



Multifamily Housing Project Rental Application



CDA PROPERTY: Check the waiting list(s) you would like to be placed on.

Parkside Apartments

Elderly/Disabled-Designated Housing

- For families, whose head, spouse, or sole member is at least 62 years of age.
- For families whose head, spouse, or sole member is a person with disabilities.

Karabis Apartments

Barrier-Free Housing for the Physically Disabled

- For families whose head, spouse, or sole member is a person with physical disabilities requiring a barrier-free unit.

Return completed application to:

215 Martin Luther King, Jr., Boulevard
Room 120

Or, mail to:

CDA-Housing P.O. Box 1785
Madison WI 53701-1785

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS: Along with the Application for Housing Assistance we must receive the following:

- Authorization for the Release of Information for each household member aged 18 and over (attached) - signed & dated.
- HUD Notice of Consent for the Release of Information (attached) - signed & dated.
- Declaration of Citizenship (attached) - completed, signed & dated.
- Copy** of Social Security Cards for each household member. **Receipts for application of card NOT ACCEPTED.**
- Copy** of certified birth certificates for all children. **Keepsake certificates issued by hospital NOT ACCEPTED.**
- Copy** of valid, current driver's license or government-issued picture ID for all adults.
- Copy** of the current year's Social Security Proof of Income letter, if applicable. Contact SSA at 1-800-772-1213.
- Verification** of eligible immigration status, if applicable. (See *Declaration of Citizenship* form for list of documents acceptable as evidence of eligible immigration status.)

Application assistance is available every **Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday 8:30 am – 12 pm and 1 pm – 4 pm.

If you are having difficulty obtaining the above required documentation; or if you need an interpreter, materials in alternate formats, or other accommodations to apply for this program, please contact us at **608-266-4675** or **TextNet 1-866-704-2318.**

HOUSEHOLD COMPOSITION: List your name and the names of **all** persons who **will be** living with you. Attach an additional sheet if necessary. **List HEAD of Household first.**

HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS (First-Middle Initial-Last)	SOCIAL SECURITY # (24 CFR 5.216)	RELATIONSHIP TO HEAD	SEX	RACE	BIRTH DATE	COLLEGE STUDENTS (Circle One)	
						Full-Time	Part-Time
		HEAD					
						Full-Time	Part-Time
						Full-Time	Part-Time
						Full-Time	Part-Time

CONTACT INFORMATION

Previous or other name(s) used by adults in household:

Current Living Address:

Mailing Address (if different from Living Address):

(Apt. #)

(Apt. #)

(State)

(Zip Code)

(State)

(Zip Code)

Phone: () () ()

Alternate Phone: () () ()

TOTAL HOUSEHOLD INCOME: List all money earned or received by everyone living in your household.

Household Member _____

- Employment \$ _____/month Name of Employer _____ Phone _____
Address of Employer _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
- SSI/SSDI/Social Security Benefits \$ _____/month **SUBMIT CURRENT YEAR'S PROOF OF INCOME LETTER**
- Employer Disability Payments \$ _____/month Source: _____
- Child Support \$ _____/month Source: _____
- Retirement Benefits \$ _____/month Source: _____
- Veteran's Benefits \$ _____/month Source: _____
- Worker's Compensation \$ _____/month Source: _____
- W2/TANF \$ _____/month Source: _____
- Contributions \$ _____/month Source: _____
- Other \$ _____/month Source: _____

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- Contributions \$ _____/month Source: _____
- Other \$ _____/month Source: _____

ASSETS and account numbers for all family members (checking, savings, credit unions, money market funds, certificates of deposit, stocks, bonds, real estate, cash value of life insurance, etc.) **Attach additional sheets if necessary.** You must include any assets you have sold within the last 2 years.

Household Member	Name & Address of Financial Institution	Type of Asset	Account #	Value of Asset

Name of Household Member: _____

HOUSING HISTORY: Please provide housing history for all adults for the last **2 years (24 months)**. We need to know **everywhere** you and your adult household members have lived, even temporarily, for the last 2 years. Use the additional chart on the reverse of this page if necessary.

