

# Claim for Rental Assistance or Down Payment Assistance (49 CFR 24.402 and 24.401(f))

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| <b>For Agency Use Only</b> Name of Agency | Project Name or Number | Case Number |
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**Instructions:** This claim form is for the use of families and individuals applying for rental or down payment assistance under the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970 (URA) and may also be used by a 180-day homeowner-occupant who chooses to rent rather than buy a replacement home. The Agency will help you complete the form. HUD also provides information on these requirements and other guidance materials on its website at [www.hud.gov/relocation](http://www.hud.gov/relocation). If the full amount of your claim is not approved, the Agency will provide you with a written explanation of the reason. If you are not satisfied with the Agency's determination, you may appeal that determination. The Agency will explain how to make an appeal.

**Displaced persons must rent/purchase and occupy a decent, safe and sanitary replacement dwelling within one year from the date of displacement for replacement housing payment eligibility (see 24.402(a)(2)). All claims for payments must be filed no later than 18 months from the date of displacement (see 24.207(d)).**

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| 1a. Your Name(s) (You are the Claimant(s)) and Present Mailing Address | 1b. Telephone Number(s) |
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| 2a. Have all members of the household moved to the same dwelling?<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No (If "No", list the names of all members and the addresses to which they moved in the Remarks Section.) | 2b. Do you (or will you) receive a Federal, State, or local housing program subsidy at the dwelling you moved to? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
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| Dwelling                    | Address | When Did You Rent/Buy This Unit? | When Did You Move To This Unit? | When Did You Move Out of This Unit? |
|-----------------------------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 3. Unit That You Moved From |         |                                  |                                 |                                     |
| 4. Unit That You Moved To   |         |                                  |                                 |                                     |

**5. Certification of Legal Residency in the United States** (Please read instructions below before completing this section.)

**Instructions:** To qualify for relocation advisory services or relocation payments authorized by the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act, a "displaced person" must be a United States citizen or national, or an alien lawfully present in the United States. **The certification below must be completed in order to receive any relocation benefits.** (This certification may not have any standing with regard to applicable State laws providing relocation benefits.) **Your signature on this claim form constitutes certification.** See 49 CFR 24.208(g) & (h) for hardship exceptions.

Please address only the category (Individual or family) that describes your occupancy status. For item (2), please fill in the correct number of persons.

**RESIDENTIAL HOUSEHOLDS**

(1) Individual.

I certify that I am: (check one)  
 a citizen or national of the United States  
 an alien lawfully present in the United States.

(2) Family.

I certify that there are \_\_\_\_\_ persons in my household and that \_\_\_\_\_ are citizens or nationals of the United States and \_\_\_\_\_ are aliens lawfully present in the United States.

| 6. Determination of Person's Financial Means (Not applicable to 180-day homeowner-occupants who choose to rent. Enter NA in Item 6(6).)                                   | Household Income |                         |
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|   | Claimant (a)     | For Agency Use Only (b) |
| (1) Total number of persons in the household (See item 5(1) or (2))   |                  |                         |
| (2) Annual Gross Household Income. (49 CFR 24.2(a)(14)). Enter name of each household member with income (include the income of persons not lawfully present in the U.S.) | \$               | \$                      |
| (3) Total Gross Annual Income (Sum of entries in item 6(2))   | \$               | \$                      |
| (4) URA low income limit for number of persons in item 6(1). If item 6(3) is greater than item 6(4) - Family is not low-income. See 49 CFR 24.402 (b)(2)(ii)              |                  | \$                      |
| (5) Gross Monthly Income (Divide item 6(3) by 12)   | \$               | \$                      |
| (6) 30% of item 6(5) or "NA". (If gross annual income item 6(3) is greater than URA low income limit in item 6(4), enter "NA".)   | \$               | \$                      |

**7. Determination of Rent and Average Monthly Utility Costs (See 49 CFR 24.402(b))**

**Instructions:** To compute the payment, entries on line (8) must reflect all utility services. Therefore, identify on lines (2) through (5) each utility necessary to provide electricity, gas, other heating/cooking fuels, water and sewer. In those cases where the utility service is not covered by the monthly rent, indicate the estimated out-of-pocket monthly cost. In those cases where the utility service is covered by the monthly rent, enter "IMR" (In Monthly Rent). Determine the estimated average monthly cost of a utility service by dividing the reasonable estimated yearly cost by 12. If a monthly housing program subsidy (e.g., Housing Choice Voucher/Section 8, other) has been provided, enter the applicable amount on line (7).

