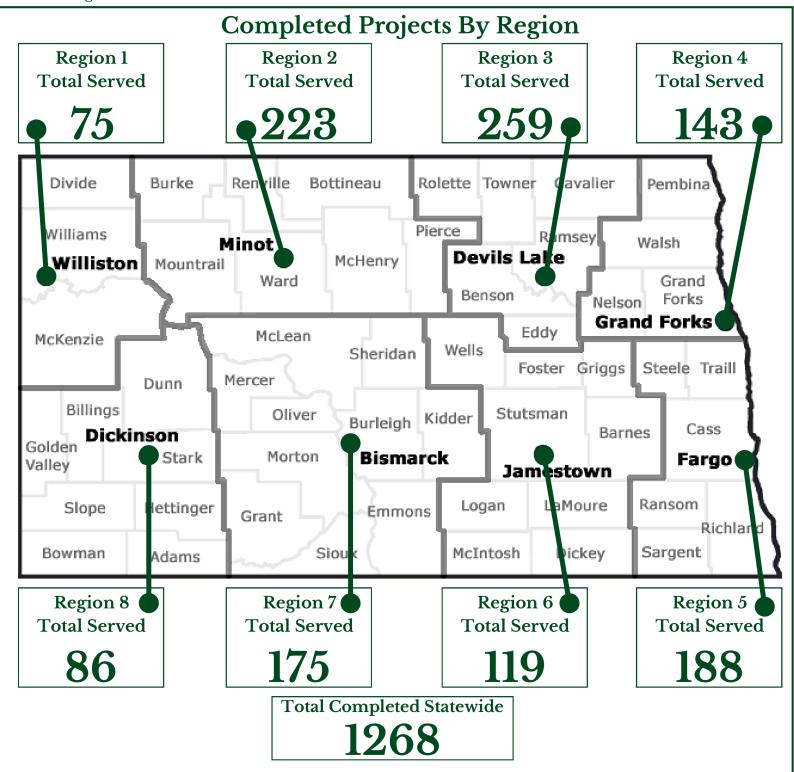


## Weatherization Assistance Program 01/01/2020 - 05/31/2022

The U.S. Department of Energy's Low-Income Weatherization Assistance Program works to increase the energy efficiency of homes owned or occupied by low-income persons, reducing their total residential energy expenditures, and improving their health and safety. North Dakota Community Action Agencies have been weatherizing homes since 1976.







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The purpose of the Weatherization Assistance Program (WAP) is to install energy efficiency measures in the homes of income-eligible persons. Funds are targeted to the most cost-effective conservation measures, determined from an on-site energy audit. Energy auditors may choose from the below nine general categories based upon their ability to save energy.

- General Heat Waste
- Attic Insulation
- Wall Insulation
- Perimeter Insulation
- Windows
- Doors
- Furnace Efficiency Measures
- Building Repair





Low-income households typically spend 13.9% of their total income in energy versus 3% in other households





Jobs Created Nationwide



Weatherization measures can reduce the number of emergency room visits and hospitalizations individuals make.



Recipients of weatherization services have shown a reduction in upper respiratory issues like hay fever, respiratory allergies, and sinusitis.



Weatherization measures that help eliminate pests and reduce the need to crowd for warmth may help decrease disease transmission and reduce symptoms of cold or flu.





## 1.79 tons

Annual reduction in carbon dioxide emissions per year per home.



Weatherization may help reduced fatigue, anxiety, and stress leading to improved social and mental well-being.

30% average heating bill reduction in cold weather states.



Home interventions, including those done during weatherization, help reduce accidental injuries in the home particularly in seniors

Weatherization services help reduce the number of days missed from school or work by way of improved health conditions.



Weatherization Served

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**Senior Families** 

Families with Children



