



**Aboriginal  
Housing  
Office**



## **Factsheet: Energy Efficiency Program grant opportunity for Aboriginal Community Housing Providers (ACHPs).**

The AHO have secured funding to extend the Aboriginal Community Housing Provider (ACHP) Energy Efficiency Program to help communities ease the cost-of-living pressures with funding for heating and cooling initiatives.

### **When**

On Monday 28 October 2024, the AHO will offer this funding opportunity through applications via the online grants tool – **SmartyGrants**.

### **Guidelines**

To be eligible for funding, ACHPs will need to be either:

- National Regulatory System for Community Housing (NRSCH) or New South Wales Local Scheme (NSWLS registered) ACHPs.
- Aboriginal Community Housing Organisations (ACHOs) registered with the AHO.

If you are not yet registered, you can still apply for this grant. You will need to apply and be approved for transitional registration with the AHO for the duration of the ACHP Energy Efficiency Program. See attached form to apply for transitional registration.

### **Funding amount**

Grants are capped at a maximum \$250k per community.

### **What's in scope?**

New solar PV systems, heat pump hot water systems, reverse cycle air conditioners or ceiling fans.

### **Be prepared**

Register an account on **SmartyGrants** and source quotations for the works that would benefit your community across your portfolio.

### **Contact us**

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