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PH and HCV-1 PHA 5-Year and Annual Plan	Statutory Authority Section 5A(a)(1), Section 5A(b)(1), Section 5A(g), Section 5A(h) Regulatory Authority § 903.5(a)(3), 903.5(b)(3), 903.13(c), 903.21, 903.23	Alternative dates for submission Changes to significant amendment process		NO	Waiver not adopted	Comments: FYE 3/1/2020 not impacted Impacts:
PH and HCV-2 Family Income and Composition – Delayed Annual Reexaminations	Statutory Authority Section 3(a)(1) Regulatory Authority § 982.516(a)(1), § 960.257(a)	Permits the PHA to delay the annual income reexamination of income and family composition HCV PHA must implement HCV-7 (Payment Standards) for impacted families if they implement this waiver	Re-Exams due between 1/1/21 and 12/31/21 need to be completed by 12/31/21.	Yes	4/13/2020	Comments: This option will be taken only if the following attempts are unsuccessful: Mail in information E-mailing information Taxing information Top box outside of City Hall The PHA is utilizing the verification hierarchy, which includes self-certification as the last option. Impacts: No payments to landlords or tenants who receive utility reimbursement payments will be processed until an annual reexamination can be completed Potential decrease in HAP costs until all reexaminations are completed and payments are caught up



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		verification forgoing 3 rd party verification □ PHAs that implement this waiver will be responsible for addressing material income discrepancies that may arise later				IVT will be used at the next annual reexamination Impacts: Potential for program fraud resulting in termination from the HCV program, if discovered Ability to complete Annual Reexaminations in a more expeditious manner



Pand HCV-4 Family Income and Composition: Interim reexaminations Section 3(a)(1) Section 3(a)(1)

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PH and HCV-5 Enterprise Income Verification (EIV) Monitoring	Regulatory Authority § 5.233 Sub-regulatory Guidance PIH Notice 2018-18	☐ Waives the mandatory EIV monitoring requirements.	12/31/2021	Yes	4/13/2020	Comments: The PHA will continue to monitor EIV on a monthly basis and resolve issues. In situations where staff is unable to retrieve EIV, then the PHA will fully implement the waiver with the stipulation that resolution of issues may be delayed: Impacts:



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PH and HCV-6 Family Self- Sufficiency (FSS) Contract of Participation: Contract Extension	Regulatory Authority § 982.206(a)(2)	☐ Provides for extensions to FSS contract of participation	12/31/2021	YES	4/13/2020	Comments: The PHA will adopt the ability to extend a client's FSS contract on a case by case basis, depending upon each client's circumstances Impacts: Potential for increased HAP costs, if clients who are earning escrow on a monthly basis remain on the program for an extended period of time
PH and HCV-7 Waiting List: Opening and Closing; Public Notice	Regulatory Authority § 982.206(a)(2) Sub-regulatory Guidance PIH Notice 2012-34	Waives public notice requirements for opening and closing waiting list Requires alternative process	12/31/2021	No	Waiver not adopted	Comments: IF the PHA will adopt this waiver the following guidelines will apply: The PHA will post information regarding the opening and closing of the waiting list on its web site In conjunction with the City, will send out to local newspapers, TV and radio stations as well as inform our community partners and provide public notice and voice mail message on our main phone number.
HQS-1 Initial inspection	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	12/31/2021 1-year anniversary of date of owner's	YES	4/13/2020	Comments: If the PHA is unable to enter a unit due to a COVID safety concern, this waiver will be implemented with the following guidelines:



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		than 1-year anniversary of date of owner's certification.	certification			1. Pictures and self-certification 2. A list of all self-certified inspections will be maintained, to ensure that physical inspections are completed at the end of the waiver period 3. Any self-certified inspections must be signed by both the landlord and the tenant Impacts: Potential for fraud Potential for improper payments
HQS-2: Project-Based Voucher (PBV) Pre- HAP Contract Inspections: 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 lifethreatening deficiencies Where self-certification was used, PHA must inspect the unit no later than1-Year anniversary date of owner's certification.	no later than1-Year anniversary date of owner's certification	YES	4/13/2020	Comments: Same as above.
HQS-3 Initial Inspection: Non-Life- Threatening Deficiencies (NLT) Option	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	12/31/2021	YES	7/10/2020	Comments: The PHA will continue to follow current policies of a unit passing inspection before the effective date of the contract. Extensions will be approved on a case-by-case basis, depending upon the current emergency situation that prevents a landlord from obtaining materials to complete repairs. Since the PHA recognizes that it may be difficult to complete repairs within 30 days during this crisis, the PHA will adopt this waiver to allow landlords up to 30 days to complete non-life-threatening conditions. The extension to make the non-life-threatening repairs may extend beyond Dec. 31, 2020, depending on the date the PHA approved the extension. For



