

#### Did You Know?

The Weatherization Assistance Program is the nation's largest residential energy efficiency program.

The Weatherization Program was created in 1976 and has served over 7-million families nationally.

Low-income families pay an average of 18% of their annual income for energy, compared with 5% for other households.

Weatherization services save customers an average of \$283 annually.

For Every \$1 invested in the program, Weatherization returns \$4.10 household and society.



## How Does the Process Work?

You must provide proof of income for the year prior to application. The agency also asks questions about your household, for example, the number of people living in the home. Your eligibility is determined by income. If you are eligible, you are put on a waiting list.

## **NEK-CAP. Inc. Offices:**

Administrative Office (Hiawatha) 785-742-2222 ~ www.nekcap.org

#### Atchison County (Atchison)

Early Head Start & Outreach Office: 913-367-7114 Head Start Center: 913-367-7848

#### North Brown County (Hiawatha/Sabetha)

Early Head Start & Head Start Center: 785-300-0109

#### South Brown County (Horton)

Early Head Start & Head Start Center: 785-486-2965

## Doniphan County (Troy)

Early Head Start: 785-985-2619

#### Jackson County (Holton)

Early Head Start & Head Start Center: 785-364-2109

#### Jefferson County (Meriden)

Early Head Start: 913-547-1362 Head Start Center: 785-484-3317

#### Leavenworth County (Lansing)

Early Head Start & Head Start Center: 913-651-5692

## Marshall County (Marysville)

Early Head Start: 785-562-2941

#### Nemaha County (Seneca)

Early Head Start & Head Start Center: 785-336-2927

## Pottawatomie County (Wamego)

Early Head Start & Head Start Center: 785-508-2120

## AT, BR, DP, & LV Counties

Family & Community Resources: 913-367-7114

## JA, JF, MS, NM, PT & RL Counties

Family & Community Resources: 785-851-0707

## JW, MC, OB, RP, SM & WS Counties

Family & Community Resources: 785-547-7136







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# NEK-CAP, Inc.

We provide comprehensive education and social services to low-income community members through collaborative partnerships focused on promoting the development of individuals and families, empowerment, and economic security.



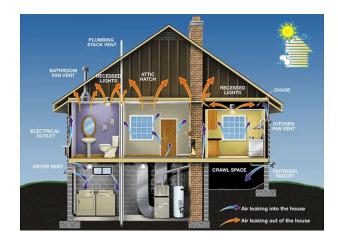
Weatherization Works



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#### What is Weatherization?

Weatherization improves heating efficiency and fuel savings by ensuring your home holds in heat and air-conditioning, while keeping hot and cold air out. At NO CHARGE to the client, income eligible families receive a comprehensive home energy audit which is an assessment of the entire home.



## Types of Assistance:

Weatherization services may include:

- Weatherstripping
- Caulking around doors and windows
- Cleaning, testing, repair or replacement of refrigerators, heating and/or cooling systems
- Adding insulation to walls, ceilings and foundations
- Infiltration reduction around doors and windows

## If I Rent, Can I Still Apply?

Whether you own or rent, live in a single-family home, multi-family housing complex, or a mobile home, you can apply for assistance. If you rent, you must get written permission from your landlord before you apply.



## Who is Eligible?

Eligibility is based on how many people live in the home and the household's income level.

If anyone in the household receives one or more of the following sources of income they will be *automatically qualified* for our program.

- Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
- Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) benefits
- Utility assistance from the Low-Income Energy Assistance Program (LIEAP)



## How Do I Apply?

Apply online on our website - www.nekcap.org/menus/weatherization. For more information contact NEK-CAP, Inc. staff at 785-742-2222, extension 109 or visit us at www.nekcap.org. Shawnee County will continue to be served by ECKAN until 2026.

NEK-CAP, Inc. serves eight counties -

Atchison Jefferson
Brown Leavenworth
Doniphan Nemaha

Jackson Shawnee (TBA 2026)





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