| Monthly Cost  | Unit That You Moved From<br>(For Homeowner-Occupant, rent will be determined by the agency.) |                            | Unit That You Moved To<br>(Do not complete if claim is for down payment assistance.) |                            | Comparable Replacement Dwelling |
|---|--|----------------------------|--|----------------------------|---------------------------------|
|   | (a)<br>Claimant  | (b)<br>For Agency Use Only | (c)<br>Claimant  | (d)<br>For Agency Use Only | (e)<br>To Be Provided By Agency |
| (1) Rent (The monthly rental amount due under the terms and conditions of occupancy. If utilities are not included in rent, list in item 7(2) to (5)) | \$   | \$                         | \$   | \$                         | \$                              |
| (2)   |  |                            |  |                            |                                 |
| (3)   |  |                            |  |                            |                                 |
| (4)   |  |                            |  |                            |                                 |
| (5)   |  |                            |  |                            |                                 |
| (6) Gross Monthly Rent and Utility Costs (add item 7(1) through (5))  | \$   | \$                         | \$   | \$                         | \$                              |
| (7) Monthly Housing Subsidy, if applicable (e.g., Housing Choice Voucher/Section 8, other)  | \$   | \$                         | \$   | \$                         | \$                              |
| (8) Net Monthly Rent and Utility Costs (subtract item 7(7) from item 7(6)) (Enter these amounts on the appropriate lines in Item 8.)                  | \$   | \$                         | \$   | \$                         | \$                              |

| 8. Computation of Payment: If you are filing for down payment assistance, check this box <input type="checkbox"/> and skip item 8(1).  | To Be Completed By Claimant (a) | For Agency Use Only (b) |
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| (1) Monthly Rent and Average Monthly Utility Costs for Unit That You Moved To (From item 7(8), Column (c))   | \$                              | \$                      |
| (2) Monthly Rent and Average Monthly Utility Costs for Comparable Replacement Dwelling (From item 7(8), Column (e)) (To be provided by the Agency)   |                                 |                         |
| (3) Lesser of item 8(1) or (2) (If claim is for down payment assistance, enter amount from item 8(2))  |                                 |                         |
| (4) Monthly Rent and Average Monthly Utility Costs for Unit That You Moved From (From item 7(8), Column (a)) (For Homeowner-Occupants who choose to rent, to be determined by the agency.)   |                                 |                         |
| (5) 30% of Average Gross Monthly Household Income (From item 6(6), Column (a)). If item 6(6) is "NA", enter "NA" here.   |                                 |                         |
| (6) Lesser of item 8(4) or 8(5)  |                                 |                         |
| (7) Monthly Need (Subtract item 8(6) from item 8(3))   |                                 |                         |
| (8) Amount of Payment Claim (Amount on item 8(7) multiplied by 42) (For a Homeowner-Occupant who elects to rent, this amount cannot exceed the difference between the acquisition cost of the displacement dwelling and the cost of a comparable replacement dwelling. See form HUD-40057, item 5(5).) | \$                              | \$                      |
| (9) Amount Previously Received (if any)  |                                 |                         |
| (10) Amount Requested (Subtract item 8(9) from 8(8))   | \$                              | \$                      |

9. **Certification By Claimant(s):** I certify that the information on this claim form and supporting documentation is true and complete and that I have not been paid for these expenses by any other source.

Signature(s) of Claimant(s) & Date

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**Warning:** HUD will prosecute false claims and statements. Conviction may result in criminal and/or civil penalties. (18 U.S.C. 1001, 1010, 1012; 31 U.S.C. 3729, 3802)

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| <b>To be Completed by the Agency</b>  | 10. Effective date (mm/dd/yyyy) of eligibility for relocation assistance | 11. Date (mm/dd/yyyy) replacement dwelling inspected and found decent, safe and sanitary | 12. Date(mm/dd/yyyy) person occupied replacement dwelling |
| 13. Payment To Be Made In: <input type="checkbox"/> Lump Sum <input type="checkbox"/> Monthly Installments <input type="checkbox"/> Other Installments<br>(only for down payment assistance) (specify in the Remarks Section) |  |  |   |
| Payment Action  | Amount of Payment  | Signature  | Name (Type or Print) Date (mm/dd/yyyy)                    |
| 14. Recommended   | \$   |  |   |
| 15. Approved  | \$   |  |   |

**Remarks**

Remarks continued on a separate page?  Yes  No

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