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### **Miami-Dade County public housing waitlist to open next week!**

**Miami, FL – October 8, 2024** – Miami-Dade County Public Housing and Community Development (PHCD) is excited to announce the opening of the public housing waitlist from October 15, 2024, to October 25, 2024. This initiative offers a crucial opportunity for eligible low-income families, the elderly, and persons with disabilities to apply for safe, affordable housing. PHCD manages over 6,000 units across 92 sites throughout Miami-Dade County.

“We are deeply committed to ensuring that every resident of Miami-Dade County has access to safe, secure, and affordable housing, which is why we are working around the clock to find solutions to help our residents afford to live in our county,” said Miami-Dade County Mayor Daniella Levine Cava. “By opening this waitlist, we are taking meaningful action to support our most vulnerable populations—families, seniors, and persons with disabilities—ensuring they have the opportunity for stable housing that provides the foundation for a better quality of life.”

#### **Easy as 1, 2, 3 – Steps to Apply:**

##### **Step 1: When to Apply**

- Opening Date: October 15, 2024, at 12:00 a.m. (midnight)
- Closing Date: October 25, 2024, at 11:59 p.m.

##### **Step 2: How to Apply**

- Online Applications Only: Visit <https://miamidadevoucher.myhousing.com> or scan the QR code.
- No internet access? Technical assistance is available at designated regional libraries and community centers (listed below).

##### **Step 3: Complete!**

- After submitting your application, print and keep your confirmation code for your records.

For questions regarding applications starting on October 15, 2024, applicants may contact the Miami-Dade County Department of Public Housing and Community Development Applicant Leasing Center by calling (786) 469-4300 between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday (except holidays).

For assistance with completing an online application, residents may go to any of the locations listed below between October 15, 2024, and October 25, 2024, Monday thru Friday, from 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

**Technical Assistance Locations:**

- Main Library – 101 West Flagler Street, Miami, FL 33130
- Model City Branch Library – Caleb – 2211 NW 54th Street, Miami, FL 33142
- Community Action and Human Services – Rev. Edward T. Graham / Miami Gardens – 16405 NW 25th Avenue, Miami Gardens, FL 33054
- Community Action and Human Services – Naranja – 13955 SW 264th Street, Naranja, FL 33032
- Community Action and Human Services – Accion – 970 SW 1st Street, 4th Floor, Miami, FL 33130
- Community Action and Human Services – Culmer – 1600 NW 3rd Avenue, Miami, FL 33136
- Community Action and Human Services – Edison – 150 NW 79th Street, Miami, FL 33150
- Community Action and Human Services – Florida City – 1600 NW 6th Court, Florida City, FL 33034
- Community Action and Human Services – Frankie S. Rolle / Coconut Grove – 3750 S. Dixie Hwy, Suite 117, Miami, FL 33133

Public housing programs are designed to support individuals and families in need of rental assistance, with eligibility determined by factors such as income, family size, and citizenship status. PHCD works in collaboration with the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) to administer these programs, ensuring fair and equitable access to housing for all residents.

Rent is based on anticipated gross income, with deductions available for dependents and certain allowances. Tenants can remain in public housing as long as they comply with lease agreements, and annual income reviews are conducted to determine continued eligibility.

“We encourage all eligible individuals to apply for this vital opportunity,” said PHCD Director Alex R. Ballina. “Securing affordable housing can be a turning point for many families, and we remain committed to providing support through every step of the application process.”

**For more information and to apply, visit: [www.miamidade.gov/publichousing](http://www.miamidade.gov/publichousing)**

Persons with disabilities may seek assistance in completing the application by contacting the Applicant Leasing Center at (786) 469-4300, between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday (except holidays).

**About Miami-Dade County Public Housing and Community Development:**

Public Housing and Community Development (PHCD) is dedicated to providing affordable housing solutions and improving the quality of life for residents in Miami-Dade County. PHCD administers a variety of federal, state, and local funding programs to support housing development, rehabilitation, homeownership, and community services.

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