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In-Home Services: Emergency Fuel

Service Name: Emergency Fuel

Service Definition: Provision of direct cash assistance to individuals to maintain their independence at home.

Unit of Service: One item of Assistance

Contract Type: Fee-for-Service

Minimum Requirements:

1. Programs administering these dollars must adhere to the means test or eligibility guidelines set forth by the Commission.
2. Programs should make every attempt to have the individual contribute to an energy bill if they are able.
3. Fuel Assistance is limited to \$750 per year per household. Clients receiving assistance from both the Fuel Assistance and Unmet Needs programs can be served annually out of both programs up to a \$1,500 maximum per household.
4. Programs must service the Monroe County area.
5. Programs must serve residents age 60 and older.