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HQS-4 HQS 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	Under Initial HQS Alternative Inspection Option - allows for commencement of assistance payments based on owner certification 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	1-year anniversary of date of owner's certification	YES	4/13/2020	The PHA will continue to follow current policies of conducting physical inspections as long as it is safe to do so. If that should change, alternate methods will be employed to verify initial inspections of occupied units. Alternate inspections would include a virtual inspection, with an owner self-certification to be provided. Impacts: Potential for improper payments Potential for clients living in sub-standard housing



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 All delayed biennial inspections must be completed as soon as reasonably possible but by no later than 1 year after the date on which the biennial inspection would have been required absent the waiver.	10/31/2021 1 year after the date on which the biennial inspection would have been required absent the waiver	YES	4/13/2020	Comments: The PHA will adopt this waiver and will maintain a list of impacted units to ensure that physical inspections are completed at the end of the waiver period Impacts: Potential for improper payments Potential for clients living in sub-standard housing
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HQS-6: HQS Interim Inspections (Special Inspections)	Section_8(o)(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	12/31/2021	YES	4/13/2020	Comments: The PHA will continue to follow the current policy of conducting physical inspections as long as it is safe to do so. If that should change, alternate methods will be employed to perform interim inspections (special inspections) of occupied units. The PHA will adopt this waiver with the following guidelines: 1. Use of video calls between client's phone and inspector's phone 2. Pictures and self-certification 3. A list of all self-certified inspections will be maintained, to ensure that physical inspections are completed at the end of the waiver period 4. Any self-certified inspections must be signed by both the landlord and the tenant Impacts: Potential for fraud Potential for improper payments
HQS-7 PBV Turnover Inspections	Regulatory Authority § 983.103(c)	Allows for PBV turnover units to be filled based on owner certification there are no life-threatening deficiencies Allows for delayed full HQS inspection	12/31/2021 12/31/2021	Yes	7/31/2020	Comments: Same as above Impacts: Potential for fraud Potential for improper payments
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)	☐ Allows for PBV units to be added or substituted in the HAP contract based on owner certification there are no		NO	Waiver not adopted	Comments:



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HQS-9 HQS Quality Control Inspections	<u>Regulatory Authority</u> § 982.405(b), 983.103€(3)	☐ Provides for a suspension of the requirement for QC sampling inspections	12/31/2021	YES	4/13/2020	Comments: The PHA will adopt this waiver and will resume Quality Control Inspections at the end of the waiver period. Impacts: Potential for improper payments Potential for tenants living in sub-standard conditions
HQS-10 Housing Quality Standards: 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 Notice, whichever is longer	NO	Waiver not adopted	Comments: Currently, families are able to find units that meet the occupancy standards. If that should change, the PHA reserves the right to adopt this waiver. Impacts: Potential for tenants living in overcrowded conditions
HQS-11 Homeownership Options: Initial HQS Inspection	Statutory Authority Section 8(0)(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	12/31/2021	YES	4/13/2020	Comments: The PHA will continue to follow the current policy of conducting physical inspections as long as it is safe to do so. If that should change, alternate methods will be employed to perform interim inspections (special inspections) of occupied units. The PHA will adopt this waiver with the following guidelines: 5. Use of video calls between client's phone and inspector's phone 6. Pictures and self-certification 7. A list of all self-certified inspections will be maintained, to ensure that physical inspections are completed at the end of the waiver period 8. Any self-certified inspections must be signed by both the landlord and the tenant Impacts: • Potential for fraud Potential for improper payments



