# 2023 Energy Assistance Program Summary

The Energy Assistance Program (EAP) is a federally funded program through the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS). EAP provides a one-time annual benefit that can assist you with the high cost of home energy and can help if you are disconnected or are about to become disconnected.

Indiana households that make 60% of the state median income (60 SMI) or less may qualify for these benefits.

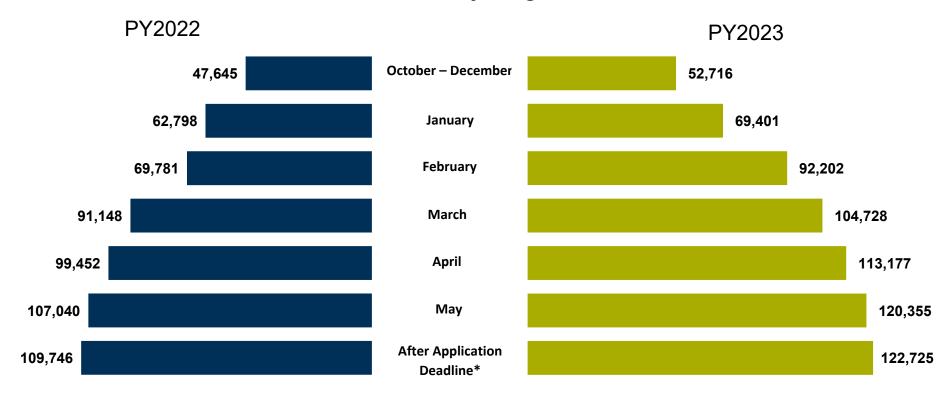
You can apply for an energy assistance benefit for Program Year 2023 until

May 15, 2023 here: EAP.ihcda.in.gov

# Total EAP Funding for Program Year 2023 October 2022 – September 2023 \$85,653,559

#### **EAP Benefits Summary PY2023**

#### **EAP Monthly Progress**

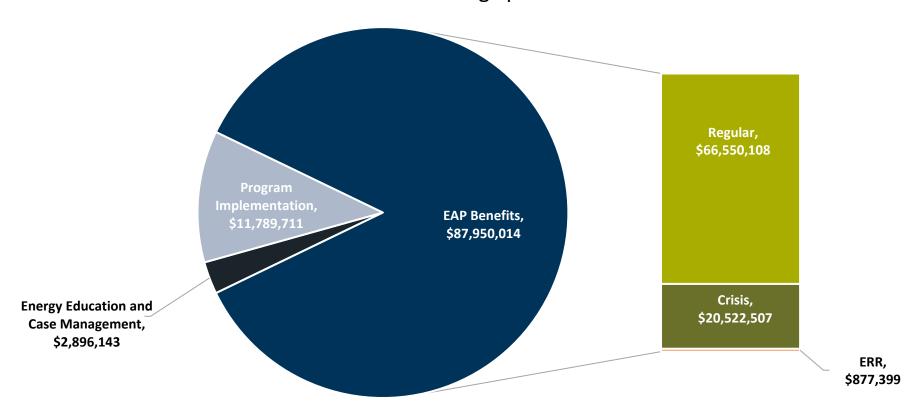


**Total Households Approved for Assistance in PY2022: 109,746** 

**Total Households Approved for Assistance in PY2023: 122,725** 

<sup>\*</sup> Applications submitted on time during EAP Year but not approved until after May 15th

## **Total Funding Spent PY2023**



### **Definitions**

EAP Benefits	Regular Assistance for qualifying households to cover utility bills  Crisis Assistance for emergency use to keep or turn on utilities  Emergency Repair and Replace to repair or replace faulty utility equipment
Program Implementation	funds include administration and outreach funds for the implementation of assistance every year.
Energy Education and Case Management	funds are provided through Assurance 16 (A16) and can be used for energy education and case management for families and communities.