FROM (Month/ Year)	TO (Month/ Year)	YOUR ADDRESS (Complete address)	LANDLORD (Complete name, address and phone)	ARE/WERE YOU ON LEASE? (Yes or no)	IF NOT ON LEASE, LIST NAME, ADDRESS AND PHONE OF LEASEHOLDER	IF NOT ON LEASE, DID/DOES LANDLORD KNOW YOU STAY/STAYED? (Yes or no)
	NOW					

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	NOW					

Waiting List Preferences

Eligible applicants are assigned a place on the waiting list based upon their preferences and the date and time a complete application is received. Preferences are categories for people with special status or urgent housing needs and determine who will be placed at the top of the waiting list.

- Claiming a preference does not automatically grant you a preference on the wait list.
- Obtaining a preference does not guarantee admission or immediate housing.
- You must submit documentation proving you qualify for a preference.
- Applicants must meet all qualifications in order to receive assistance, regardless of preference status.
- You may claim a preference at the time of application, or at anytime prior to admission.

If your current situation fits into any of the following categories, you may move up more quickly on the waiting list:

Category 1 – Residency Preference

I live, work, have been hired to work, attend school, or participate in a training program in the City of Madison.

To claim a Residency Preference, you must provide documentation:

- If you live in the City of Madison, provide a copy of current lease or utility bill in your name.
- If you are hired to work in the City of Madison, provide written employer certification.
- If you are attending school in the City of Madison, provide current school registration records.

Category 2 – Family/Disabled/Elderly Preference *(These are all in one category and are equally weighted)*

My household includes one or more minor children under the age of 18 years old.

I am, or a member of my household is, 62 years of age or older.

I **DO**, or a member of my household **DOES**, qualify as an individual with a disability.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, a "Disabled Person" means any person who:

1. Has a physical or mental impairment, which substantially limits one or more major life activities;
2. Has a record of such an impairment; or
3. Is regarded as having such impairment.

Name of household member, who qualifies as a "Disabled Person" _____

___ **Requires a wheelchair-accessible apartment.**

___ **Requires a live-in aide.**

Medical Professional Name _____ **Phone** _____

Address _____ **City** _____ **State** _____ **Zip** _____

To claim a Family/Disabled/Elderly Preference, you must provide documentation:

- Copy of certified birth certificates for each minor child in your household.
- Copy of current valid Driver's License or State issued I.D. Card for each household member 62 years of age or older.
- Copy of Social Security Proof of Income Letter for the current year or complete name, address and phone number of your Medical Professional.

Category 3 – Homeless/Victim of Domestic Abuse *(These are all in one category and are equally weighted)*

I am homeless.

I have been forced to move from my home because of a domestic-related crime.

To claim a Homeless/Victim of Domestic Abuse Preference, you must provide documentation:

- Written certification by a public or private facility providing shelter, the police, or a social services agency.
- If you are doubling-up, provide a copy of the lease of the head-of-household, at that residence.
- Copy of police report or written statement from Social Worker, Medical Professional, or D.A.I.S. Caseworker.

If you feel you qualify for any of the above preference categories and can't provide required documentation, please contact us at (608) 266-4675.

DO YOU HAVE AN ADVOCATE?

If you have someone who is helping you (a family member, social worker, etc.) please give the following:

Name/Agency _____ Phone _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

DO YOU WANT CDA TO SEND COPIES OF LETTERS TO THE ABOVE PERSON?

- Yes
- No

CERTIFICATION

- Have you, or has anyone in your household, ever been convicted of manufacturing or producing methamphetamine, also known as “speed,” on the premises (any building, complex, common area, or grounds) of assisted housing? ___Yes ___No
- Are you, or anyone in your household, subject to a sex offender registration requirement under a State Sex Offender Registration Program? ___Yes ___No
- I certify that the information provided on this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.
- I understand that failure to supply required information may cause my application to be cancelled.
- I agree to inform the CDA of any changes in my address, household members, or income and I acknowledge the CDA’s right to rerank my position on any waiting list based on these changes.
- **WARNING:** Section 1001 of Title 18 of the US Code makes it a criminal offense to make willful false statements or representations to any department or agency of the United States Government as to any matter within its jurisdiction. Wisconsin Law Act 173 makes fraud against a housing authority a crime punishable by up to a \$10,000 fine and up to two years imprisonment.

All household members, age 18 or over, must sign the application.

