

Utility Allowance Schedule

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**U.S. Department of Housing and Urban
Development**

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The following allowances are used to determine the total cost of tenant-furnished utilities and appliances.

Locality/PHA Bellingham-Whatcom County Housin Authorities, WA		Unit Type: Multi-Family (Apartment)					Effective 1/1/2025	
Utility of Service	Fuel Type	0 BR	1 BR	2 BR	3 BR	4 BR	5 BR	
Heating	Natural Gas <i>(Includes Monthly Charge)</i>	\$15.00	\$16.00	\$19.00	\$20.00	\$22.00	\$24.00	
	Bottle Gas	\$67.00	\$78.00	\$95.00	\$106.00	\$120.00	\$131.00	
	Electric <i>(avg)</i>	\$16.00	\$19.00	\$25.00	\$31.00	\$38.00	\$44.00	
	Electric Heat Pump <i>(avg)</i>	\$14.00	\$16.00	\$19.00	\$22.00	\$24.00	\$27.00	
	Fuel Oil	\$82.00	\$99.00	\$112.00	\$129.00	\$142.00	\$159.00	
Cooking	Natural Gas	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$2.00	\$3.00	\$3.00	\$4.00	
	Bottle Gas	\$8.00	\$8.00	\$14.00	\$20.00	\$25.00	\$28.00	
	Electric <i>(avg)</i>	\$4.00	\$5.00	\$7.00	\$9.00	\$11.00	\$14.00	
Other Electric	<i>(avg)</i> <i>(Includes Monthly Charges)</i>	\$23.00	\$26.00	\$33.00	\$40.00	\$47.00	\$54.00	
Air Conditioning	<i>(avg)</i>	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	
Water Heating	Natural Gas	\$3.00	\$3.00	\$5.00	\$6.00	\$8.00	\$9.00	
	Bottle Gas	\$22.00	\$25.00	\$33.00	\$45.00	\$56.00	\$67.00	
	Electric <i>(avg)</i>	\$23.00	\$26.00	\$33.00	\$40.00	\$47.00	\$54.00	
	Fuel Oil	\$26.00	\$30.00	\$43.00	\$56.00	\$69.00	\$82.00	
Water		See Attached Water, Sewer, & Trash Collection Schedule						
Sewer								
Trash Collection								
Range/Microwave		\$11.00	\$11.00	\$11.00	\$11.00	\$11.00	\$11.00	
Refrigerator		\$12.00	\$12.00	\$12.00	\$12.00	\$12.00	\$12.00	
Actual Family Allowances -May be used by the family to compute allowance while searching for a unit.					Utility/Service/Appliance	Allowance		
Head of Household Name					Heating			
Unit Address					Cooking			
					Other Electric			
					Air Conditioning			
					Water Heating			
Number of Bedrooms					Water			
					Sewer			
					Trash Collection			
Number of Bedrooms					Other			
					Range/Microwave			
					Refrigerator			
					Total			



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Locality/PHA Bellingham-Whatcom County Housin Authorities, WA		Unit Type Single-Family (Detached House)				Effective 1/1/2025	
Utility of Service	Fuel Type	0 BR	1 BR	2 BR	3 BR	4 BR	5 BR
Heating	Natural Gas <i>(Includes Monthly Charge)</i>	\$19.00	\$22.00	\$24.00	\$27.00	\$29.00	\$32.00
	Bottle Gas	\$97.00	\$114.00	\$134.00	\$153.00	\$170.00	\$189.00
	Electric <i>(avg)</i>	\$37.00	\$43.00	\$50.00	\$57.00	\$65.00	\$72.00
	Electric Heat Pump <i>(avg)</i>	\$20.00	\$23.00	\$28.00	\$31.00	\$35.00	\$38.00
	Fuel Oil	\$120.00	\$138.00	\$163.00	\$185.00	\$206.00	\$228.00
Cooking	Natural Gas	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$2.00	\$3.00	\$3.00	\$4.00
	Bottle Gas	\$8.00	\$8.00	\$14.00	\$20.00	\$25.00	\$28.00
	Electric <i>(avg)</i>	\$4.00	\$5.00	\$7.00	\$9.00	\$11.00	\$14.00
Other Electric	<i>(avg)</i> <i>(Includes Monthly Charges)</i>	\$30.00	\$34.00	\$45.00	\$55.00	\$66.00	\$77.00
Air Conditioning	<i>(avg)</i>	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00
Water Heating	Natural Gas	\$3.00	\$4.00	\$6.00	\$8.00	\$10.00	\$12.00
	Bottle Gas	\$25.00	\$31.00	\$42.00	\$56.00	\$70.00	\$81.00
	Electric <i>(avg)</i>	\$30.00	\$34.00	\$45.00	\$55.00	\$66.00	\$77.00
	Fuel Oil	\$30.00	\$34.00	\$52.00	\$69.00	\$86.00	\$99.00
Water		See Attached Water, Sewer & Trash Collection Schedule					
Sewer							
Trash Collection							
Range/Microwave		\$11.00	\$11.00	\$11.00	\$11.00	\$11.00	\$11.00
Refrigerator		\$12.00	\$12.00	\$12.00	\$12.00	\$12.00	\$12.00
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Unit Address					Cooking		
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					Water Heating		
Number of Bedrooms					Water		
					Sewer		
					Trash Collection		
					Other		
Number of Bedrooms					Range / Microwave		
					Refrigerator		
					Total		



