

Hidalgo County Community Service Agency



Comprehensive Energy Assistance Program
Program Update
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Comprehensive Energy Assistance Program

- Open to all residents of Hidalgo County below 150% fpl
 - Family of 4 -\$36,900
 - Roughly 44% of Hidalgo County
 - Over 100,000 families qualify
 - Hidalgo County CSA receives funding for approximately 6,000 families



CEAP - Utility Assistance

- Grant Awarded for Direct Assistance from TDHCA
 - Household Crisis \$ 1,614,036.00
 - Utility Assistance + 1,614,035.00
 - Total Available \$ 3,228,071.00



CEAP- Utility Assistance



Over 5,200 Households Assisted
Over 11,500 Individuals Assisted
Total Expended and Obligated \$2,882,445.41



CEAP- Utility Assistance

Measures in Place

- ✓ Request additional funding (TDHCA, Direct Energy, Reliant)
- ✓ Limit number of applicants per day
- ✓ Utilize CSBG funding