



This site will allow you to go through a screening process to see if you are eligible for the NJ Assistance Programs listed below. To begin the screening process click on Get Started!

## **Screening Process**

**Check to see what benefits you may qualify for:**

Screening takes about 1-2 minutes to complete, and you will need to provide income information.

[Get Started!](#)

## **Assistance Programs Provided By New Jersey**

DCA has a variety of programs that can help you with rent/heating costs, prevention of eviction, reduction of utility bills, and removal of lead hazards from your home.

### **Rental Assistance**

#### [Section 8: Housing Choice Voucher Program \(HCV\)](#)

Helps low-income families pay rent through a Housing Choice Voucher.

#### [State Rental Assistance Program \(SRAP\)](#)

Helps low-income families pay rent through a State-funded voucher.

#### [Housing Opportunities for People with AIDS \(HOPWA\)](#)

Helps low-income individuals diagnosed with AIDS pay rent through a voucher.

#### [Veterans Affairs Supportive Housing \(VASH\)](#)

Helps armed service veterans pay rent with a voucher.

### **Homelessness and Eviction Prevention**

#### [Homeless Prevention Program \(HPP\)](#)

Offers help to people facing eviction through payment of back rent.

#### [Homeless Prevention and Rapid Re-Housing Program \(HPRP\)](#)

Offers relocation and temporary rental assistance to low income families.

### **Home Energy Assistance**

#### [Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program \(LIHEAP\)/Universal Service Fund \(USF\)](#)

Helps low-income residents with their heating/cooling bills, offers emergency heating system repair and emergency fuel assistance.

### **Other Programs**

#### [Weatherization Assistance Program \(WAP\)](#)

Increases home energy efficiency in low-income households and reduces cost of utility bills.

#### [Lead-Safe Home Remediation Program](#)

Provides lead safe repairs and removal of lead hazards to low income households.

### **Additional Resources - Truth in Renting Guide:**

A guide to the rights and responsibilities of residential tenants and landlords in New Jersey.

[Learn more](#)