

PREAPP # _____ - _____ - _____

LAST NAME _____

**IDAHO HOUSING AND FINANCE ASSOCIATION
PRELIMINARY APPLICATION FOR RENTAL ASSISTANCE**

Complete in Ink Only and Print Clearly - Incomplete Applications Will be Returned

Assistance in completing this form will be provided, upon request, to any individual requiring special accommodation

The Idaho Housing and Finance Association (IHFA) Section 8 Housing Assistance Programs: Voucher, Family Unification and Low Rent Public Housing are a way to help you with rental costs. These programs may help you afford a better place to live. Housing assistance programs pay a part of your monthly rent.

You may qualify if your gross annual income is not over the HUD income guidelines.

RETURN APPLICATIONS TO:

**IDAHO HOUSING AND FINANCE ASSOCIATION
390 W. Sunnyside
Idaho Falls, Idaho 83402
(208) 522-6002 or Toll Free (866) 684-3756**

FOR IHFA USE ONLY

IHFA Representative _____

Date _____ Time _____
() Section 8 () Public Housing (PH)
PREFERENCE
() Working Preference (PH Only)
() Terminal () Family/Eld/Disabled
() No Preference
OTHER: () Family Unif. Pref. _____

This application does not obligate you, in any way, to participate in housing assistance programs. Housing assistance program funds are limited, so please complete this application and send it to IHFA as soon as possible. If you have any questions, please call the number listed above.

Applicant Name _____ Phone # _____ Message # _____

Mailing Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____ County _____

**BEGINNING WITH YOURSELF, LIST EACH PERSON WHO LIVES OR IS EXPECTED TO LIVE IN YOUR HOUSEHOLD
You MUST list the social security numbers of all household members**

First name, Initial, Last Name	Relationship	Birth Date	Disabled Yes or No	Age	Sex	Social Security #	Annual Income
	SELF						

Will there be anyone moving in or out of your household within the next 12 months? () Yes () No
Are you currently living in or planning to live in a unit owned by a relative? () Yes () No

Is the Head of Household:

() White - not of Hispanic Origin () Black/African American () Hispanic
() American Indian or Alaskan Native () Asian () Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander

CRIMINAL HISTORY

Is anyone in the household a registered sex offender in Idaho or any other state? Yes _____ No _____
Have you, or any household member listed, ever been arrested or convicted of drug-related criminal activity? Yes ___ No ___
If so, which household member? _____ What was the charge? _____ When? ___ Where? _____
Have you, or any household member listed, ever been arrested or convicted of violent criminal activity? Yes ___ No ___
If so, which household member? _____ What was the charge? _____ When? ___ Where? _____

PREVIOUS HOUSING ASSISTANCE

Have you ever participated in a rental assistance program or been a resident of Public Housing? () Yes () No If yes, where?
Housing Authority _____ City _____ State _____
Dates of Occupancy: From _____ to _____
Under what name was rental assistance received? _____
Have you ever been evicted from Public or Assisted Housing? Yes ___ No ___ If so, why? _____

SELECTION PREFERENCES:

Eligible applicants are assigned a place on the waiting list based upon their preference and the date and time the application is received. Applicants may claim qualification for a preference when they fill out this PREAPPLICATION and at any time thereafter until assistance is issued by Idaho Housing and Finance Association. However, before issuing assistance to an applicant who claims a preference, IHFA must first verify that the applicant qualifies for the preference claimed.

All of the preferences will require verification. Verification takes place after your name has come to the top of the waiting list. When we reach your name on the waiting list we will notify you to come in and fill out the formal application. **IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO NOTIFY OUR OFFICE OF ANY ADDRESS CHANGES, IN WRITING. IF YOU DO NOT RESPOND, OR YOUR MAIL IS RETURNED TO US, YOU WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE WAITING LIST AND REQUIRED TO REAPPLY.**

Please check all sentences that apply to your current household situation, but only check the preferences for the program (Section 8 or Public Housing) that you are applying for:

SECTION 8 PREFERENCES:

_____ A household member has a terminal illness that is considered by a physician to be in the final stages (must be verified by a medical physician when we reach your name on the waiting list.)

_____ A household that includes one or more children (under age 18 or disabled)

_____ A household where the head or co-head of household or the sole member is:

_____ Elderly: One who is at least 62 years of age -or-

_____ Disabled: One who has a disability as defined in Section 223 of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 423) or Section 102(7)(b) of the Developmental Disabilities Assistance and Bill of Rights Act (42 U.S.C. 6001(7)) or has been determined to have a physical, mental, or emotional impairment that is expected to be of long-continued and indefinite duration; substantially impedes the ability to live independently and is of such a nature that the ability to live independently could be improved by more suitable housing conditions.

_____ At this time I do not qualify for a preference

IHFA also maintains a waiting list for the following projects. Please check if you wish to be on these waiting lists:

_____ Public Housing located in Kellogg, Idaho (one bedroom units)

_____ Public Housing located in Idaho Falls, Idaho (two, three & four bedroom units)

PUBLIC HOUSING PREFERENCES:

_____ Terminal Illness (must be verified by a medical physician when we reach your name on the waiting list)

_____ Working Preference (FOR PUBLIC HOUSING ONLY). Applicants who:

_____ are and have been working for at least ninety (90) days working at least twenty (20) hours a week with verifiable income; or

_____ are enrolled in an IHFA approved self-sufficiency work readiness program; or

_____ are elderly (over age of 62); or

_____ have a disabling condition and are unable to work and are receiving income as a result of the disabling condition.

_____ At this time I do not qualify for a preference

I/We claim qualification for a preference as listed above. I/We certify that the information given to the Association regarding the preference, income, and household composition is accurate and complete to the best of my/our knowledge and belief. Warning: Title 18, Section 1001 of the U.S. Code states that a person is guilty of a felony for knowingly and willingly making false or fraudulent statements to any department of the U.S. government.

ALL household members over the age of 18 must sign.

Applicant Signature _____

Date _____

Co-Applicant Signature _____

Date _____

Other Household Members 18 years of age or older:

Signature _____

Date _____

Signature _____

Date _____