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Broadcast to All DPA Staff From the Heating Assistance Program

Application forms for the 2002-2003 Heating Assistance Program (HAP) have been mailed to households with elderly or disabled members that received heating assistance last year, as well as to prior HAP recipients in "rural" areas. Application forms for Anchorage, Mat-Su, Fairbanks, Juneau, Kenai, Soldotna, Sterling, Homer, Kodiak, Ketchikan and Sitka are being mailed out this week.

Application forms can be made available to the public starting next week. If your office needs application forms please e-mail us at: liheap@health.state.ak.us or call us at 465-3058.

Our expedited application processing, to assist eligible households that have a 24-hour disconnect notice or are out of heating fuel, begins November 1. Grants are issued beginning November 1 as well.

Thank you for your help in facilitating customer access to the Heating Assistance Program.