Signature Of Head Of Household	Date	Signature Of Spouse	Date
Signature Of Other Adult	Date	Signature Of Other Adult	Date

Your name will be placed on the waiting list when all required documents are received.

Your application date is the date all required documents are received.

How did you hear about CDA? (Please circle all that apply):

Bus Ad
 CDA Website
 Friend/Family
 Internet
 Newspaper Ad
 Other Agency/Advocate

Karabis and Parkside Multifamily Projects provide Section 8 Project-Based assistance (New Construction) financed by the Wisconsin Housing and Economic Development Authority (WHEDA), with funding provided by the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development

Document Package for Applicant's/Tenant's Consent to the Release Of Information

This Package contains the following documents:

- 1. HUD-9887/A Fact Sheet describing the necessary verifications**
- 2. Form HUD-9887 (to be signed by the Applicant or Tenant)**
- 3. Form HUD-9887-A (to be signed by the Applicant or Tenant and Housing Owner)**
- 4. Relevant Verifications (to be signed by the Applicant or Tenant)**

Each household must receive a copy of the 9887/A Fact Sheet, form HUD-9887, and form HUD-9887-A.

Verification of Information Provided by Applicants and Tenants of Assisted Housing

What Verification Involves

To receive housing assistance, applicants and tenants who are at least 18 years of age and each family head, spouse, or co-head regardless of age must provide the owner or management agent (O/A) or public housing agency (PHA) with certain information specified by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

To make sure that the assistance is used properly, Federal laws require that the information you provide be verified. This information is verified in two ways:

1. HUD, O/As, and PHAs may verify the information you provide by checking with the records kept by certain public agencies (e.g., Social Security Administration (SSA), State agency that keeps wage and unemployment compensation claim information, and the Department of Health and Human Services' (HHS) National Directory of New Hires (NDNH) database that stores wage, new hires, and unemployment compensation). HUD (only) may verify information covered in your tax returns from the U.S. Internal Revenue Service (IRS). You give your consent to the release of this information by signing form HUD-9887. Only HUD, O/As, and PHAs can receive information authorized by this form.
2. The O/A must verify the information that is used to determine your eligibility and the amount of rent you pay. You give your consent to the release of this information by signing the form HUD-9887, the form HUD-9887-A, and the individual verification and consent forms that apply to you. Federal laws limit the kinds of information the O/A can receive about you. The amount of income you receive helps to determine the amount of rent you will pay. The O/A will verify all of the sources of income that you report. There are certain allowances that reduce the income used in determining tenant rents.

Example: Mrs. Anderson is 62 years old. Her age qualifies her for a medical allowance. Her annual income will be adjusted because of this allowance. Because Mrs. Anderson's medical expenses will help determine the amount of rent she pays, the O/A is required to verify any medical expenses that she reports.

Example: Mr. Harris does not qualify for the medical allowance because he is not at least 62 years of age and he is not handicapped or disabled. Because he is not eligible for the medical allowance, the amount of his medical expenses does not change the amount of rent he pays. Therefore, the O/A cannot ask Mr. Harris anything about his medical expenses and cannot verify with a third party about any medical expenses he has.

Customer Protections

Information received by HUD is protected by the Federal Privacy Act. Information received by the O/A or the PHA is subject to State privacy laws. Employees of HUD, the O/A, and the PHA are subject to penalties for using these consent forms improperly. You do not have to sign the form HUD-9887, the form HUD-9887-A, or the individual verification consent forms when they are given to you at your certification or recertification interview. You may take them home with you to read or to discuss with a third party of your choice. The O/A will give you another date when you can return to sign these forms.

If you cannot read and/or sign a consent form due to a disability, the O/A shall make a reasonable accommodation in accordance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973. Such accommodations may include: home visits when the applicant's or tenant's disability prevents him/her from coming to the office to complete the forms; the applicant or tenant authorizing another person to sign on his/her behalf; and for persons with visual impairments, accommodations may include providing the forms in large script or braille or providing readers.

If an adult member of your household, due to extenuating circumstances, is unable to sign the form HUD-9887 or the individual verification forms on time, the O/A may document the file as to the reason for the delay and the specific plans to obtain the proper signature as soon as possible.

