



**Do you need help with rent, utilities, or mortgage?  
Are you a City of Pittsburgh resident?**

## **Housing Stabilization Program**

The Housing Stabilization Program (HSP) is a housing crisis intervention program that provides **one-time or short-term financial assistance** to households who are facing a temporary non-recurring housing crisis. **City of Pittsburgh renters may receive up to \$3,000; and homeowners may receive up to \$6,000 in housing assistance.**

### **This Program Assists With:**

- Move-in assistance
  - First and last month's rent
  - Application fees
  - Security deposit
- Utilities (arrears and upcoming)
- Rent (arrears and upcoming)
- Mortgage assistance (if not in Act 91)
- Legal assistance

### **Eligibility:**

- **Must be a renter or homeowner in the City of Pittsburgh** (Click here to check your address.)
- **Renters** must have income at or below 50% AMI and **homeowners** must be at or below 80% AMI. (See back for income charts.)
- **Must develop a housing stability plan with a service provider**

\*Maximum total assistance for renters is \$3,000, and for homeowners is \$6,000. Applicants can apply for the program once every 5 years.

### **Documents Required to Receive Financial Assistance:**

- **Identification** (Driver's license, state ID, passport, any photo ID)
- **Income Documentation** (W-2, pay stubs, unemployment letter, letter from employer)
- **Proof of Need** (Late/eviction notice, lease, utility bills)

**Note:** Translation services are also available. If you are seeking assistance because of the COVID-19 pandemic, you will be asked to document how the pandemic has affected your financial situation and housing stability.

# 2021 Maximum Income Limits

This chart shows the maximum **annual** income limits for the Housing Stabilization Program.  
Annual Gross Income = **Total income received by the entire household**, before taxes and withholdings

Household Size	Maximum Income for <u>RENTERS</u>	Maximum Income for <u>HOMEOWNERS</u>
1	\$29,700	\$47,500
2	\$33,950	\$54,300
3	\$38,200	\$61,100
4	<b>\$42,400</b>	<b>\$67,850</b>
5	\$45,800	\$73,300
6	\$49,200	\$78,750
7	\$52,600	\$84,150
8	\$56,000	\$89,600

## Apply for Assistance



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Call 1-866-730-2368 to be screened for the Housing Stabilization Program.  
Calls are free and confidential. Interpreter services are available.

### By Phone:

Dial 1-866-730-2368

### By Email:

[AlleghenyLink@AlleghenyCounty.US](mailto:AlleghenyLink@AlleghenyCounty.US)

### In Person:

Monday through Friday 8AM – 4PM  
Human Services Building  
1 Smithfield Street Pittsburgh, PA 15222