

Colorado Department of Local Affairs, Division of Housing (DOH) Centennial Mental Health Center Housing Choice Voucher Program Waiting List Fact Sheet

There are two ways to submit an application to Centennial's waiting list:

- Applications will be accepted via email to <u>Housing@CentennialMHC.org</u>. Applications received via email before April 27, 2021 or after April 28, 2021 will not be eligible for the waiting list. Faxed applications will not be accepted.
- Applications will also be accepted if the US Postal Service postmarks them on April 27-28, 2021. Applications postmarked before April 27, 2021 or after April 28, 2021 will not be eligible for the waiting list. Applications are to be mailed to:

Centennial Mental Health Center Attn: Housing Department 211 W. Main Street Sterling, CO 80751

- Centennial Mental Health Center will only accept applications that contain an original Centennial logo. As the public notice stated, applications are available at <u>www.centennialmhc.org</u> or by contacting Centennial Housing staff directly.
- Applications must be completely filled out.

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- After all application are received and reviewed, all eligible applicants will be placed on the waiting list using a random sorting method. It could take a few months to a few years to get your voucher depending on where you are after the random sort.
- What do I do next? Centennial will be reviewing all applications and sending out a letter informing you of your status.
- If you experience a change in address you must report this change to Centennial within 10-days. This notification must be in writing. Centennial will be conducting random purges of the waiting list. Centennial will be sending out letters with new applications that will need to be updated in order for you to remain on the list.

Centennial, with administrative offices in Sterling, is an equal opportunity provider and employer that provides behavioral health services to individuals across the lifespan in Cheyenne, Elbert, Kit Carson, Lincoln, Logan, Morgan, Phillips, Sedgwick, Washington and Yuma counties. Services include a variety of behavioral health service programs: outpatient therapy, community support programs, crisis intervention, emergency response, substance use disorder treatment and child, adult and family counseling.

Services are offered at Centennial offices in each county, as well as other community locations such as private homes, schools, jails, nursing hom es and hospitals.

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Date: Time:

Staff Initials:

For Agency Use Only

PRE-APPLICATION

Head of Household Nam	ne:		_ Social Security Nu	mber:		
Mailing Address:		City:	Sta	te:	Zip:	
County:	Date of Birth:		Phone:			
Ethnicity: D Hispanic D] Non-Hispanic G	ender: 🗆 Male 🗆 Female	U.S. Citizen: □ Yes	□ No		

Race:
□ White □ Black □ American Indian/Alaska Native □ Asian/Pacific Islander

Additional Family Members	Gender	DOB	Social Security Number

Income: LIST ALL INCOME BEFORE ANY DEDUCTIONS received for all who will reside with the head of household. Income examples include wages (full or part-time), Public Assistance (TANF or General Assistance), Social Security, SSI, disability, pensions, unemployment, babysitting, child support, alimony, scholarships, grants, money from family members, etc. **Total Annual Family Gross Income: \$**_____

Have you ever been evicted from Assisted Housing: □ Yes □ No

Program Affiliation: Are you a Family Unification Program Household (FUP)
Yes
No

PREFERENCES:

Please check all that apply

- Families that are experiencing homelessness
- Families that include a person with a disability
- Families that include victims of domestic violence
- Non-Elderly Disabled families transitioning from nursing homes and other approved institutional settings into independent, community-based living.
- □ Families that are currently participating in a DOH housing program (SHV, CoC PSH, CCT, TBRA).

CERTIFICATIONS: The Department of Local Affairs, Division of Housing is an equal opportunity housing agency and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, creed, religion, gender, age, national origin, sexual orientation, disability, marital or familial status.

APPLICANT CERTIFICATION: Signature required of all family members 18 years or older. Use reverse if needed.

WARNING: Title 18, Section 1001 of the United States Code states that a person is guilty of a felony for knowingly and willingly making false or fraudulent statements to any department or agency of the United States.

I hereby certify that the information completed on this form is given voluntarily and is true and correct. I understand that this pre-application does not imply any obligation or constitute a guarantee or contract by the Division of Housing (DOH). My signature below not only certifies that the information provided is true and correct but also authorizes DOH to conduct a CBI background check. This background check will include all adult family members of my household including myself.

Print Name	Signature	Date



Supplemental and Optional Contact Information for HUD-Assisted Housing Applicants

SUPPLEMENT TO APPLICATION FOR FEDERALLY ASSISTED HOUSING

This form is to be provided to each applicant for federally assisted housing

Instructions: Optional Contact Person or Organization: You have the right by law to include as part of your application for housing, the name, address, telephone number, and other relevant information of a family member, friend, or social, health, advocacy, or other organization. This contact information is for the purpose of identifying a person or organization that may be able to help in resolving any issues that may arise during your tenancy or to assist in providing any special care or services you may require. **You may update, remove, or change the information you provide on this form at any time.** You are not required to provide this contact information, but if you choose to do so, please include the relevant information on this form.