The O/A must tell you, or a third party which you choose, of the findings made as a result of the O/A verifications authorized by your consent. The O/A must give you the opportunity to contest such findings in accordance with HUD Handbook 4350.3 Rev. 1. However, for information received under the form HUD-9887 or form HUD-9887-A, HUD, the O/A, or the PHA, may inform you of these findings.

O/As must keep tenant files in a location that ensures confidentiality. Any employee of the O/A who fails to keep tenant information confidential is subject to the enforcement provisions of the State Privacy Act and is subject to enforcement actions by HUD. Also, any applicant or tenant affected by negligent disclosure or improper use of information may bring civil action for damages, and seek other relief, as may be appropriate, against the employee.

HUD-9887/A requires the O/A to give each household a copy of the Fact Sheet, and forms HUD-9887, HUD-9887-A along with appropriate individual consent forms. The package you will receive will include the following documents:

1. **HUD-9887/A Fact Sheet:** Describes the requirement to verify information provided by individuals who apply for housing assistance. This fact sheet also describes consumer protections under the verification process.
2. **Form HUD-9887:** Allows the release of information between government agencies.
3. **Form HUD-9887-A:** Describes the requirement of third party verification along with consumer protections.
4. **Individual verification consents:** Used to verify the relevant information provided by applicants/tenants to determine their eligibility and level of benefits.

Consequences for Not Signing the Consent Forms

If you fail to sign the form HUD-9887, the form HUD-9887-A, or the individual verification forms, this may result in your assistance being denied (for applicants) or your assistance being terminated (for tenants). See further explanation on the forms HUD-9887 and 9887-A.

If you are an applicant and are denied assistance for this reason, the O/A must notify you of the reason for your rejection and give you an opportunity to appeal the decision.

If you are a tenant and your assistance is terminated for this reason, the O/A must follow the procedures set out in the Lease. This includes the opportunity for you to meet with the O/A.

Programs Covered by this Fact Sheet

- Rental Assistance Program (RAP)
- Rent Supplement
- Section 8 Housing Assistance Payments Programs (administered by the Office of Housing)
- Section 202
- Sections 202 and 811 PRAC
- Section 202/162 PAC
- Section 221(d)(3) Below Market Interest Rate
- Section 236
- HOPE 2 Home Ownership of Multifamily Units

O/As must give a copy of this HUD Fact Sheet to each household. See the Instructions on form HUD-9887-A.

Notice and Consent for the Release of Information

U.S. Department of Housing
and Urban Development
Office of Housing
Federal Housing Commissioner

to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and to an Owner and Management Agent (O/A), and to a Public Housing Agency (PHA)

HUD Office requesting release of information (Owner should provide the full address of the HUD Field Office, Attention: Director, Multifamily Division.):	O/A requesting release of information (Owner should provide the full name and address of the Owner.):	PHA requesting release of information (Owner should provide the full name and address of the PHA and the title of the director or administrator. If there is no PHA Owner or PHA contract administrator for this project, mark an X through this entire box.):
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Notice To Tenant: Do not sign this form if the space above for organizations requesting release of information is left blank. You do not have to sign this form when it is given to you. You may take the form home with you to read or discuss with a third party of your choice and return to sign the consent on a date you have worked out with the housing owner/manager.

Authority: Section 217 of the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2004 (Pub L. 108-199). This law is found at 42 U.S.C.653(J). This law authorizes HHS to disclose to the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) information in the NDNH portion of the "Location and Collection System of Records" for the purposes of verifying employment and income of individuals participating in specified programs and, after removal of personal identifiers, to conduct analyses of the employment and income reporting of these individuals. Information may be disclosed by the Secretary of HUD to a private owner, a management agent, and a contract administrator in the administration of rental housing assistance.

Section 904 of the Stewart B. McKinney Homeless Assistance Amendments Act of 1988, as amended by section 903 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1992 and section 3003 of the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1993. This law is found at 42 U.S.C. 3544. This law requires you to sign a consent form authorizing: (1) HUD and the PHA to request wage and unemployment compensation claim information from the state agency responsible for keeping that information; and (2) HUD, O/A, and the PHA responsible for determining eligibility to verify salary and wage information pertinent to the applicant's or participant's eligibility or level of benefits; (3) HUD to request certain tax return information from the U.S. Social Security Administration (SSA) and the U.S. Internal Revenue Service (IRS).

