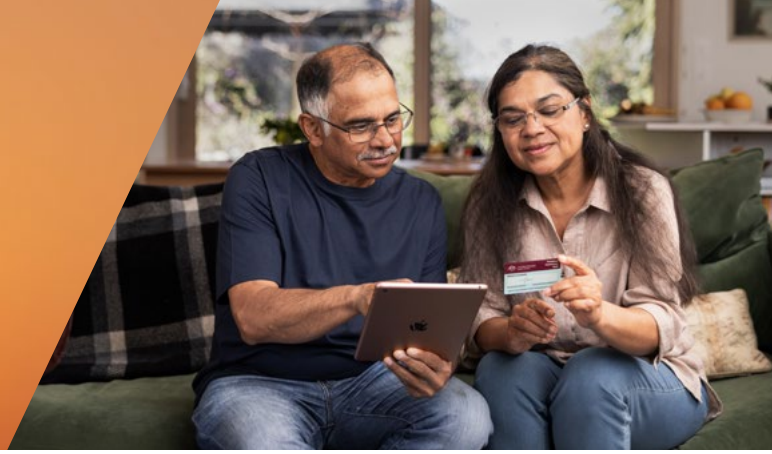


Real help. Right now.



\$100 Power Saving Bonus: How to apply

Providing real cost of living help to Victorians who need it most.

The Victorian Government is providing real help to address the cost of living and drive down energy bills for Victorians in need, with a new \$100 Power Saving Bonus.

From 25 August 2025, eligible concession card holders can apply for the Bonus by visiting the Victorian Energy Compare website, and checking they're on the best energy offer.

Victorian Energy Compare is a free and independent government-run website that makes it easy to compare electricity, gas and solar offers. By using the website to regularly check and switch energy plans, Victorians can save significantly on their energy costs.

You don't need to switch to a different energy plan to qualify for the \$100 Power Saving Bonus. Just use the website to compare available plans - it's quick, easy, and could help you find a better deal.

The \$100 Power Saving Bonus

The \$100 Power Saving Bonus is a one-off payment designed to help eligible households manage energy bills and ease cost of living pressures.

By using the Victorian Energy Compare website to apply, you may discover new savings - and receive a \$100 Bonus while you do it.

Eligibility

To be eligible, households will need to:

- Have a recent residential electricity bill
- Hold one of the following concession cards:
 - Health Care Card
 - Pensioner Concession Card
 - Veterans' Affairs Pensioner Concession Card
 - Veterans' Affairs Gold Card

Only one payment per household is available.



How to apply

To apply, visit the Victorian Energy Compare website (compare.energy.vic.gov.au) or apply over the phone (1800 000 832) or in-person through a participating Neighbourhood House.

What Victorian Energy Compare can do for you:

- + It compares available offers with your current plan so you can see if they are higher or lower.
- + It searches every offer on the market from every Victorian energy retailer.
- + It shows you green energy offers and solar feed-in tariffs.
- + It uses data specific to your household or business to provide the best information.

1 Find your latest electricity bill.

2 Visit compare.energy.vic.gov.au

3 Enter your information and find the best offers.

Compare and save

On average, people who used the Victorian Energy Compare website across 2024 were able to save \$240 by switching to the best-priced offer.

Residential and Small Business

Victorian Energy Compare has all generally available energy offers for residential and small business energy customers.

17.5% discount

Concession card holders may be entitled to a 17.5% discount on their electricity bills all year round and winter gas bills (May - October).

The Victorian Government's Energy website provides information on the work that we are doing with industry and the community, to develop Victoria's secure and sustainable energy future.



Visit energy.vic.gov.au/households

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