

HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE COUNTY OF DAUPHIN

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

HCV (SECTION 8) LOTTERY WAITLIST OPENING Will Accept Preliminary Applications

The Housing Authority of the County of Dauphin is scheduled to open the waitlist for the Housing Choice Voucher (HCV) Program at 8:30 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 12, and closing on Thursday Dec. 14, at 4:30 p.m., with a release of the preliminary application. The HCV program is intended to help families afford safe, decent and sanitary rental housing owned by private landlords. This rental subsidy program is funded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

Applications are to be accepted online only (www.dauphinhousing.myhousing.com). Placement on the waitlist is lottery-based and not first-come, first-served. Due to the limited availability of vouchers, the Authority intends to select 1,000 applicants to enter the waitlist. Selection to the waitlist does not guarantee a voucher; each applicant's eligibility will be determined when they reach the top of the list.

Those interested in applying for the HCV program must begin by completing a preliminary online application. To apply you will need:

- 1. A valid email address
- 2. A valid phone number
- 3. Full names for all household members
- 4. Date of birth for all household members
- 5. Social security number for all household members (if available)

After submission, save the confirmation number to acknowledge successful submission of the application. There is no fee for completing the application. More information regarding how to apply can be found at www.dauphinhousing.myhousing.com.

For those without internet access, the following partners and locations will provide access and assistance:

- Dauphin County Housing Authority, 501 Mohn Street, Steelton, from 8:30 a.m. 4:00 p.m. each day. Bilingual assistance available
- Tri-County Community Action, 1514 Derry Street, Harrisburg, PA from 10:00 a.m. 3:00 p.m. each day.
- Dauphin County Libraries, all locations

More information about the HCV Program and the application process can be found on the Authority's website.

The Housing Authority of the County of the Dauphin was established in 1959 to serve Dauphin County residents. It operates 725 units of public housing and provides over 1,100 Housing Choice Vouchers. The mission of the Housing Authority of the County of Dauphin is to provide eligible families with safe, decent,

and affordable housing opportunities as they strive to achieve self-sufficiency and improve the quality of their lives. For more information of the Housing Authority of the County of Dauphin, please visit its website at www.dauphinhousing.org.

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