

HOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM EXAMINER Department of Community & Family Services 2024 Salary: \$ 50,978

This is a technical position assigned to the Department of Community and Family Services or Office for the Aging. Incumbents in this class perform financial evaluations to determine financial eligibility of clients for the federally sponsored Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP). The work involves applying standard financial criteria to individual cases for the purpose of determining the eligibility of applicants for program benefits. The work is performed in accordance with regulation and department policy and involves in-depth interviewing, frequently under stressful conditions; assessing and verifying data to establish eligibility; making appropriate referrals; and the processing and maintenance of a variety of forms and records. Work is performed under the direct or general supervision of a higher-level employee with some leeway allowed in the performance of work assignments. Supervision is not normally a function of the class; however, this class may act as a technical resource in a specialized area.

To view a complete list of job duties, click here.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

Graduation from high school or possession of a high school equivalency diploma and:

- EITHER: (A) Associate's or higher-level degree;
- OR: (B) Two (2) years of full-time paid work experience which involved public contact and primarily involved learning, applying and explaining rules and regulations;
- OR: (C) An equivalent combination of education, training and experience as defined by the limits of (A) and (B) above.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENT:

Possession of a valid Driver License to operate a motor vehicle in New York State at time of application, and to maintain the position.

FINGERPRINTING:

A fingerprint supported background investigation is required before an appointment is made to some positions. Pursuant to New York State Executive Law, the Division of Criminal Justice Services requires that a fee accompany each such request for a search. It is due once a job offer is made and accepted by the applicant.

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