

Office of Energy

Energy Efficiency Assessment &
Energy Efficiency Trust Fund



Who can apply for these programs?

Public housing authorities, units of local government or nonprofit organizations that manage properties participating in federal, state or local rental assistance, housing choice voucher or subsidized housing programs.

Energy Efficiency Assessment Program

An energy efficiency assessment is the first step to identify energy saving upgrades. Eligible applicants will receive funds to conduct an energy efficiency assessment at properties serving residents receiving housing assistance. Entities that successfully complete an assessment are eligible to receive an award to complete upgrades via the Energy Efficiency Trust Fund Grant.



Awards range from \$5,000 to \$60,000

Energy Efficiency Trust Fund

Funding is available for energy efficiency upgrades at single family and multifamily properties up to 40 dwelling units. Upgrades must have been identified in an energy efficiency assessment/audit conducted within the last 5 years.

Eligible projects may include, but are not limited to:

- Building envelope insulation
- Window replacement
- Heating and cooling equipment retrofit
- Efficient domestic hot water equipment
- Lighting upgrades
- High-efficiency appliances
- Programmable thermostats

Awards range from \$50,000 to \$1,000,000

Both programs will accept applications until all funds have been expended. Awards will be made to eligible applications on a first come, first serve basis.

Visit epa.illinois.gov/topics/energy.html for more information!

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