

Broward County Housing Authority - Intake Specialist

Job Summary:

Performs clerical support work by maintaining the Assisted Housing waitlist, determining eligibility, and providing participants with the tools necessary to locate and secure suitable housing.

Hiring Pay Range: \$28,435 - \$45,495

Years of Experience:

Minimum one (1) year of experience working in customer service or government services function. Experience in a housing authority helpful.

Education:

Minimum two-year degree from an accredited college or university OR a high-school diploma and two years of related work experience.

Responsibilities:

- 1. Interviews applicants from the waiting list for the Assisted Housing Programs to determine eligibility by verifying all income, allowances and assets in compliance with federal regulations; notifies applicants of final determination.
- 2. Conducts group and individual presentations/orientation of new applicants; prepares all necessary documentation prior to orientation for applicant review and signatures.
- 3. Reviews the Request for Tenancy Approval (RFTA) and initial rent survey forms for completeness and accuracy.
- 4. Prepares HAP contracts, payment forms and reviews landlord/tenant lease for accuracy and proper execution.
- 5. Processes HAP contracts and submits all necessary HUD forms and support documents as required.
- 6. Creates and maintains participants' files and transfers to other AH staff once the file is completed.
- 7. Fully and effectively complete the intake process for every person seeking services, ensuring that all forms are properly and completely filled, in accordance with established protocols, processes and procedures.
- 8. Assists other Assisted Housing staff with re-examinations and interim changes processes when needed.

Core Competencies:

- Excellent customer service skills, interviewing skills, and the ability to connect with diverse personalities and backgrounds.
- Ability to be patient and flexible with people who may have trouble communicating or understanding.
- Ability to operate various office equipment including computer, fax machine, copier, scanner, and phone system.
- Basic to Intermediate data entry skills.
- Basic mathematical skills which would usually be obtained through a high school education or equivalent. Ability to communicate effectively through verbal and in written means in e-mails, letters, reports, memos, and personal meetings.
- Ability to multi-task.
- Basic skills in the use of personal computers and various software including Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, Outlook).
- Bilingual in English/Spanish is a plus.

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