

Pre-Application Opening for the  
Housing Choice Voucher (Section 8) Program Wait List  
9:00 a.m., June 23<sup>rd</sup>, Central Daylight Time (CDT)  
Through 6:00 p.m., June 25<sup>th</sup> 2020, CDT



Pre-applications will be accepted online only at:  
**waitlist.hacm.org**

The Housing Authority of the City of Milwaukee (HACM) announces the opening of its wait list for the Housing Choice Voucher Program. Housing Choice Vouchers are a form of Section 8 Rent Assistance funded by the federal government and administered locally by the Housing Authority. The program provides very low-income families with help in paying their rent for housing in private market units that have been inspected and met the program's housing quality standards. HACM will accept online pre-applications to be included in a lottery for the wait list.

**PRE-APPLICATION DATES & LOTTERY FOR WAIT LIST**

Any qualified person (see qualifications below) may complete a pre-application anytime between Tuesday, June 23<sup>rd</sup> at 9:00 a.m. and Thursday, June 25<sup>th</sup>, 2020 at 6:00 p.m., CDT. The registration and pre-application portal is located at [waitlist.hacm.org](http://waitlist.hacm.org) and is a secure, user friendly, web-based tool that will protect your information. After the wait list pre-application closes on June 25<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m. CDT, a random lottery will be held to select the 3,000 households that will be added to the Housing Choice Voucher wait list. These households will be notified after July 31, 2020 with information on next steps.

Please note that because applicants will be selected through the random lottery, there is **NO** advantage to submitting a pre-application on the first day. All households will have the same chance of being selected through the lottery regardless of when they apply during the pre-application period.

**QUALIFICATIONS**

To qualify, the Head of Household must be 18 years or older and the TOTAL household income must not exceed the limits indicated below:

1 Person	2 Persons	3 Persons	4 Persons	5 Persons	6 Persons	7 Persons	8 Persons
\$29,350	\$33,550	\$37,750	\$41,900	\$45,300	\$48,650	\$52,000	\$55,350

**HOW TO PRE-APPLY**

Pre-applications will be accepted online only at [waitlist.hacm.org](http://waitlist.hacm.org). **ANY** computer, tablet or smartphone with Internet access may be used to register. To complete the pre-application, registrants will need the following pieces of information for the Head of Household (anyone may register on behalf of the Head of Household) as well as the first and last name, date of birth, and gender for any additional members of the household:

- First and Last Name
- Mailing Address
- Phone number (including area code)
- Social Security Number
- Date of Birth (must be 18 years of age or older)
- Email Address

\*An email address is required. If you do not have an active email address, please go to [www.gmail.com](http://www.gmail.com), [www.mail.yahoo.com](http://www.mail.yahoo.com) or [www.hotmail.com](http://www.hotmail.com) to create a free email account.

**Duplicate pre-applications will be rejected.**

**REASONABLE ACCOMMODATION**

Registrants requiring a Reasonable Accommodation may call 414-286-5414. A Reasonable Accommodation requires documented verification from a doctor or other medical professional.