Purpose: In signing this consent form, you are authorizing HUD, the above-named O/A, and the PHA to request income information from the government agencies listed on the form. HUD, the O/A, and the PHA need this information to verify your household's income to ensure that you are eligible for assisted housing benefits and that these benefits are set at the correct level. HUD, the O/A, and the PHA may participate in computer matching programs with these sources to verify your eligibility and level of benefits. This form also authorizes HUD, the O/A, and the PHA to seek wage, new hire (W-4), and unemployment claim information from current or former employers to verify information obtained through computer matching.

Uses of Information to be Obtained: HUD is required to protect the income information it obtains in accordance with the Privacy Act of 1974, 5 U.S.C. 552a. The O/A and the PHA is also required to protect the income

information it obtains in accordance with any applicable State privacy law. After receiving the information covered by this notice of consent, HUD, the O/A, and the PHA may inform you that your eligibility for, or level of, assistance is uncertain and needs to be verified and nothing else.

HUD, O/A, and PHA employees may be subject to penalties for unauthorized disclosures or improper uses of the income information that is obtained based on the consent form.

Who Must Sign the Consent Form: Each member of your household who is at least 18 years of age and each family head, spouse or co-head, regardless of age, must sign the consent form at the initial certification and at each recertification. Additional signatures must be obtained from new adult members when they join the household or when members of the household become 18 years of age.

Persons who apply for or receive assistance under the following programs are required to sign this consent form:

Rental Assistance Program (RAP)

Rent Supplement

Section 8 Housing Assistance Payments Programs (administered by the Office of Housing)

Section 202; Sections 202 and 811 PRAC; Section 202/162 PAC Section 221(d)(3) Below Market Interest Rate

Section 236

HOPE 2 Homeownership of Multifamily Units

Failure to Sign Consent Form: Your failure to sign the consent form may result in the denial of assistance or termination of assisted housing benefits. If an applicant is denied assistance for this reason, the owner must follow the notification procedures in Handbook 4350.3 Rev. 1. If a tenant is denied assistance for this reason, the owner or managing agent must follow the procedures set out in the lease.

Consent: I consent to allow HUD, the O/A, or the PHA to request and obtain income information from the federal and state agencies listed on the back of this form for the purpose of verifying my eligibility and level of benefits under HUD's assisted housing programs.

Signatures:

Additional Signatures, if needed:

Head of Household

Date

Other Family Members 18 and Over

Date

Spouse

Date

Other Family Members 18 and Over

Date

Other Family Members 18 and Over

Date

Other Family Members 18 and Over

Date

Other Family Members 18 and Over

Date

Other Family Members 18 and Over

Date

Agencies To Provide Information

State Wage Information Collection Agencies. (HUD and PHA). This consent is limited to wages and unemployment compensation you have received during period(s) within the last 5 years when you have received assisted housing benefits.

U.S. Social Security Administration (HUD only). This consent is limited to the wage and self employment information from your current form W-2.

National Directory of New Hires contained in the Department of Health and Human Services' system of records. This consent is limited to wages and unemployment compensation you have received during period(s) within the last 5 years when you have received assisted housing benefits.

U.S. Internal Revenue Service (HUD only). This consent is limited to information covered in your current tax return.

This consent is limited to the following information that may appear on your current tax return:

1099-S Statement for Recipients of Proceeds from Real Estate Transactions

1099-B Statement for Recipients of Proceeds from Real Estate Brokers and Barter Exchange Transactions

1099-A Information Return for Acquisition or Abandonment of Secured Property

1099-G Statement for Recipients of Certain Government Payments

1099-DIV Statement for Recipients of Dividends and Distributions

1099 INT Statement for Recipients of Interest Income

1099-MISC Statement for Recipients of Miscellaneous Income

1099-OID Statement for Recipients of Original Issue Discount

1099-PATR Statement for Recipients of Taxable Distributions Received from Cooperatives

1099-R Statement for Recipients of Retirement Plans W2-G

Statement of Gambling Winnings

1065-K1 Partners Share of Income, Credits, Deductions, etc.

1041-K1 Beneficiary's Share of Income, Credits, Deductions, etc.

1120S-K1 Shareholder's Share of Undistributed Taxable Income, Credits, Deductions, etc.

I understand that income information obtained from these sources will be used to verify information that I provide in determining initial or continued eligibility for assisted housing programs and the level of benefits.

