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TO: Agency Directors and Weatherization Coordinators
FROM: Danielle Safford Weatherization Program Coordinator

RE: Eligible Buildings-U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Lists

DATE: October 20, 2023

Greetings,

As required in 42 U.S. Code § 6863(b)(3), on October 20, 2021, the Secretary of Energy approved DOE's WAP to extend categorical income eligibility to HUD means-tested programs.

Weatherization Program Notice (WPN) 22-5 expanded WAP's categorical income eligibility to include HUD means-tested programs' income qualifications at or below 80% of Area Median Income (AMI). WPN 22-5 was accompanied by three spreadsheets listing HUD properties which were categorically or potentially income eligible.

Subgrantees may certify that applicants have met the income requirements of HUD means tested programs through mechanisms including, but not limited to, applicant documentation, interagency lists of recipients, shared system databases, etc. The method of verification for eligibility must be included in the client file. OHCS Program Coordinator must approve the method of verification prior to proceeding with the project. HUD and DOE have released three updated lists, along with a data dictionary to assist with the use of these lists.

These lists are:

- 1. Eligible HUD Multifamily Buildings: A list of multifamily buildings owned and managed by Public Housing Authorities (PHAs) which are categorically eligible for WAP services. These are buildings in which 66% or more units (for buildings of 5+ units) or 50% or more units (for buildings of 2-4 units) are HUD assisted, and they are categorically eligible regardless of occupancy rate.
- 2. **Potentially Eligible HUD Multifamily Buildings:** A list of HUD-owned and managed multifamily buildings which may be eligible for WAP services. The Subgrantee must verify that the minimum number of units are eligible for weatherization using methods outlined in WPN 22-5. These properties may need further verification either due to a low rate of HUD assisted units or discrepancies in the existing databases.



3. **Multifamily HUD Assisted Buildings:** A list of privately-owned multifamily buildings containing HUD assisted units may be eligible for WAP services. The Subgrantee must verify that the minimum number of units are eligible for weatherization using methods outlined in WPN 22-5, as the number of assisted units can change as occupancy changes.

HUD has also provided DOE with a list of Single-Family Buildings which are HUD owned and managed and are categorically eligible for weatherization. DOE will provide this list along with lists of duplexes to each Grantee for their service territory. The lists are provided on separate tabs: Eligible HUD 1 Family Buildings (categorically eligible), Eligible HUD 2 Family Buildings (categorically eligible), Needs Verification HUD Assisted (needs further verification), and Needs Verification HUD 2 Family (needs further verification).

DATA DICTIONARIES - HUD WEATHERIZATION LISTS

Eligible HUD Multifamily Buildings, Potentially Eligible HUD Multifamily Buildings, & Single-Family Buildings

Column	Heading	Description	Additional Detail
А	Participant Code	The Public Housing Authority (PHA) code for the PHA.	Every PHA is assigned a unique identifier, beginning with state abbreviation, followed by three numbers, e.g., AK001.
В	Participant Name	The name of the PHA.	E.g., Housing Authority
С	Development Code	A code that uniquely identifies a project or development, typically known as an Asset Management Project (AMP).	Code begins with the 5-digit PHA Participant Code, followed by a set of unique figures, e.g., AK001000257.
D	Project Name	The name of the AMP.	An AMP may consist of one building or multiple buildings.
E	Building Name	The name of the building.	Building names are typically listed for projects with more than one building. Not every project includes a building name.
F	Building Number	The unique identification number assigned by HUD to the building.	
G	Address	The address of the building.	
Н	City	The city the building is located in.	
1	State	The state the building is located in.	
J	Zip Code	The zip code the building is located in.	
К	Building Type	Identification of the type of building structure.	Building types include: • Elevator structure (typically 4+ stories) • Rowhouse • Semidetached • Walkup (typically up to 3 stories)
L	Total Unit Count	The total number of dwelling units within each building.	
М	Percent of Assisted Units	Percentage of HUD assisted units or Annual Contributions Contract (ACC) units as a share of the total number of dwelling units.	At least 66% of the total units must be HUD- assisted (ACC units) to qualify for WAP services (50% for 2-4 units).



N	Assisted Occupancy Rate	Percentage of assisted and	At least 66% of the total units must be HUD-
		occupied units as a share of total	assisted (ACC units) to qualify for WAP services
		units.	(50% for 2-4 units). This is a point in time
			estimate and will require further verification.

Key

- ACC: The mechanism through which the PHA receives funding, defines the agency's obligations, and outlines remedies for breaches of contract.
- AMP: A public housing project or development that PHAs have designated for asset management.

Multifamily HUD Assisted Buildings

Column	Heading	Description	Additional Detail
А	Property ID	The unique property ID used by HUD	
_		associated with the property.	
В	Contract Number	Contract Number of Housing Assistance	The contract number begins with the state
		Payment (HAP) Contract with HUD.	abbreviation, followed by a unique code,
			e.g., AK001000257.
С	Owner	The name of the organization that	
-	Organization Name	owns the property.	
D	Property Name	The name of the property.	
E	Property Address	The address of the property.	
F	City	The city the property is located in.	
G	State	The state the property is located in.	
Н	Zip Code	The zip code the property is located in.	
I	Client Group Type	The predominate type of housing for	Client group types include:
		each property.	Disabled
			• Elderly
			Family
			Healthcare
			• [Blank]
J	Building Count	The number of individual buildings	Each property listed may consist of one or
		included in the property.	more buildings: total number of buildings in
			the property listed.
K	Total Unit Count	The total number of units at the	
		property.	
L	Contract Unit	The maximum number of HUD-assisted	
	Count	units available on the current HAP	
		contract.	
М	Percent of Assisted	The percentage of assisted units as a	This data comes from a different data source
	Units	share of the total number of units at	than the contract unit count and may
		the property.	disagree.
N	Assisted Occupancy	The percentage of assisted and	Occupancy data was provided by a different
	Rate	occupied units as a share of the total	data source than the total and assisted unit
		number of units at the property.	data. This is a point in time estimate and will
			require further verification. At least 66% of
			the total units must be HUD-assisted (ACC
			units) to qualify for WAP services (50% for 2-
			4 units).



0	Contract Expiration	The date when the HAP contract	A typical HAP contract may have a term of 15
	Date	expires.	to 20 years; expiration date is the final date
			of the contract.

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• HAP contract: Contract that multifamily owner-operators sign with HUD providing rental subsidies for qualifying households.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (503) 569-2528.

Best regards,

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