

## ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- Member of low-income household (see table below)
- Owner of the old fridge
- Responsible for paying the electricity bill

Occupants	Maximum after-tax income*
1	\$18 421
2	\$22 420
3	\$27 918
4	\$34 829
5	\$39 660
6	\$43 984
7 or more	\$48 308

\*Source: Statistics Canada, June 2010.

### Old fridge

- Made before 1996
- Plugged in and running
- Capacity of 10–25 cu. ft.
- Removable without difficulty or causing damage

Some conditions may apply.

## ELIGIBILITY

Call your regional organization (see list inside) to confirm whether you are eligible.



## REPLACE YOUR OLD FRIDGE FOR \$75 TO \$120

### Refrigerator Replacement for Low-Income Households



Participants are not entitled to the \$30 cheque under the RECYC-FRIGO program.

Limit of one fridge per household, per address.

The Refrigerator Replacement for Low-Income Households program is a Hydro-Québec initiative run by Consortium MRE Environnement. It will be available in these five specified regions until December 31, 2011.

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# GET A NEW ENERGY STAR® QUALIFIED REFRIGERATOR AND SAVE ELECTRICITY!

## THE PROGRAM

The Refrigerator Replacement for Low-Income Households program could help you save electricity. For \$75, \$95 or \$120, we'll replace your old fridge with one bearing the ENERGY STAR label.

## DID YOU KNOW?

Your old fridge could guzzle up to 4.8 times more electricity than a new ENERGY STAR qualified model.



ENERGY STAR is the international symbol of premium energy efficiency, administered in this country by Natural Resources Canada. Refrigerators bearing this symbol are among the most energy efficient in their category.

When you take part in the Refrigerator Replacement for Low-Income Households program, you'll save electricity and help protect the environment, because 95% of the materials in every appliance picked up are recycled.

## NEW FRIDGE FOR \$75 TO \$120

**Participating households must pay \$75, \$95 or \$120, based on the size of the fridge replaced.**

Capacity*	Approximate size in inches (H x W x D)	Household contribution
14 cu. ft	60 x 28 x 32	\$75
16 cu. ft	65 x 28 x 32	\$95
18 cu. ft	66 x 30 x 32	\$120

\*To find out the makes and exact sizes of replacement appliances, please refer to specifications flyer or call your regional organization.

Fridges are under warranty, and any problems should be reported to the retailer.

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Call your regional organization to confirm whether you are eligible.

Region	Organization	Telephone No.
Centre-du-Québec	ACEF des Bois-Francs	819 752-4504 1 888 752-5855
Bas-Saint-Laurent	ACEF du Grand-Portage	418 867-8545 1 866 762-0269
Gaspésie-Îles-de-la-Madeleine*	Groupe ressource en logements collectifs Gaspésie/Les Îles	418 368-1355 1 888 368-1355
Mauricie	Service d'aide au consommateur	819 537-1414 1 877 937-1414
Montérégie	Nature-Action Québec	450 536-0422 1 800 214-1214

\*Program not yet available on the Îles-de-la-Madeleine.

## WHEN YOU SIGN UP

Have the following on hand:

- Most recent electricity bill
- Proof of household income (most recent federal notice of assessment or most recent Ministère de l'Emploi et de la Solidarité sociale claim slip)
- Size of your current fridge (height, width, depth)
- Your contribution amount, depending on the fridge size selected (cash or postal money order only)

Make sure you know the measurements of the space where your new fridge will go (height, width, depth).

Your regional organization will sort out the sales contract with you and will give you all necessary information about the delivery of your new fridge.