HCV-1 Administrative Plan	Regulatory Authority § 982.54 (a)	Establishes an alternative requirement that policies may be adopted without board approval Any provisions adopted informally must be adopted formally NLT December 31, 2021	09/30/2021 12/31/2021	YES	4/13/2020	Comments: Changes to the Admin plan will be posted on the website in lieu of a public hearing. Impacts:
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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	12/31/2021	YES	4/13/2020	Comments: The PHA will conduct briefings through a variety of different methods to include: In person if safe to do so, phone and conference calls Briefing information (packet documents) will be sent via the U.S. Postal Service Language services will be made available upon request. Impacts: Increased staff time being spent on briefings Increased postage costs for briefing material that cannot be emailed



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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	12/31/2021	YES	4/13/2020	Comments: Voucher term extensions will be granted for 60 days beyond the 120 days, for a total voucher term of 180 days. Extensions for disabled or elderly households will be granted for 60 days beyond the 180 days, for a total voucher term of 240 days. If voucher extensions are needed beyond the listed terms above, extreme circumstances will need to be submitted to the PHA for review on a case-by-case basis. Impacts: Potential delays in clients leasing up in a unit Clients will have a greater opportunity to find a suitable unit
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	12/31/2021	YES	7/10/2020	Comments: We will continue to follow our current policies. Only in extreme circumstances, on a case-by-case review, will this waiver be implemented. The PHA will allow up to 120 days from the beginning of the lease term to the contract signing. Impacts: Potential delays in clients leasing up in a unit Greater flexibility

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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	12/31/2021	YES	4/13/2020	Comments: For those temporarily absent from the unit no longer than 180 days, the PHA will continue to make HAP payments through 12/31/2020. If an annual reexamination is needed during that time period, all payments will stop until an annual reexamination can be completed. Notification must be received from the family member or representative of the need for this waiver. Impacts: Potential for increased HAP costs Potential for increased fraud Preservation of housing for families
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	12/31/2021	YES	4/13/2020	Comments: Upon written notice to the owner and family, the PHA will allow zero HAP families to remain on the program until 12/31/2021 or six months from the time the last HAP payment was made, whichever comes first. Impacts: Greater flexibility at this time of uncertainty Provides a safety net for families facing potential job loss Preservation of housing for families
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.	12/31/2021	YES	7/10/2020	Comments: Should the PHA delay the annual reexamination for a family under Item PH and HCV-2, the PHA will apply any increase to the payment standard to this annual, once it is completed. Annual Reexaminations are continuing to be processed in a timely manner with the appropriate documentation available. If that should change, the PHA will implement this waiver, as necessary waiver. Impacts: No payments to landlords or tenants who receive utility reimbursement payments will be processed until an annual



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HCV-8 Utility Allowance Schedule	Regulatory Authority § 982.517	☐ Provides for delay in updating utility allowance schedule		NO	Waiver not adopted	Comments: No delay The PHA Updated Utility Allowance Schedules Effective 5/1/2020 Impacts:		
						Potential for inaccurate HAP/URP payments		
HCV-9 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		NO	Waiver not adopted	Comments: Homeownership Center has alternate measures in place, phone, conference calls and online and Counseling		
HCV-10 Familiy 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		NO	Waiver not adopted	Comments: N/A – does not participate in a FUP Youth program.		
HCV-11: Family Unification Program (FUP): Length of Assistance for Youth	Statutory Authority <u>Section</u> <u>8(x)(2)</u>	☐ Allows PHAs to suspend terminations of assistance for FUP youth who will reach the 36month limit between April 10, 2020, and December 31, 2020		NO	Waiver not adopted	Comments: N/A – does not participate in a FUP Youth program.		



Referral 120 days	Unification Program (FUP): Timeframe for	Statutory Authority Section 8(x)(2)	☐ Allows PHAs to accept referrals of otherwise eligible youth who will leave foster care within 120 days		NO	Waiver not adopted	Comment: N/A – does not participate in a FUP Youth program.
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HCV 13 Homeownership: Maximum Term of Assistance	Regulatory Authority §982.634(a)	☐ Allows PHAs to extend homeownership assistance for up to 1 additional year	12/31/2021	Yes	7/10/2020	Comments: If needed, will allow extension of homeownership assistance up to 1 additional year homeownership program.
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 contract for a period of time that extends beyond 180 from the last HAP but does not extend beyond December 31, 2020	12/31/2020	Yes	7/10/2020	Comments: IF needed, will extend the PBV contract for the period that extends beyond 180 from the last HAP but does not extend beyond 12/31/2020
PH-1 Fiscal Closeout of Capital Grant Funds	Regulatory Authority §905.322(b)	☐ Extension of deadlines for ADCC and AMCC	Varies by PHA	NO	Waiver not adopted	Comments: N/A – Voucher only
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	NO	Waiver not adopted	Comments: N/A – Voucher only
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	12/31/2021	NO	Waiver not adopted	N/A – Voucher only