No action can be taken to terminate, deny, suspend, or reduce the assistance your household receives based on information obtained about you under this consent until the HUD Office, Office of Inspector General (OIG) or the PHA (whichever is applicable) and the O/A have independently verified: 1) the amount of the income, wages, or unemployment compensation involved, 2) whether you actually have (or had) access to such income, wages, or benefits for your own use, and 3) the period or periods when, or with respect to which you actually received such income, wages, or benefits. A photocopy of the signed consent may be used to request a third party to verify any information received under this consent (e.g., employer).

HUD, the O/A, or the PHA shall inform you, or a third party which you designate, of the findings made on the basis of information verified under this consent and shall give you an opportunity to contest such findings in accordance with Handbook 4350.3 Rev. 1.

If a member of the household who is required to sign the consent form is unable to sign the form on time due to extenuating circumstances, the O/A may document the file as to the reason for the delay and the specific plans to obtain the proper signature as soon as possible.

This consent form expires 15 months after signed.

Privacy Act Statement. The Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) is authorized to collect this information by the U.S. Housing Act of 1937, as amended (42 U.S.C. 1437 et. seq.); the Housing and Urban-Rural Recovery Act of 1983 (P.L. 98-181); the Housing and Community Development Technical Amendments of 1984 (P.L. 98-479); and by the Housing and Community Development Act of 1987 (42 U.S.C. 3543). The information is being collected by HUD to determine an applicant's eligibility, the recommended unit size, and the amount the tenant(s) must pay toward rent and utilities. HUD uses this information to assist in managing certain HUD properties, to protect the Government's financial interest, and to verify the accuracy of the information furnished. HUD, the owner or management agent (O/A), or a public housing agency (PHA) may conduct a computer match to verify the information you provide. This information may be released to appropriate Federal, State, and local agencies, when relevant, and to civil, criminal, or regulatory investigators and prosecutors. However, the information will not be otherwise disclosed or released outside of HUD, except as permitted or required by law. You must provide all of the information requested. Failure to provide any information may result in a delay or rejection of your eligibility approval.

Penalties for Misusing this Consent:

HUD, the O/A, and any PHA (or any employee of HUD, the O/A, or the PHA) may be subject to penalties for unauthorized disclosures or improper uses of information collected based on the consent form.

Use of the information collected based on the form HUD 9887 is restricted to the purposes cited on the form HUD 9887. Any person who knowingly or willfully requests, obtains, or discloses any information under false pretenses concerning an applicant or tenant may be subject to a misdemeanor and fined not more than \$5,000.

Any applicant or tenant affected by negligent disclosure of information may bring civil action for damages, and seek other relief, as may be appropriate, against the officer or employee of HUD, the Owner or the PHA responsible for the unauthorized disclosure or improper use.

Applicant's/Tenant's Consent to the Release of Information

Verification by Owners of Information
Supplied by Individuals Who Apply for Housing Assistance

U.S. Department of Housing
and Urban Development
Office of Housing
Federal Housing Commissioner

Instructions to Owners

1. Give the documents listed below to the applicants/tenants to sign. Staple or clip them together in one package in the order listed.
 - a. The HUD-9887/A Fact Sheet.
 - b. Form HUD-9887.
 - c. Form HUD-9887-A.
 - d. Relevant verifications (HUD Handbook 4350.3 Rev. 1).
2. Verbally inform applicants and tenants that
 - a. They may take these forms home with them to read or to discuss with a third party of their choice and to return to sign them on a date they have worked out with you, and
 - b. If they have a disability that prevents them from reading and/or signing any consent, that you, the Owner, are required to provide reasonable accommodations.
3. Owners are required to give each household a copy of the HUD9887/A Fact Sheet, form HUD-9887, and form HUD-9887-A after obtaining the required applicants/tenants signature(s). Also, owners must give the applicants/tenants a copy of the signed individual verification forms upon their request.

Instructions to Applicants and Tenants

This Form HUD-9887-A contains customer information and protections concerning the HUD-required verifications that Owners must perform.

1. Read this material which explains:
 - HUD's requirements concerning the release of information, and
 - Other customer protections.
2. Sign on the last page that:
 - you have read this form, or
 - the Owner or a third party of your choice has explained it to you, and
 - you consent to the release of information for the purposes and uses described.

