

## Connecticut Energy Assistance Program

The *Connecticut Energy Assistance Program* helps eligible Darien families with home heating costs. We will begin accepting applications for the 2018-2019 program on Monday, 9/10/18 for households with oil or gas heat and on Monday, 10/1/18 for utility-heated households. The following income guidelines apply:

### Maximum Household Income

Household Size	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Annual Income	35,116	45,920	56,725	67,530	78,335	89,140	91,166	93,191

Proof of income is required. This includes, but is not limited to:

- Social Security benefits
- Pensions or annuities
- Dividend and interest income
- Employment income
- Child support and/or alimony payments
- Unemployment, workman's comp. or disability payments

Proof of liquid assets is also required and includes:

- Checking and/or Savings accounts
- Stocks, Bonds, CDs and IRAs

Individuals, couples, and families may have liquid assets up to \$15,000 for home owners and \$10,000 for renters and still remain eligible for the program. Applications must be filed by 3/15/19 for households with oil or gas heat and 5/1/19 for utility-heated households. Please call the Department of Human Services at 203-656-7328 to schedule an appointment.