Applicant Name:		
Mailing Address:		
Telephone No:	Cell Phone No:	
Name of Additional Contact Person or Organization	:	
Address:		
Telephone No:	Cell Phone No:	
E-Mail Address (if applicable):		
Relationship to Applicant:		
Reason for Contact: (Check all that apply)		
Emergency Unable to contact you Termination of rental assistance	Assist with Recertification P Change in lease terms Change in house rules	rocess
 Eviction from unit Late payment of rent 	Other:	
Commitment of Housing Authority or Owner: If you are an arise during your tenancy or if you require any services or specissues or in providing any services or special care to you.		
Confidentiality Statement: The information provided on this applicant or applicable law.	form is confidential and will not be disc	losed to anyone except as permitted by the
Legal Notification: Section 644 of the Housing and Commun requires each applicant for federally assisted housing to be off organization. By accepting the applicant's application, the hou requirements of 24 CFR section 5.105, including the prohibiti programs on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, age discrimination under the Age Discrimination Act of 1975.	Fered the option of providing information using provider agrees to comply with the ons on discrimination in admission to or sex, disability, and familial status under t	regarding an additional contact person or non-discrimination and equal opportunity participation in federally assisted housing
Check this box if you choose not to provide the conta	act information.	
Signature of Applicant		Date

The information collection requirements contained in this form were submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501-3520). The public reporting burden is estimated at 15 minutes per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. Section 644 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1992 (42 U.S.C. 13604) imposed on HUD the obligation to require housing providers participating in HUD's assisted housing programs to provide any individual or family applying for occupancy in HUD-assisted housing with the option to include in the application for occupancy the name, address, telephone number, and other relevant information of a family member, friend, or person associated with a social, health, advocacy, or similar organization. The objective of providing such information is to facilitate contact by the housing provider with the person or organization identified by the tenant to assist in providing and maintained as confidential information. Providing the tenancy of such tenant. This supplemental application information is to be maintained by the housing provider and maintained as confidential information. Providing the information of the HUD Assisted-Housing Program and is voluntary. It supports statutory requirements and program and management controls that prevent fraud, waste and mismanagement. In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act, an agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information, unless the collection displays a currently valid OMB control number.

Privacy Statement: Public Law 102-550, authorizes the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) to collect all the information (except the Social Security Number (SSN)) which will be used by HUD to protect disbursement data from fraudulent actions.

Authorization for the Release of Information/ Privacy Act Notice

to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and the Housing Agency/Authority (HA)

PHA requesting release of information; **(Cross out space if none)** (Full address, name of contact person, and date)

Colorado Department of Local Affairs Division of Housing 1313 Sherman Street, Room #320 Denver, CO 80203 303-864-7852

Authority: Section 904 of the Stewart B. McKinney Homeless Assistance Amendments Act of 1988, as amended by Section 903 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1992 and Section 3003 of the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1993. This law is found at 42 U.S.C. 3544.

This law requires that you sign a consent form authorizing: (1) HUD and the Housing Agency/Authority (HA) to request verification of salary and wages from current or previous employers; (2) HUD and the HA to request wage and unemployment compensation claim information from the state agency responsible for keeping that information; (3) HUD to request certain tax return information from the U.S. Social Security Administration and the U.S. Internal Revenue Service. The law also requires independent verification of income information. Therefore, HUD or the HA may request information from financial institutions to verify your eligibility and level of benefits.

Purpose: In signing this consent form, you are authorizing HUD and the above-named HA to request income information from the sources listed on the form. HUD and the HA need this information to verify your household's income, in order to ensure that you are eligible for assisted housing benefits and that these benefits are set at the correct level. HUD and the HA may participate in computer matching programs with these sources in order to verify your eligibility and level of benefits.

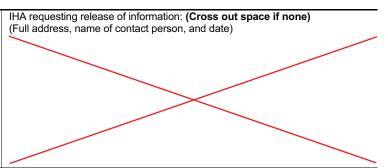
Uses of Information to be Obtained: HUD is required to protect the income information it obtains in accordance with the Privacy Act of 1974, 5 U.S.C. 552a. HUD may disclose information (other than tax return information) for certain routine uses, such as to other government agencies for law enforcement purposes, to Federal agencies for employment suitability purposes and to HAs for the purpose of determining housing assistance. The HA is also required to protect the income information it obtains in accordance with any applicable State privacy law. HUD and HA employees may be subject to penalties for unauthorized disclosures or improper uses of the income information that is obtained based on the consent form. **Private owners may not request or receive information authorized by this form.**

Who Must Sign the Consent Form: Each member of your household who is 18 years of age or older must sign the consent form. Additional signatures must be obtained from new adult members joining the household or whenever members of the household become 18 years of age.

