

HOME-ARP: Preventing and Eliminating Homelessness in Your Community



Funding Is Available to Your Community for:

- ▶ Acquisition, rehabilitation, or construction of affordable **rental housing**
- ▶ **Tenant-Based Rental Assistance (TBRA)** to cover housing-related costs, such as rent, security deposits and utility deposits for qualifying populations
- ▶ A broad range of **supportive services** to prevent homelessness and obtain/maintain housing, such as job training, childcare, and educational services
- ▶ **Acquisition and development of non-congregate shelter** to create private temporary emergency shelter while connecting shelter guests with needed services
- ▶ **Nonprofit operating and capacity building assistance** to strengthen and support local nonprofit organizations serving your community with HOME-ARP activities
- ▶ **Administration and planning** to support and hire new staff to distribute, manage, coordinate, monitor, and evaluate HOME-ARP projects

HOME-ARP is a one-time allocation to be used for strategic local investments in housing, homelessness assistance, and supportive services. Please visit www.hudexchange.info/programs/home-arp to learn more about the program and resources to support your implementation.

Qualifying Populations Eligible for HOME-ARP Assistance Include:

- ▶ **Homeless individuals or families**, including persons living outside
- ▶ People **fleeing, or attempting to flee, domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, stalking, or human trafficking**
- ▶ Individuals or families at **risk of homelessness**
- ▶ **Other populations** requiring services or housing assistance to prevent homelessness or resolve housing instability
- ▶ Veterans who meet qualifying population criteria are eligible. Connect with local veteran organizations to discuss how HOME-ARP can best serve veterans in your community.

To Access HOME-ARP Funding for Your Community, You Should:



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Allocation Plan Process

Encourage prioritization of your HOME-ARP allocation plan to accelerate funding distribution in your community

Consult with Community Stakeholders

- ▶ Continuum of Care (CoC) organizations providing homeless services
- ▶ Domestic violence service providers
- ▶ Public housing agencies
- ▶ Veterans' groups
- ▶ Public agencies that address the needs of the Qualifying Populations
- ▶ Public or private organizations that address fair housing, civil rights, and the needs of persons with disabilities

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Conduct a Needs Assessment and Gaps Analysis

Use local data to assess gaps in your local housing, shelter, and homelessness services systems

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Engage in Public Participation

Create opportunities for meaningful feedback from community members through town hall meetings, surveys, focus groups, and comment periods gathering community input to support planning efforts

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Public Comment Period

Publish your draft plan for public comment in accordance with HUD Citizen Participation requirements

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Submit Your Allocation Plan

Upon approval, jurisdictions can begin distributing funding and implementing projects!



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