

## Energy Cost Allowance



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 2024 to help them cover their significantly higher utility bills.

Eligibility applies to households that received a premium reduction from their health insurance in 2023.

In May, 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 200 and 1100 Swiss Francs:

Household Type	Energy Cost Allowance in Swiss Francs		
	Gas heating	Oil heating	Wood heating
1-person household	430	334	198
2-person household	602	470	277
3-person household	774	606	357
4-person household	946	742	435
5-person household	1118	878	515

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