Attachment: Summary of Public Housing and HCV Waivers and Alternative Requirements

(Refer back to the Notice using the item code for a full description and more detailed information.)

This chart summarizes the waivers authorized under this notice and the availability period for each. As stated in Section 5,

PBCHA must keep written documentation on the waivers applied by the PBCHA as well as the effective dates.

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PH and HCV-1 PHA 5-Year and Annual Plan Submission Dates: Significant Amendment Requirements	Statutory Authority Section 5A(a)(1), Section 5A(b)(1), Section 5A(g), Section 5A(h)(2) Regulatory Authority §§ 903.5(a)(3), 903.5(b)(3), 903.13, 903.21, 903.23	 Alternative dates for submission Changes to significant amendment process 	 Varies based on FYE 12/31/20 	Yes	4/10/2020
PH and HCV-2 Family income and Composition: Delayed Annual Examinations	Statutory Authority Section 3(a)(1) Regulatory Authority §§ 982.516(a)(1), 960.257(a)	annual reexamination of income and family composition	• 6/30/21 • All reexams due in CY20 must be completed by 12/31/20. Reexams due between 1/1/21 and 6/30/21 would need to be completed by 6/30/21.	Yes	4/10/2020
PH and HCV-3 Family income and Composition:: Annual Examination; Income Verification Requirements	Regulatory Authority §§ 5.233(a)(2), 960.259(c), 982.516(a) Sub-regulatory Guidance PIH Notice 2018-18	Waives the requirements to use the income hierarchy, including the use of EIV, and will allow PHAs to consider self-certification as the highest form of income verification • PHAs that implement this waiver will be responsible for addressing material income discrepancies that may arise later	• 6/30/21	Yes.	4/10/2020

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PH and HCV-4 Family income and Composition: Interim Examinations	Statutory Authority Section 3(a)(1) Regulatory Authority §§ 5.233(a)(2), 982.516(c)(2), 960.257 (a), (b) and (d). 960.259(c) Sub-regulatory Guidance PIH Notice 2018-18	Waives the requirement to use the income verification requirements, including the use of EIV, for interim reexaminations	• 6/30/21	Yes	4/10/2020
PH and HCV-5 Enterprise Income Verification (EIV) System Monitoring	Regulatory Authority § 5.233 Sub-regulatory Guidance PIH Notice 2018-18	Waives the mandatory EIV monitoring requirements.	• 6/30/21	Yes	4/10/2020
PH and HCV-6 Family Self- Sufficiency (FSS) Contract of Participation: Contract Extension	Regulatory Authority § 984.303(d)	Provides for extensions to FSS contract of participation	• 6/30/21	Yes	4/10/2020
PH and HCV-7 Waiting List: Opening and Closing; Public Notice	Regulatory Authority § 982.206(a)(2) <u>Sub-regulatory Guidance</u> PIH Notice 2012-34	 Waives public notice requirements for opening and closing waiting list Requires alternative process 	• 6/30/21	Yes	4/10/2020

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HQS-1 Initial Inspection Requirements	Statutory Authority Section 8(o)(8)(A)(i), Section 8(o)(8)(C) Regulatory Authority §§ 982.305(a), 982.305(b), 982.405	 Changes initial inspection requirements, allowing for owner certification that there are no life-threatening deficiencies Where self-certification was used, PHA must inspect the unit no later than 1-year anniversary of date of owner's certification. Will include a reminder that HQS waiver does not include a waiver of 24 CFR 35.15, visual assessment for deteriorated paint. 	• 6/30/21 • 1-year anniversary of date of owner's certification	Yes	4/10/2020
PHA Acceptance of Completed Units	Statutory Authority: Section 8(o)(8)(A) Regulatory Authority: §§ 983.301(b), 983.156(a)(1)	 Changes inspection requirements, allowing for owner certification that there are no life-threatening deficiencies Where self-certification was used, PHA must inspect the unit no later than 1-year anniversary of date of owner's certification. 	• 6/30/21 • 1-year anniversary of date of owner's certification	Yes	4/10/2020 4/10/2020
Inspection: Non-Life Threatening	Statutory Authority Section 8(o)(8)(A)(ii) Sub-regulatory Guidance HOTMA HCV Federal Register Notice January 18, 2017	• Allows for extension of up to 30 days for owner repairs of non-life threatening conditions	• 6/30/21	Y es	14/10/2020

