



Senior Home Heating Subsidy

What is it?

The Senior Home Heating Subsidy assists low to modest income seniors with the costs associated with heating their home.

Who is it for?

The subsidy is for resident Northwest Territories seniors who:

- are at least 60 years of age,
- have a low-to-modest income,
- own and occupy a home as their primary residence, OR be the leasee of a self-contained unit,
- have heating costs in their own home or rental unit, and
- are not receiving Income Assistance.

How to apply?

Applicants complete an annual application each year and provide proof of age, income, homeownership or lease.

Applications are accepted all year and can be found on the Education, Culture and Employment (ECE) website or by visiting a local ECE office.

When is it received?

Once all required documents are received by ECE, the application may take up to two business days to process. Payments will then be made directly to the chosen supplier heating within 30 days.

Eligibility

If you live in one of these communities;

Zone 1

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| Behchokò | Fort Providence | Kakisa |
| Detah | Fort Smith | Ndilò |
| Enterprise | Hay River | Yellowknife |
| Fort Simpson | Kátł'odeeche | |

and your annual net household income* is equal or less than;

\$56,000

the subsidy amount you may be eligible for is:

\$2,700

Zone 2

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| Fort Liard | Inuvik | Wekweètì |
| Fort Resolution | Jean Marie River | Whatì |
| Gamètì | Nahanni Butte | Wrigley |

\$64,000

\$3,600

Zone 3

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| Aklavik | Łutselk'e | Tsiigehtchic |
| Colville Lake | Norman Wells | Tuktoyaktuk |
| Délj ne | Paulatuk | Tulita |
| Fort McPherson | Sachs Harbour | Ulukhaktok |
| K'ásho Got'iné | Saamba k'e | |

\$73,000

\$4,200

*Your annual net household income is calculated using Line 236 of the federal income tax Notice of Assessment for yourself, spouse and any co-owner/leasee. Other exemptions may apply. Please ensure you speak with ECE staff to confirm your income.