



MOBILITY COUNSELING FORM

ECC/HANH Housing Choice Voucher Participants:

The Elm City Communities/Housing Authority of the City of New Haven offers Mobility Counseling to assist Housing Choice Voucher (HCV) families in their search for apartments in New Haven and surrounding cities. This service is provided by the Glendower Group and is optional and free of charge to ECC/HANH participants. This program provides all families with the opportunity to access housing of choice in areas of choice, including high opportunity areas under the ECC/HANH Deconcentration, and Expanded Jurisdiction initiatives, as well as to access housing in areas of choice and apartments with accessible features such as wheelchair ramps, wheelchair accessible units, grab bars, and other identified needs.

Families who opt in to receiving this free service will have their name and information forwarded to the Glendower Group, a real estate management company providing choice mobility counseling, located at 360 Orange Street, New Haven, CT, third floor.

Subject to funding availability, families that agree to participate in mobility counseling will be given the opportunity for the following:

1. Application fees paid for up to 3 units (anticipating \$30 per application or \$90 per family)
2. Security deposit assistance (up to one month of contract rent) Security deposit assistance will be for initial move-ins and paid directly to the owner on behalf of the family when other resources cannot. The security deposit will be returned to ECC/HANH and will follow the family from one unit to the next, or Assistance with repayment of past utility debts that would prevent a family from securing utilities in their own name (up to payment standard for family size) or
3. Utility deposit assistance for family's utility deposit expenses. Utility deposit assistance includes connection fees required for the utilities to be supplied by the tenant under the lease. ECC/HANH may pay the utility deposit assistance directly to the utility company or may pay the assistance to the family when other resources cannot. If paid to the family, ECC/HANH will require documentation the family paid the utility deposit. ECC/HANH will not require the utility supplier or family to return the utility deposit assistance to the ECC/HANH

Please check off one of the two options below:

Yes I am interested in accessing the Choice mobility counseling services to assist me with locating an apartment.

No I am not interested in this service at this time.

If NO, please provide reason for opting out of receiving this service:

If yes, check the options that apply below:

1. I am interested in finding an apartment with accessible features such as wheelchair ramp and wheelchair accessibility in the unit, grab bars in the bathrooms etc.
2. I am interested in finding Housing in an area of choice and higher opportunities.
3. I am interested in accessing services to help me find an apartment in my community.

Participant Name:			
Current Address:			
Participant Email:			
Phone Number:		Cell Phone:	

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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Date of Referral to Relocation: _____

Bedroom Voucher Size of Family Subsidy: _____

Is Family Eligible to Move: ___ ___

Expected Move-in Date: _____

Approved by (Specialists Name): _ _ _ _ _