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BELLINGHAM-WHATCOM COUNTY HOUSING AUTHORITIES, WA
Water, Sewer and Trash Collection
Section 8 HCV Utility Allowances

All Building Types

Effective 1/1/2025

		Monthly Dollar Allowances					
		0 BR	1 BR	2 BR	3 BR	4 BR	5 BR
City of Bellingham	Water (MF)	\$55.00	\$56.00	\$61.00	\$67.00	\$72.00	\$77.00
	Water (SF)	\$42.00	\$43.00	\$48.00	\$53.00	\$59.00	\$64.00
	Sewer (MF)	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$48.00	\$65.00	\$81.00
	Sewer (SF)	\$71.00	\$71.00	\$71.00	\$71.00	\$71.00	\$71.00
Birch Bay Water & Sewer District	Water	\$24.00	\$25.00	\$33.00	\$41.00	\$52.00	\$67.00
	Sewer	\$34.00	\$35.00	\$41.00	\$48.00	\$51.00	\$51.00
City of Blaine	Water	\$27.00	\$28.00	\$34.00	\$42.00	\$51.00	\$60.00
	Sewer	\$143.00	\$143.00	\$143.00	\$143.00	\$143.00	\$143.00
City of Everson	Water	\$25.00	\$26.00	\$31.00	\$37.00	\$43.00	\$48.00
	Sewer	\$85.00	\$85.00	\$87.00	\$91.00	\$95.00	\$100.00
City of Ferndale	Water	\$41.00	\$42.00	\$55.00	\$70.00	\$85.00	\$100.00
	Sewer (MF)	\$101.00	\$103.00	\$127.00	\$150.00	\$174.00	\$197.00
	Sewer (SF)	\$95.00	\$98.00	\$120.00	\$141.00	\$163.00	\$185.00
Lake Whatcom Water & Sewer District	Water	\$69.00	\$72.00	\$98.00	\$123.00	\$149.00	\$177.00
	Sewer	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00
City of Lynden	Water (MF)	\$48.00	\$48.00	\$53.00	\$57.00	\$62.00	\$67.00
	Water (SF)	\$46.00	\$46.00	\$51.00	\$56.00	\$61.00	\$65.00
	Sewer	\$67.00	\$67.00	\$67.00	\$67.00	\$67.00	\$67.00
City of Nooksack Nooksack Valley Disposal & Recycling	Water	\$34.00	\$34.00	\$34.00	\$34.00	\$34.00	\$34.00
	Sewer	\$59.00	\$59.00	\$59.00	\$59.00	\$59.00	\$59.00
	Trash	\$17.00	\$17.00	\$17.00	\$17.00	\$17.00	\$17.00
Sanitary Service	Trash	\$59.00	\$59.00	\$59.00	\$59.00	\$59.00	\$59.00
City of Sumas	Water	\$11.00	\$11.00	\$12.00	\$15.00	\$17.00	\$19.00
	Sewer	\$48.00	\$50.00	\$63.00	\$76.00	\$89.00	\$103.00



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