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HQS-4 Initial Inspection Requirement: Alternative Inspection option	Statutory Authority Section 8(o)(8)(A)(iii) Sub-regulatory Guidance HOTMA HCV Federal Register Notice January 18, 2017	Inspection Option - allows for	• 6/30/21 • 1-year anniversary of date of owner's certification.	Yes	4/10/2020
HQS-5 HQS Inspection Requirement: Biennial Inspections	Statutory Authority Section 8(o)(D) Regulatory Authority §§ 982.405(a), 983.103(d)	 Allows for delay in biennial inspections PHAs must require owner certification there are no lifethreatening deficiencies All delayed biennial inspections must resume by 6/30/21 and be completed by 12/31/21. 	• 6/30/21 • 12/31/21	No	N/A
HQS-6 HQS Interim Inspections	Statutory Authority Section 8(0)(8)(F) Regulatory Authority §§ 982.405(g), 983.103(e)	 Waives the requirement for the PHA to conduct interim inspection and requires alternative method Allows for repairs to be verified by alternative methods 		Yes	4/10/2020

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HQS-7 PBV Turnover Unit Inspections		 Allows for PBV units to be added or substituted in the HAP contract based on owner certification there are no life-threatening deficiencies Allows for delayed full HQS inspection NLT than 1-year anniversary of date of owner's certification. 	• 6/30/21 • 1-year anniversary of date of owner's certification	Yes	4/10/2020
HQS-8: PBV HAP Contract: HQS Inspections to Add or Substitute Units	Statutory Authority Section 8(o)(8)(A) Regulatory Authority §§ 983.207(a), 983.207(b) Sub-regulatory Guidance HOTMA HCV Federal Register Notice January 18, 2017	 Allows for PBV units to be added or substituted in the HAP contract based on owner certification there are no life-threatening deficiencies Allows for delayed full HQS inspection NLT1-year anniversary of date of owner's certification. 	 6/30/21 1-year anniversary of date of owner's certification 	Yes	4/10/2020
HQS-9 HQS Quality Control Inspections	Regulatory Authority §§ 982.405(b), 983.103(e)(3)	• Provides for a suspension of the requirement for QC sampling inspections	• 6/30/21	Yes	4/10/2020
HQS10 Housing Quality: Space and Security	Regulatory Authority § 982.401(d)	• Waives the requirement that each dwelling unit have at least 1 bedroom or living/sleeping room for each 2 persons.	Remains in effect one year from lease term or date of this Notice, whichever is longer	Yes	4/10/2020

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HQS-11 Homeownership Option: Initial HQS Inspection	Statutory Authority Section 8(o)(8)(A)(i), Section 8(y)(3)(B) Regulatory Authority § 982.631(a)	 Waives the requirement to perform an initial HQS inspection in order to begin making homeownership assistance payments Requires family to obtain independent professional inspection 	• 6/30/21	N/A	N/A
HCV-1 Administrative Plan	Regulatory Authority § 982.54 (a)	• Establishes an alternative requirement that policies may be adopted without board approval until 3/31/21. •Any provisions adopted informally must be adopted formally 6/30/21.	6/30/21	Yes	4/10/2020
HCV-2 Information When Family is Selected: PHA Oral Briefing	Regulatory Authority §§ 982.301(a)(1) § 983.252(a)	 Waives the requirement for an oral briefing Provides for alternative methods to conduct required voucher briefing 	• 6/30/21	Yes	4/10/2020
HCV-3 Term of Voucher: Extensions of Term	Regulatory Authority § 982.303(b)(1)	Allows PHAs to provide voucher extensions regardless of current PHA policy	• 6/30/21	Yes	4/10/2020
HCV-4 PHA Approval of Assisted Tenancy: When HAP Contract is Executed	Regulatory Authority § 982.305(c)	 Provides for HAP payments for contracts not executed within 60 days PHA must not pay HAP to owner until HAP contract is executed 	• 6/30/21	Yes	4/10/2020

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HCV-5 Absence from unit	Regulatory Authority § 982.312	 Allows for PHA discretion on absences from units longer than 180 days PHAs must not make HAP payments beyond 12/31/20 for units vacant more than 180 consecutive days 	• 6/30/21	Yes	4/10/2020
HCV-6 Automatic Termination of the HAP Contract	Regulatory Authority § 982.455	• Allows PHA to extend the period of time after the last HAP payment is made before the HAP contract terminates automatically.	• 6/30/21	Yes	4/10/2020
HCV-7 Increase in Payment Standard During HAP Contract Term	Regulatory Authority § 982.505(c)(4)	• Provides PHAs with the option to increase the payment standard for the family at any time after the effective date of the increase, rather than waiting for the next regular reexamination to do so.	• 6/30/21	Yes	4/10/2020
HCV-8 Utility Allowance Schedule: Required Review and Revision	Regulatory Authority § 982.517	Provides for delay in updating utility allowance schedule	• 6/30/21	Yes	4/10/2020
HCV-9 Homeownership Option: Homeownership Counseling	Statutory Authority Section 8(y)(1)(D) Regulatory Authority §§ 982.630, 982.636(d)	Waives the requirement for the family to obtain pre-assistance counseling	• 6/30/21	N/A	N/A