PH-4 ACOP: Adoption of Tenant Selection Policies	Regulatory Authority §960.202(c)(1)	Establishes alternative requirement that policies may be adopted without board approval Any provisions adopted informally must be adopted formally NLT December 31, 2020	NO	Waiver not adopted	Comments: N/A – Voucher only
PH-5 Community Service and Self- Sufficiency	Section 12(c)	☐ Temporarily suspend CSSR	NO	Waiver not adopted	N/A – Voucher only

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Requirement (CSSR)	Regulatory Authority §§960.603(a) and 960.603(b)					
PH-6 Energy Audits	Regulatory Authority §965.302	☐ Allows for delay in due dates of energy audits	One year beyond 2020 audit deadline	NO	Waiver not adopted	Comments: N/A – Voucher only
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		NO	Waiver not adopted	N/A – Voucher only
PH-8 Resident Council Elections	Regulatory Authority §964.130(a)(1)	☐ Provides for delay in resident council elections		NO	Waiver not adopted	Comments: N/A – Voucher only



PH-9 Review and Revision of Utility Allowance	Regulatory Authority §965.507	☐ Provides for delay in updating utility allowance schedule	ON	Waiver not adopted	Comments: N/A – Voucher only
PH-10 Tenant Notifications for Changes to Project Rules and Regulations	Regulatory Authority §966.5	Advance notice not required except for policies related to tenant changes	NO	Waiver not adopted	N/A – Voucher only

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PH-11 Designated Housing Plan Renewals	<u>Statutory Authority</u> Section 7(f)	☐ Extends the Plan's effective period through December 31, 2020, for Plans due to expire between the date of this Notice and December 31, 2020.		NO	Waiver not adopted	N/A – Voucher only
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 inspection each project		NO	Waiver not adopted	Comments: N/A – Voucher only



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11a PHAS	<u>Regulatory Authority</u> 24 CFR Part 902	 Allows for alternatives related to inspections PHA to retain prior year PHAS score unless requests otherwise 	HUD will resume issuing new PHAS scores starting with PHAS with FYE dates of 3/31/2022	NO	Waiver not adopted	Comments: N/A – Voucher only
11b SEMAP	<u>Regulatory Authority</u> 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 3/31/22 Availability Period Ends 1/1/22	YES	4/13/2020	Comments: Automatically waived by HUD Impacts: Decreased administrative burden
11c Uniform Financial Reporting Standards: Filing of Financial Reports; Reporting Compliance Dates	Regulatory Authority §§ 5.801(c), 5.801(d)(1)	☐ Allows for extensions of financial reporting deadlines	Varies by PHA FYE	YES	4/13/2020	Comments: We are adopting this waiver in case it is needed to extended for FY20 financial statements. FYE 3/31/2020 Unaudited extended to 11/30/2020 Audited to 6/30/2020
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12a PHA Reporting Requirements on Form HUD 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	12/31/2021	YES	4/13/2020	Comments: The PHA will make every attempt to submit 50058s within 60 days of the effective date, however unforeseen circumstances may arise in the future that make this difficult. Impacts: Potential for inaccurate PIC/EIV reports



12b Designated Housing Plans: HUD 60-Day Notification	Statutory Authority Section 7(e)(1)	☐ Allows for HUD to delay notification about designated housing plan		NO	Waiver not adopted	N/A – Voucher only
12c Extension of Deadline for Programmatic Obligations and Expenditure of Capital Funds	<u>Statutory Authority</u> Section 9(dj)	☐ Provides a one-year extension	For all open Capital Fund grants, one-year extension from the obligation and expenditure end dates in LOCCS as of April 10, 2020	NO	Waiver not adopted	N/A – Voucher only