

# NOVEMBER 2025 DASHBOARD

NORTHEAST IOWA COMMUNITY ACTION CORPORATION



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THOUSAND

228 Households were served in  
NEICAC's Food Pantries,  
including 587 individuals,  
receiving 13,531 pounds of food  
and essential  
non-food items.

**1,154 LiHEAP applications approved,**  
totaling \$643,320.00 in assistance.

**38 Crisis applications approved,** totaling  
\$14,507.55 in assistance.

**9 ECIP applications approved,** totaling  
\$3,729.18 in assistance.



## CACFP

CACFP started its new program year on 10/1. There are 36 in-home daycare providers participating in the program to receive supplemental monthly payments for serving healthy and nutritious meals/snacks. Among those 36 providers, over 530 children are active in the CACFP. If you are an in-home daycare provider seeking information about the benefits of CACFP, email Rebecca Phillips at [rphillips@neicac.org](mailto:rphillips@neicac.org) or call 563.387.4950.



## EARL Public Transit

EARL Public Transit provided 5,767 total trips, covering 52,739 miles throughout the month of October. A total of 442 unduplicated riders relied on our service, including 2,060 trips for dialysis appointments and 1,556 trips supporting access to education.



## FaDSS

FaDSS is proud to share a statewide spotlight video featuring NEICAC's own Brooke Fay and her former participant, Sarah! The video highlights the power of strong connections between specialists and families, how walking alongside participants, offering support, and celebrating progress together truly creates positive change. Sarah shared how her one-on-one relationship with Brooke made an impactful difference in her life. You can watch the video [here](#)

## Housing

NEICAC's Housing program has provided safe and stable housing for 67 households, supporting 108 individuals across six counties.



We currently manage 10 properties, totaling 56 units of affordable housing.

## Weatherization



In October, the Weatherization program completed six homes for a total draw of \$78,000. Highlights of the month include attending the Iowa Energy Summit and receiving training on air-to-air electric heat pumps. Sue Pederson took over as Clerical Assistant and is getting acquainted with the billing system. In the next few months, the program will be looking to hire a new trainee energy auditor. Staff are preparing for cold weather moving in and have been receiving additional calls for weatherization services. The State conducted inspections of homes and reviewed files, noting opportunities for growth, as well as providing compliments for our strengths.

## Early Childhood Programs

Head Start performance standards require that children be screened within 45 days of their start date. We are proud to report that 100% of our children had their screenings completed by October 9th! A big thank you to Nicole Tieskoetter, Head Start Health Specialist, and Kallie Moeller, EHS Health Specialist, who worked tirelessly to ensure all vision and hearing screenings were completed. The local Lion's Club supported vision screenings in each community, with results interpreted by Iowa KidSight at the University of Iowa. Screening totals: 151 children received vision screenings and 154 received hearing screenings.



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