Authority for Requiring Applicant's/Tenant's Consent to the Release of Information

Section 904 of the Stewart B. McKinney Homeless Assistance Amendments Act of 1988, as amended by section 903 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1992. This law is found at 42 U.S.C. 3544.

In part, this law requires you to sign a consent form authorizing the Owner to request current or previous employers to verify salary and wage information pertinent to your eligibility or level of benefits.

In addition, HUD regulations (24 CFR 5.659, Family Information and Verification) require as a condition of receiving housing assistance that you must sign a HUD-approved release and consent authorizing any depository or private source of income to furnish such information that is necessary in determining your eligibility or level of benefits. This includes information that you have provided which will affect the amount of rent you pay. The information includes income and assets, such as salary, welfare benefits, and interest earned on savings accounts. They also include certain adjustments to your income, such as the allowances for dependents and for households whose heads or spouses are elderly handicapped, or disabled; and allowances for child care expenses, medical expenses, and handicap assistance expenses.

Purpose of Requiring Consent to the Release of Information

In signing this consent form, you are authorizing the Owner of the housing project to which you are applying for assistance to request information from a third party about you. HUD requires the housing owner to verify all of the information you provide that affects your eligibility and level of benefits to ensure that you are eligible for assisted housing benefits and that these benefits are set at the correct levels. Upon the request of the HUD office or the PHA (as Contract Administrator), the housing Owner may provide HUD or the PHA with the information you have submitted and the information the Owner receives under this consent.

Uses of Information to be Obtained

The individual listed on the verification form may request and receive the information requested by the verification, subject to the limitations of this form. HUD is required to protect the income information it obtains in accordance with the Privacy Act of 1974, 5 U.S.C. 552a. The Owner and the PHA are also required to protect the income information they obtain in accordance with any applicable state privacy law. Should the Owner receive information from a third party that is inconsistent with the information you have provided, the Owner is required to notify you in writing identifying the information believed to be incorrect. If this should occur, you will have the opportunity to meet with the Owner to discuss any discrepancies.

Who Must Sign the Consent Form

Each member of your household who is at least 18 years of age, and each family head, spouse or co-head, regardless of age must sign the relevant consent forms at the initial certification, at each recertification and at each interim certification, if applicable. In addition, when new adult members join the household and when members of the household become 18 years of age they must also sign the relevant consent forms.

Persons who apply for or receive assistance under the following programs must sign the relevant consent forms:

Rental Assistance Program (RAP)
Rent Supplement
Section 8 Housing Assistance Payments Programs (administered by the Office of Housing)
Section 202
Sections 202 and 811 PRAC
Section 202/162 PAC
Section 221(d)(3) Below Market Interest Rate
Section 236
HOPE 2 Home Ownership of Multifamily Units

Failure to Sign the Consent Form

Failure to sign any required consent form may result in the denial of assistance or termination of assisted housing benefits. If an applicant is denied assistance for this reason, the O/A must follow the notification procedures in Handbook 4350.3 Rev. 1. If a tenant is denied assistance for this reason, the O/A must follow the procedures set out in the lease.

Conditions

No action can be taken to terminate, deny, suspend or reduce the assistance your household receives based on information obtained about you under this consent until the O/A has independently 1) verified the information you have provided with respect to your eligibility and level of benefits and 2) with respect to income (including both earned and unearned income), the O/A has verified whether you actually have (or had) access to such income for your own use, and verified the period or periods when, or with respect to which you actually received such income, wages, or benefits.

A photocopy of the signed consent may be used to request the information authorized by your signature on the individual consent forms. This would occur if the O/A does not have another individual verification consent with an original signature and the O/A is required to send out another request for verification (for example, the third party fails to respond). If this happens, the O/A may attach a photocopy of this consent to a photocopy of the individual verification form that you sign. To avoid the use of photocopies, the O/A and the individual may agree to sign more than one consent for each type of verification that is needed. The O/A shall inform you, or a third party which you designate, of the findings made on the basis of information verified under this consent and shall give you an opportunity to contest such findings in accordance with Handbook 4350.3 Rev. 1.

The O/A must provide you with information obtained under this consent in accordance with State privacy laws.