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HCV-10 Family Unification Program (FUP): FUP Youth Age Eligibility to Enter HAP Contract	Statutory Authority Section 8(x)(2)	• Allows PHAs to increase age to 26 for foster youth initial lease up	• 6/30/21	Yes	4/10/2020
HCV-11 Family Unification Program (FUP): Length of Assistance for Youth	Statutory Authority Section 8(x)(2)	•Allows PHAs to suspend terminations of assistance for FUP youth who will reach the 36-month limit between April 10, 2020 and December 31, 2020.	• 6/30/21	No	
HCV-12 Family Unification Program (FUP): Timeframe for Referral	Statutory Authority Section 8(x)(2)	• Allows PHAs to accept referrals of otherwise eligible youth who will leave foster care within 120 days.	• 6/30/21	Yes	7/2/2020
HCV-13 Homeownership Maximum Term of Assistance	Regulatory Authority §982.634	Allows a PHA to extend homeownership assistance for up to 1 additional year.	• 6/30/21	No	
HCV-14 Mandatory Removal of Unit from PBV HAP Contract	Regulatory Authority §§ 983.211(a), 983.258	• Allows a PHA to keep a PBV unit under contrat for a period of time that extends beyond 180 from the last HAP but does not extend beyond December 31, 2020	• 6/30/21	Yes	7/2/2020
MS-1 Mainstream: Initial Lease Term	Statutory Authority Section 8(o)(7)(A) Regulatory Authority §982.309(a)(2)(ii)	• PHA may enter initial lease terms of less than one year regardless of wether the shorter lease term is a prevailing market practice	• 6/30/21	Yes	9/8/2020

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MS-2 Mainstream: Criminal Background Screening	Regulatory Authority 42 U.S.C. 13663(a), 42 U.S.C. 13661 Regulatory Authority §§ CFR 5.856, 982.553(a)	• PHAs may as alternative requirement, screening requirements for applicants for Mainstream vouchers which are distinct from those in place for its HCV program in general. PHAs must still comply with the statutory requirements (e.g. lifetime sex offender requirement) and mandatory screening and denial requirements.	• 6/30/21	Yes	9/8/2020
MS-3 Mainstream Age Eligibility to Enter HAP Contract Statutory Authority	Regulatory Authority Sec. 42 U.S.C. 8013(k)(2)	• As an alternative requirement, the PHA may choose to expand the definition of an eligible non-elderly family member to include those who were issued a voucher prior to turning 62 and were not yet 63 on the effective date of the HAP contract.	• 6/30/21	Yes	9/8/2020
PH-1 Fiscal closeout of Capital Grant Funds	Regulatory Authority § 905.322(b)	Extension of deadlines for ADCC and AMCC	Varies by PHA	Yes	4/10/2020
PH-2 Total Development Costs	Regulatory Authority § 905.314 (c) - (d)	Waives the TDC and HCC limits permitting approval of amounts in excess of published TDC by 25% to 50% on a case by case basis	Applies to development proposals submitted to HUD no later than December 31, 2021	N/A	N/A

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PH-3 Cost and Other Limitations: Types of Labor	Regulatory Authority § 905.314(j)	Allows for the use of force account labor for modernization activities in certain circumstances	• 6/30/21	Yes	4/10/2020
PH-4 ACOP: Adoption of Tenant Selection Policies	Regulatory Authority § 960.202(c)(1)	• Establishes an alternative requirement that policies may be adopted without board approval until 3/31/21. Any provisions adopted informally must be adopted formally by 6/30/21.	• 3/31/21 • 6/30/21	Yes	4/10/2020
PH-5 Community Service and Self Requirement	Statutory Authority Section 12(c) Regulatory Authority S 060 602(c) and 060 602(b)	Temporarily suspends CSSR	• 6/30/21	Yes	4/10/2020
PH-6 Energy Audits	Regulatory Authority § 965.302	Allows for delay in due dates of energy audits	• 12/31/21	Yes	4/10/2020

