Energy Cost Allowance



Gesuch für Energiekostenzulage

Thanks to a postulate by the Alternative Liste (AL), households with low incomes in the city of Zurich will receive an energy cost allowance in 2023 to help them cover their significantly higher utility bills.

Eligibility applies to households that received a premium reduction from their health insurance in 2022.

In September, the Office for Additional Benefits (Amt für Zusatzleistungen) will send out an application form. Please be sure to complete this form on paper or online and return it **by September 30th**!

It is definitely worth it: Depending on the size of your household, you will receive between 300 and 1500 Swiss Francs:

Household Type	Energy Cost Allowance in Swiss Francs		
	Gas heating	Oil heating	Wood heating
1-person household	595	549	262
2-person household	833	773	368
3-person household	1 071	997	472
4-person household	1 309	1 221	577
5-person household	1 547	1 445	682

https://www.stadt-zuerich.ch/energiekostenzulage

