



QV BIA ARP 2025

Temporary Assistance is available to QVIR Tribal members for Electricity or Heating assistance.

Eligibility Determination

1. Adult QVIR Member
2. Household Income at or below **80% of the State Median Income (SMI)**
3. Be applying for your Primary Residence; and
4. Declared Need.

Supporting Documentation may include but is not limited to:

1. Income Documentation for all adult members of a household - includes but is not limited to:
 - Pay stubs representing last 30-days prior to submission of the application
 - W2's
 - IRS form 1099's
 - Bank statement demonstrating regular income
 - Attestation from an employer
 - Unemployment Benefits
 - Zero Income Certification
2. Utility Bills/Statement – must be current bill
3. W9 must be submitted as part of your application for payment to be issued on your behalf, if one is not on file. (W9's on file with QVIR - Pacific Power, PG&E, and AmeriGas).

Things you should know –

- Opens – **this coming Monday, November 3, 2025**
- One-time Assistance
- This is temporary assistance **end date January 31, 2026.**
- This funding has an Income Threshold of 80% SMI for California.
- **Assistance amount will be \$400.00.**
- Payments to vendors will take a minimum of 10 business days.

New –

- **Please Prioritize** - To best serve membership within such a short time span, **only** one Vendor per application/per household will be processed
- All applicants will receive a letter stating the application status within – 10 business days of submission.
 - If the application is complete and the applicant is eligible a correspondence will be sent via email or mail with amount assisted.
 - If the application is incomplete or the applicant is ineligible a correspondence will be sent via email or mail with needed documentation or reasoning for ineligibility.

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Finally – please allow up to 3-4 weeks to process an application completely as each step takes time. Thank you