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PH-7 Over-Income Families	Statutory Authority Section 16 (a)(5) Sub-regulatory Guidance Housing Opportunity Through Modernization Act of 2016: Final Implementation of the Public Housing Income Limit 83 FR 35490 Notice PIH 2019-11	• Changes to timeframes for determination of over-income when a delay in the annual reexamination occurs as a result of adoption of waiver PH and HCV-2.	• 6/30/21	Yes	4/10/2020
PH-8 Resident Council Elections	Regulatory Authority § 964.130(a)(1)	Provides for delay in resident council elections	• 6/30/21	N/A	N/A
PH-9 Review and Revision of Utility Allowance	Regulatory Authority § 965.507	Provides for delay in updating utility allowance schedule	• 6/30/21	Yes	4/10/2020
PH-10 Tenant Notifications for Changes to Project Rules and	Regulatory Authority § 966.5	Advance notice not required except for policies related to tenant charges	• 6/30/21	Yes	4/10/2020

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PH-11 Designated Housing Plan Renewals	Statutory Authority Section 7(f)	• Extends the Plan's effective period through June 30, 2021 for Plans due to expire between July 2, 2020 and June 30, 2021.	• 6/30/21	Yes	7/2/2020
PH-12: Public Housing Agency Annual Self- Inspections	Statutory Authority Section 6(f)(3) Regulatory Authority § 902.20(d)	Waives the requirement that the PHA must inspect each project.	• 12/31/20	Yes	7/2/2020
PH-13 Over-Income Limit: Termination Requirement	Statuory Authority Section 16(a) as amended by section 103 of HOTMA Implementation Notice: Housing Opportunity Through Modernization Act of 2016: Final Implementation of Public Housing Income Limit, 83 Fed. Reg. 35,490 (July 26, 2018)	Waives the requirement that a family whose income has exceeded the over-income limit for the locality for two consecutive years be terminated within 6 months of the third income determination. As an alternative requirement, over income families will remain public housing households instead being treminated and will be charged the applicable FMR as the family's monthly rental amount.		Yes	11/30/2020
PH-14 Annual Choice of Rent	Statutory Authority 42 USC 1437a(a)(2)(A) Regulatory Authority § 960.253	Allows families an additional opportunity to select an incomebased or flat rent	• 6/30/21	Yes	11/30/2020

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11a PHAS	Regulatory Authority 24 CFR Part 902	 Allows for alternatives related to inspections PHA to retain prior year PHAS score unless requests otherwise 	new PHAS scores starting	N/A	N/A
11b SEMAP	Regulatory Authority 24 CFR Part 985	PHA to retain prior year SEMAP score unless requests otherwise	HUD will resume issuing new SEMAP scores starting with PHAs with FYE dates of 6/30/21	N/A	N/A
11b-1 SEMAP	Regulatory Authority § 985.105(d)	• Allows field offices to perform a remote SEMAP confirmatory review instead of an on-site confirmatory review before changing a PHA's rating from troubled to standard or high performer.	• 6/30/21	Yes	11/30/2020
11b-2 SEMAP	Regulatory Authority § 985.101(a)	• Waives the requirement for PHAs to submit an annual SEMAP certification in PIC within 60 days of FYE during the period of time that HUD will roll forward prior year SEMAP scores.	• 6/30/21	Yes	11/30/2020
11c Uniform Financial Reporting Standards: Filing of Financial Reports; Reporting Compliance Dates		Allows for extensions of financial reporting deadlines	Varies by PHA FYE	Yes	4/10/2020

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12a PHA Reporting Requirements on HUD Form 50058	Regulatory Authority 24 CFR Part 908, § 982.158 Sub-regulatory Guidance PIH Notice 2011-65	 Waives the requirement to submit 50058 within 60 days Alternative requirement to submit within 90 days of the effective date of action 	• 12/31/20	Yes	4/10/2020
12b Designated Housing Plans: HUD 60-Day Notification	Statutory Authority Section 7(e)(1)	Allows for HUD to delay notification about designated housing plan	• 7/31/20	N/A	N/A
Extension of Deadline for Programmatic Obligation and Expenditure of	Statutory Authority Section 9(j) Regulatory Authority § 905.306(d)(5)	Provides a 18-month extension	For all open Capital Fund grants, an 18-month extension from the obligation and expenditure end dates in LOCCS as of April 10,	Yes	4/10/2020
12d Section 6(j) 1 and 2 Year Substantial Improvement	Statutory Authority Section 6(j)(3)(B)(ii) Regulatory Authority 24 CFR § 902.75(d)	Notice that have not received a PHAS Assessment for the first full fiscal year after the initial notice of the troubled designation HUD will: (1) evaluate the 1-year substantial improvement benchmark based on the first released score for fiscal years ending on or after June 30, 2022; and (2) toll the evaluation of the 2-	• The period of availability for this waiver and alternative requirement: (1) is	N/A	11/30/2020