Announcement
The Housing Authority of the City and County of Denver
Housing Choice Voucher/Section 8 Program

2021 Lottery Opening
September 17th and 18th, 2020

The Housing Authority of the City and County of Denver (DHA) is opening its 2021 Housing Choice Voucher/Section 8 Lottery.

On-line entries (ONLY) will be accepted beginning on Thursday, September 17, 2020 (beginning at 12:01 a.m.) through Friday, September 18, 2020 (ending at 11:59 p.m.).

TO PARTICIPATE YOU MUST BE:
• 18 years of age or older; and
• A U.S. citizen or eligible immigrant and have legal capacity to enter into a lease under state and local law

Please Note:
1) DHA will deny any applicants or any member of applicant’s household who is subject to a lifetime registration requirement under a state sex offender registration program OR has been convicted of manufacturing or producing methamphetamine in a public housing development or in a Section 8 assisted property.
2) Criminal Background checks will be conducted on all persons age 18 years and older.
3) Participants will be required to enter the Social Security Number for the Head of Household and Co-Head/Spouse.
4) ONLY ONE COMPUTER ENTRY can be submitted per household. If you submit more than one entry, you will be disqualified. Multiple entries will be voided.
5) Lottery entry is not transferable.
6) Lottery entries must be complete. Incomplete entries will be voided.
7) Please print the Lottery Number Confirmation Page for your records.
8) Report any change of address in writing to: DHA’s Front Door Occupancy and Admissions Department, 1401 Mariposa Street, Denver, CO 80204. Include name, social security number, and correct address in this notification.
9) DO NOT PAY ANYONE to participate in the HCV/SECTION 8 Lottery!

TO APPLY FOR THE LOTTERY:
Lottery Entries MUST be submitted on-line (through the internet) by using ANY computer or smart phone that has Internet access by going to DHA’s website at www.denverhousing.org.

Due to the impact of COVID19, access to computer services is limited:

• DHA – Lottery data entry assistance will be available by telephone during the Lottery on Thursday, September 17, 2020 and Friday September 18, 2020 from the hours of 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. No additional data entry assistance will be available once the Lottery has officially closed. For data entry assistance please call (720) 932-3030.
• (DHA is not offering In Person Lottery entry service at this time.)
• Denver Public Libraries (DPL) NOTE: Due to COVID19 DPL services and hours vary, please call DPL at (720) 865-1111 on computer availability.

LOTTERY POOL:
• All accepted lottery entries will be held in a pool.
• Drawings for 2021 may be conducted at any time after lottery closing for DHA’s Housing Choice Voucher (HCV)/Section 8 Program and will continue through registration for the 2022 lottery, tentatively scheduled for September 16-17, 2021.
• Individuals that have their number drawn will be eligible to apply for the HCV/Section 8 Program.
• Lottery numbers drawn will be posted at DHA’s sites and at www.denverhousing.org.
• Directions for applying for DHA’s HCV/Section 8 Program will be mailed to lottery recipients with formal written notification that their entry has been drawn.
• 2020 lottery entries that have not been drawn will be purged on September 30, 2020.

EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY
The Housing Authority of the City and County of Denver does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, handicap, sexual orientation, familial status or national origin in the admission or access to, or treatment or employment in, its federally assisted programs or activities. If you have a disability and need a reasonable accommodation, please contact DHA 504 Coordinator, 1035 Osage St., Denver, Colorado 80204, Phone (720) 932-3144, Fax (720) 932-3009, TDD/TTY Dial 711.