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#### ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS AND REFERRALS FOR MAINSTREAM ASSISTANCE FOR NON-ELDERLY DISABLED INDIVIDUALS/FAMILIES

##### Overview:

The Department of Housing and Urban Development's regulations require PHAs to provide public notice by publication in a local newspaper of general circulation and in minority media and other suitable means in accordance with the administrative plan and HUD's fair housing requirements.

The Tampa Housing Authority will now be accepting applications for individuals or families that meet the below mentioned criteria. If during the application review process it is found the applicant does not qualify based on the information provided, the applicant will be rejected.

Individual or family member **must** be disabled **and** between the ages of 18-61 (non-elderly) **and** meet one of the following **verifiable** criteria:

1. Transitioning out of institutional and other segregated settings-congregate settings populated exclusively or primarily with individuals with disabilities; (2) congregate settings characterized by regimentation in daily activities, lack of privacy or autonomy, policies limiting visitors, or limits on individuals' ability to engage freely in community activities and to manage their own activities of daily living; or (3) settings that provide for daytime activities primarily with other individuals with disabilities.
2. At serious risk of institutionalization; or
3. Currently experiencing homelessness; or
4. At risk of being homeless

A link for the application will be located on the main page of [www.thafl.com](http://www.thafl.com)  
There is no need to contact the agency regarding the status of the application as the agency will send notices when the eligibility process begins.

**Dated this 9<sup>th</sup> Day of December 2019**