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development

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Persons who apply for or receive assistance under the following programs are required to sign this consent form:

PHA-owned rental public housing Turnkey III Homeownership Opportunities Mutual Help Homeownership Opportunity Section 23 and 19(c) leased housing Section 23 Housing Assistance Payments HA-owned rental Indian housing Section 8 Rental Certificate Section 8 Rental Voucher Section 8 Moderate Rehabilitation

Failure to Sign Consent Form: Your failure to sign the consent form may result in the denial of eligibility or termination of assisted housing benefits, or both. Denial of eligibility or termination of benefits is subject to the HA's grievance procedures and Section 8 informal hearing procedures.

Sources of Information To Be Obtained

State Wage Information Collection Agencies. (This consent is limited to wages and unemployment compensation I have received during period(s) within the last 5 years when I have received assisted housing benefits.)

U.S. Social Security Administration (HUD only) (This consent is limited to the wage and self employment information and payments of retirement income as referenced at Section 6103(l)(7)(A) of the Internal Revenue Code.)

U.S. Internal Revenue Service (HUD only) (This consent is limited to unearned income [i.e., interest and dividends].)

Information may also be obtained directly from: (a) current and former employers concerning salary and wages and (b) financial institutions concerning unearned income (i.e., interest and dividends). I understand that income information obtained from these sources will be used to verify information that I provide in determining eligibility for assisted housing programs and the level of benefits. Therefore, this consent form only authorizes release directly from employers and financial institutions of information regarding any period(s) within the last 5 years when I have received assisted housing benefits. Consent: I consent to allow HUD or the HA to request and obtain income information from the sources listed on this form for the purpose of verifying my eligibility and level of benefits under HUD's assisted housing programs. I understand that HAs that receive income information under this consent form cannot use it to deny, reduce or terminate assistance without first independently verifying what the amount was, whether I actually had access to the funds and when the funds were received. In addition, I must be given an opportunity to contest those determinations.

This consent form expires 15 months after signed.

Signatures:

Head of Household	Date		
Social Security Number (if any) of Head of Household		Other Family Member over age 18	Date
Spouse	Date	Other Family Member over age 18	Date
Other Family Member over age 18	Date	Other Family Member over age 18	Date
Other Family Member over age 18	Date	Other Family Member over age 18	Date

Privacy Act Notice. Authority: The Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) is authorized to collect this information by the U.S. Housing Act of 1937 (42 U.S.C. 1437 et. seq.), Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 U.S.C. 2000d), and by the Fair Housing Act (42 U.S.C. 3601-19). The Housing and Community Development Act of 1987 (42 U.S.C. 3543) requires applicants and participants to submit the Social Security Number of each household member who is six years old or older. Purpose: Your income and other information are being collected by HUD to determine your eligibility, the appropriate bedroom size, and the amount your family will pay toward rent and utilities. Other Uses: HUD uses your family income and other information to assist in managing and monitoring HUD-assisted housing programs, to protect the Government's financial interest, and to verify the accuracy of the information you provide. This information may be released to appropriate Federal, State, and local agencies, when relevant, and to civil, criminal, or regulatory investigators and prosecutors. However, the information will not be otherwise disclosed or released outside of HUD, except as permitted or required by law. Penalty: You must provide all of the information requested by the HA, including all Social Security Numbers you, and all other household members age six years and older, have and use. Giving the Social Security Numbers of all household members six years of age and older is mandatory, and not providing the Social Security Numbers will affect your eligibility. Failure to provide any of the requested information may result in a delay or rejection of your eligibility approval.

Penalties for Misusing this Consent:

HUD, the HA and any owner (or any employee of HUD, the HA or the owner) may be subject to penalties for unauthorized disclosures or improper uses of information collected based on the consent form.

Use of the information collected based on the form HUD 9886 is restricted to the purposes cited on the form HUD 9886. Any person who knowingly or willfully requests, obtains or discloses any information under false pretenses concerning an applicant or participant may be subject to a misdemeanor and fined not more than \$5,000.

Any applicant or participant affected by negligent disclosure of information may bring civil action for damages, and seek other relief, as may be appropriate, against the officer or employee of HUD, the HA or the owner responsible for the unauthorized disclosure or improper use.