crisis is described as: the household's home **heating energy sources has been cut off**; the household has been notified that the **energy source is going to be cut off**; the household has received notice indicating the energy source is **delinquent or past due**; or, the household has **other problems with lack of heating in the home**.

Call Flagler County Senior Services

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