



Before LEAD Services



After LEAD Services

Weatherization Training Center

♦The CAPSBC Weatherization Training Center is a 2,400 square foot facility and the only one in Southern California. The training center is designed to provide a first-class weatherization training program which includes: Basic Weatherization, Minor Home Repair, Appliance Diagnostics and Repair, Blower Door/Duct Blaster, Combustion Appliance Safety Testing. The State of California Department of Community Services and Development provided a discretionary grant for the construction of the training center and the development of the curriculum.

Achieving Positive Results

“...Very professional. The weather-stripping of doors, attic insulation, vent covers, etc., have all made a huge difference in the warmth of my home. I'm sure it will be comfortable this summer. I am anxious to see the much needed difference in my utility bills.”

“... I do not forget people who help me. I have read the Vision, Mission and Promise article from Community Action Partnership of San Bernardino County and believe this is what the HEAP Department is all about. One day when my family gets on our feet, we know exactly where to give our donation as well as our heart.”

-Satisfied EEES Clients

C hallenging individuals
A chieving positive results
P romoting personal growth
S triving for excellence
B uilding assets
C reating opportunities

EEES's Mission

"Supporting the low-income community through education, installation of energy efficient measures and the reduction of environmentally unsafe conditions."

CAPSBC also offers the following programs/services:

- Family Development (909) 723-1560
- Food Bank (909) 723-1580
- Individual Development (909) 723-1571
- Accounts Program
- Homeless Managment (909) 723-1522
- Information System
- Program Services TTY (909) 723-1505
- Administration TTY (909) 723-1508

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“Establishing innovative programs that provide families with a safe and healthy environment”



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The CAPSBC Energy, Education and Environmental Services (EEES) Program's main objectives are to help conserve energy by:

- ◆ Reducing the consumption of our natural resources.
- ◆ Making homes more comfortable and healthful; lower the cost of utility bills.
- ◆ Providing energy education.
- ◆ Processing applications for the Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP).

Household must meet the following requirements:

1. Reside in San Bernardino County.
2. Total annual income falls within current low-income eligibility guidelines.



EEES No Cost Weatherization Services

- ◆ Energy efficient water devices
- ◆ Weather-stripping
- ◆ Duct repair
- ◆ Filter replacement
- ◆ Switch and outlet gasket covers
- ◆ Certain specific programs approve appliance repair/replacement (such as, water heaters, cooling and heating appliances, etc.).
- ◆ Caulking
- ◆ Set back thermostat
- ◆ Signal devices
- ◆ Minor home repairs (if feasible)
- ◆ Evaporative cooler cover

Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP)

If you are experiencing high utility bills and need assistance to reduce your monthly expenses, chances are you are not knowledgeable about good weatherization and energy conservation practices and you could be throwing money down the drain.

HEAP helps relieve emergency and non-emergency situations for eligible electric and gas customers.

- ◆ For assistance with disconnection and final notices on utility accounts, clients must call for an appointment Monday-Friday between 8:00 am and 5:00 pm.
- ◆ Clients will be scheduled to attend one of the "Energy Education Workshops" on Tuesdays, Wednesdays or Thursdays at 8:00 am or 12:00 pm. Arrive early and bring all required documents. HEAP direct appointment lines are (909) 723-1680 or (909) 723-1681.

- ◆ For HEAP workshops offered outside of the agency, call (909) 723-1620 or (800)-635-4618 for details.
- ◆ HEAP component processes applications for qualifying residents to receive an annual credit toward wood or propane purchases.
- ◆ **California Alternate Rates for Energy (CARE)**- Provides a 20% discount off the electric or gas bill for your primary permanent residence."



Lead Hazard Reduction Services

EEES provides lead-hazard paint reduction services to homeowners and renters for homes built prior to 1979.

- ◆ The family must have children less than six (6) years of age residing or regularly visiting.
- ◆ Lead hazard reduction services include: Testing of the paint, soil and dust for lead, visual assessment, remodeling or renovation in a safe way to remove, minimize or contain areas contaminated with lead.

"Helping People. Changing Lives."