If a member of the household who is required to sign the consent forms is unable to sign the required forms on time, due to extenuating circum-

stances, the O/A may document the file as to the reason for the delay and the specific plans to obtain the proper signature as soon as possible.

Individual consents to the release of information expire 15 months after they are signed. The O/A may use these individual consent forms during the 120 days preceding the certification period. The O/A may also use these forms during the certification period, but only in cases where the O/A receives information indicating that the information you have provided may be incorrect. Other uses are prohibited.

The O/A may not make inquiries into information that is older than 12 months unless he/she has received inconsistent information and has reason to believe that the information that you have supplied is incorrect. If this occurs, the O/A may obtain information within the last 5 years when you have received assistance.

I have read and understand this information on the purposes and uses of information that is verified and consent to the release of information for these purposes and uses.

Name of Applicant or Tenant (Print)

Signature of Applicant or Tenant & Date

I have read and understand the purpose of this consent and its uses and I understand that misuse of this consent can lead to personal penalties to me.

Name of Project Owner or his/her representative

Title

Signature & Date
cc:Applicant/Tenant
Owner file

Penalties for Misusing this Consent:

HUD, the O/A, and any PHA (or any employee of HUD, the O/A, or the PHA) may be subject to penalties for unauthorized disclosures or improper uses of information collected based on the consent form.

Use of the information collected based on the form HUD 9887-A is restricted to the purposes cited on the form HUD 9887-A. Any person who knowingly or willfully requests, obtains or discloses any information under false pretenses concerning an applicant or tenant may be subject to a misdemeanor and fined not more than \$5,000.

Any applicant or tenant affected by negligent disclosure of information may bring civil action for damages, and seek other relief, as may be appropriate, against the officer or employee of HUD, the O/A or the PHA responsible for the unauthorized disclosure or improper use.



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DECLARATION OF CITIZENSHIP OR IMMIGRATION STATUS

I understand that the CDA will obtain information from the Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) for the purpose of verifying immigration status of noncitizens with eligible immigration status only under HUD's assisted housing program(s).

Check one box per adult applicant

(Insert adult applicant's name in row below. Please print.) I attest, under penalty of perjury, that I,	am a citizen of the United States*	am a noncitizen with eligible immigration status*	am a noncitizen without eligible immigration status*	
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Adult applicant's signature/date
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

I, _____, have also used the names: _____

Check one box per child

(Insert child's name in row below. Please print.) I attest, under penalty of perjury, that I,	is a citizen of the United States*	is a noncitizen with eligible immigration status*	is a noncitizen without eligible immigration status*	
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Legal Guardian's signature/date
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

*See reverse to determine what evidence must be submitted with this form.

If you need an interpreter, materials in alternate formats, or other accommodations, to complete these actions, please contact CDA Housing Operations at 608-266-4675.

SUBMIT APPROPRIATE ITEMS BELOW ALONG WITH THIS SIGNED AND DATED CERTIFICATION:

1. **U. S. Citizens:** Submit only a signed Declaration of Citizenship.
2. **Noncitizens, who are 62 years of age or older,** and are receiving assistance as of June 19, 1995, submit:
 - A signed declaration of eligible immigration status; and
 - Proof of age document.
3. **Eligible Noncitizens** submit:
 - A **signed declaration** of eligible immigration status; and
 - One of the following INS documents:
 - (i) **Form I-551** Alien Registration Card
 - (ii) **Form I-94** Arrival Departure Record annotated with one of the following:
 - Admitted as Refugee pursuant to Section 207
 - Section 208 or Asylum
 - Section 243 (h) or Deportation stayed by Attorney General
 - Paroled pursuant to Section 212 (d)(5) of the INA
 - (iii) **Form I-94** Arrival Departure Record not annotated, must be accompanied by one of the following:
 - A final court decision granting asylum
 - A letter from the INS asylum officer, or from the INS district director granting asylum
 - A court decision granting withholding or deportation
 - A letter from an INS asylum officer granting withholding or deportation
 - (iv) **Form I-688** Temporary Resident Card annotated with Section 245A or Section 210
 - (v) **Form I-688B** Employment Authorization Card annotated with Provision of Law 274a.12(11) or Provision of Law 274a.12
4. **Ineligible Non-Citizens** submit:
 - A **signed declaration** indicating you are a noncitizen without eligible immigration status.