

Your local electric and gas distribution companies and energy efficiency service providers have joined together to create MassSAVE. Our program is designed to save you money, improve the energy performance of your home, reduce air pollution, and improve the environment.

MassSAVE is a Residential Conservation Service Program funded by gas and electric ratepayers. The Program is operated according to state law and under the regulations of the Massachusetts Department of Telecommunications and Energy and the Massachusetts Division of Energy Resources. Some restrictions apply, program subject to change. Customers with limited incomes may be eligible for free services. Referrals will be made to local agencies.



Bay State Gas, Berkshire Gas, KeySpan Energy Delivery, New England Gas, National Grid, NSTAR Electric and Gas, Western Massachusetts Electric Company, and the Cape Light Compact

INTRODUCING THE **MassSAVE** PROGRAM



A program providing **year-round home energy solutions** sponsored by your local electric and gas utility companies and energy efficiency service providers



866-527-7283
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MassSAVE PROGRAM BENEFITS

- Reduced energy costs
- Improved home performance
- Healthier environment
- Improved comfort all year long

MassSAVE PROGRAM SERVICES

Educational materials/services — we offer a wide array of information to help save consumers energy



In-home services may be available at no cost for customers intending to invest in energy-saving improvements

Step-by-step guidance is given to lead you through the installation of energy-saving measures and the steps to receive your incentives

Incentives — participating utilities and energy efficiency service providers offer generous incentives toward the installation of energy-saving measures

Quality installations/inspections — installations and inspections are performed by fully licensed and insured contractors who warrant all workmanship and materials for one year

WE'LL SHARE THE COSTS OF ELIGIBLE ENERGY-SAVING MEASURES WITH YOU

As part of MassSAVE, your participating utility or energy efficiency service provider may pay incentives toward the total cost of purchasing and installing attic, wall and heating pipe/duct insulation, air sealing measures, and programmable thermostats.



- Financing may be available for certain weatherization measures
- Your electric or gas utility may offer individual rebates in addition to MassSAVE incentives for weatherization measures.

REBATES FOR HIGH-EFFICIENCY EQUIPMENT AND OTHER ENERGY-SAVING UPGRADES

In addition to our in-home programs and incentives, utilities and energy efficiency service providers may offer customers rebates towards the installation of energy-saving equipment and products.

ENERGY STAR® offers numerous products and appliances. Check with your electric and gas utilities and energy efficiency service providers for specific equipment types and rebate amounts.



Take advantage of Money-Saving Rebates on:

- High-efficiency space heating equipment
- High-efficiency indirect water heating equipment
- ENERGY STAR® windows
- ENERGY STAR® thermostats
- ENERGY STAR®-qualified central air conditioning
- ENERGY STAR® air source heat pump systems

To put these energy-saving ideas to work in your home, contact your local utilities and energy efficiency service providers. Learn more about MassSAVE's offerings by calling 866-527-7283 or visiting www.MassSave.com.

TIPS ON SAVING ENERGY

Here are some simple ways you can start saving energy in your home today!

- 1** Lower your heat thermostat to 55 while you are away and also set it back while you are asleep.
- 2** Avoid running water continuously while doing dishes, washing up, brushing teeth or shaving.
- 3** Wrap the hot water pipes coming out of your water heater with insulation. Wrap the pipes nearest the heater first for greatest savings.
- 4** Keep your freezer tightly packed, adding bags of ice as needed to fill space.
- 5** Load washers and dryers to capacity, but don't overload. Overloading can cut down on efficiency.
- 6** Don't peek in the oven as you cook. A significant amount of heat escapes every time the door is opened.
- 7** As your home settles, gaps can open along the doors and windows. Installing and/or replacing weather stripping around doors and windows can solve this problem.
- 8** Keep fireplace dampers closed whenever your fireplace is not in use.
- 9** Make sure your appliances and heating and cooling systems are properly maintained.
- 10** Look for ways to use daylight to light your home, reduce the time that lights are on, and replace incandescent bulbs and fixtures with compact or standard fluorescent lamps.