



New Jersey Home Performance with ENERGY STAR[®] Fact Sheet

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Home Performance with ENERGY STAR (HPwES) offers "whole-house" solutions to increase the comfort, safety, and durability of your home. Installing energy efficient upgrades can save you up to 30% on energy costs and reduce both your energy use and carbon footprint. The HPwES Program is available to all New Jersey's natural gas and electric utility customers, including those living in Urban Enterprise Zones (UEZs) and, if federal funding is available (ask your contractor), to municipal electric, oil, and propane customers, as well.

The first step is to schedule an assessment (audit) of your home's current conditions. A certified technician will conduct the audit, recommend energy efficiency upgrades, and explain the available HPwES financial incentives. A full listing of HPwES participating contractors is available at the New Jersey Clean Energy Program's website at NJCleanEnergy.com/HP. It is recommended that you contact several contractors before selecting one to install your upgrades.

The program offers generous incentives to homeowners based on the home's estimated total energy savings (TES) as a result of installing energy efficient measures. Your contractor uses the program software to calculate the heating and electricity energy savings as a percentage of your annual consumption, which is reflected on the printed Proposed Measures report from your contractor.

If the percentage of savings achieves 25% or higher, the project qualifies for the \$5,000 rebate and the 0% interest financing.

FY 2015 HPwES Incentives for Single Family or Townhouse projects

Requirements	Customer Incentives
10% TES or greater: Install air sealing. May install insulation, water heater, duct sealing and/or duct insulation measures, with estimated TES of at least 10% and less than 20%.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$2,000 rebate, not to exceed 50% of the costs of the eligible measures used by your contractor to calculate TES* and • 0% interest loan or repayment plan up to \$5,000
20% TES or greater: Install air sealing and at least one additional eligible measure, including insulation, HVAC or water heater, with estimated TES of at least 20% and less than 25%.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$4,000 rebate, not to exceed 50% of the costs of the eligible measures used by your contractor to calculate TES and • 0% interest loan or repayment plan up to \$10,000
25% TES or greater: Install air sealing and at least one additional eligible measure, including insulation, HVAC or water heater, with estimated TES of at least 25%.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$5,000 rebate, not to exceed 50% of the costs of the eligible measures used by your contractor to calculate TES and • 0% interest loan or repayment plan up to \$10,000

* Example: If your project achieves 10% TES and your total cost for eligible measures is \$4,500, you would receive a \$2,000 rebate; or, if your total cost is \$3,800, you would receive a 50% rebate of \$1,900.

If you have already received an HPwES rebate for a particular property, you will only be eligible for additional incentives if you have not exceeded the above incentive caps. For details, see the Frequently Asked Questions at NJCleanEnergy.com/HP.

Loan & Repayment Options for Single Family or Townhouse projects

- **0% Loan up to \$10,000 (20%+ TES) or \$5,000 (10%+ TES) available through either:**
 - **NJ Credit Union League, cuGreenLoan.** To apply, go to www.cugreenloans.org.
 - **Energy Finance Solutions (EFS).** To apply, go to www.energyfinancesolutions.com.
- **0% Loan up to \$10,000 (20%+ TES) available through South Jersey Gas (SJG)** To apply, go to www.energyfinancesolutions.com (loan is underwritten by EFS).
- **0% On-bill Repayment Program (OBRP) up to \$10,000 (20%+ TES) or \$5,000 (10%+ TES) available through New Jersey Natural Gas (NJNG).** To be eligible, you must be a NJNG customer. NJNG OBRP applications are available through HPwES contractors.

For more information, contact: *New Jersey's Clean Energy Program*
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