When Things Get Tough

Anyone can run into hard times. A personal crisis, the loss of a job, a fixed income that doesn’t cover unexpected expenses... things can go wrong. We understand that.

The important thing to remember is that there’s help available.

EnergyShare

EnergyShare is a Con Edison fund that provides grants of up to $200 to help those who are struggling to pay their energy bills. To qualify, you must be a residential Con Edison customer with an active disconnect notice. You must also have made at least one payment on your account and qualify for government financial assistance and/or meet federal HEAP guidelines. Qualifying customers may receive one EnergyShare grant every five EnergyShare seasons.

EnergyShare is administered by HeartShare Human Services of New York. To apply for a grant, contact HeartShare by calling 1-877-480-SHARE (1-877-480-7427).

The Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP)

HEAP is a federally funded program that assists low-income New Yorkers with the cost of heating their homes. HEAP also offers an emergency benefit for households in a heat (or heat-related) energy emergency.

For more information, and to apply for a HEAP grant, visit your local Department of Social Services office in person or online at http://otda.ny.gov/programs/heap/.

Emergency HRA Grants

If you are having temporary financial difficulties, you may qualify to receive an emergency grant from the City of New York Human Resources Administration (HRA). Emergency grants are available year-round and you do not have to apply for ongoing public assistance or any other government service in order to qualify.

For more information, visit nyc.gov/hra or call 718-557-1399.

If You Would Like to Help

EnergyShare is funded by tax-deductible contributions from caring Con Edison customers, employees, businesses, and foundations. Con Edison matches each dollar contributed.

Help keep the lights and heat on for a fellow New Yorker. Contributions may be sent to:

HeartShare Human Services of NY
P.O. Box 392112
Pittsburgh, PA 15251-9112

Text the word SHARE to 27722 to make an instant $5 donation.

Or, when you pay your Con Edison bill, you can add exactly $1 to the total amount due, and it will be donated automatically.

EnergyShare helping families in need

For more information call: 1-877-480-SHARE (1-877-480-7427) or visit conEd.com/energyshare.