

San Diego Housing Commission Adopted CARES Act Waivers

Item	Statutory and regulatory waivers	Summary of alternative requirements	Availability Period Ends	Did PHA implement waiver and alternative requirement?	Date of PHA adoption
PH and HCV-3 Annual reexamination Income Verification	<u>Regulatory Authority</u> § 5.233(a)(2) <u>Sub-regulatory Guidance</u> PIH Notice 2018-18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 7/31/20 	Yes Implemented for PSH programs only.	4/14/20
PH and HCV-4 Interim reexaminations	<u>Statutory Authority</u> Section 3(a)(1) <u>Regulatory Authority</u> § 5.233(a)(2), 982.516(c)(2), 960.257(b) and (d) <u>Sub-regulatory Guidance</u> PIH Notice 2018-18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Waives the requirement to use the income verification requirements, including the use of EIV, for interim reexaminations 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 7/31/20 	Yes Implemented for PSH programs. Also implemented under COVID Interim Hardship Policy (approved under MTW COVID flexibilities)	4/14/20

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PH and HCV-5 EIV System Monitoring	<u>Regulatory Authority</u> § 5.233 <u>Sub-regulatory Guidance</u> PIH Notice 2018-18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Waives the mandatory EIV monitoring requirements. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 7/31/20 	Yes	TBD
PH and HCV-7 Waiting List	<u>Regulatory Authority</u> § 982.206(a)(2) PIH Notice 2012-34	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Waives public notice requirements for opening and closing waiting list • Requires alternative process 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 7/31/20 	Yes	TBD
HQS-5 Biennial Inspections	<u>Statutory Authority</u> Section 8(o)(D) <u>Regulatory Authority</u> §§ 982.405(a), 983.103(d)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Allows for delay in biennial inspections • All delayed biennial inspections must be completed as soon as reasonably possible but by no later than October 31, 2020. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10/31/20 	Yes; Will apply in addition to MTW COVID HQS Inspection Policy.	4/14/20
HQS-6 Interim Inspections	<u>Statutory Authority</u> Section 8(o)(8)(F)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Waives the requirement for the PHA to conduct interim inspection and requires alternative method • Allows for repairs to be verified by alternative methods 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 7/31/20 	Yes Will apply in addition to MTW COVID HQS Inspection Policy.	4/14/20

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HQS-9 HQS QC Inspections	<u>Regulatory Authority</u> § 982.405(b)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provides for a suspension of the requirement for QC sampling inspections 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10/31/20 	Yes	TBD
HQS-10 HQS Space and Security	<u>Regulatory Authority</u> § 982.401(d)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 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	Yes	4/14/20
HCV-2 PHA Oral Briefing	<u>Regulatory Authority</u> § 982.301(a)(3) § 983.252(a)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Waives the requirement for an oral briefing Provides for alternative methods to conduct required voucher briefing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 7/31/20 	Yes	4/10/20
HCV-3 Term of Voucher - Extensions of Term	<u>Regulatory Authority</u> § 982.303(b)(1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Allows PHAs to provide voucher extensions regardless of current PHA policy 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 7/31/20 	Yes	4/10/20

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HCV-4 PHA Approval of Assisted Tenancy	<u>Regulatory Authority § 982.305(c)</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provides for HAP payments for contracts not executed within 60 days • PHA must not pay HAP to owner until HAP contract is executed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 7/31/20 	Yes	4/14/20
HCV-5 Absence from unit	<u>Regulatory Authority § 982.312</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12/31/20 	Yes	4/10/20
HCV-6 Automatic Termination of the HAP Contract	<u>Regulatory Authority § 982.455</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Allows PHA to extend the period of time after the last HAP payment is made before the HAP contract terminates automatically. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12/31/20 	Yes	4/10/20

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HCV-10 FUP	<u>Statutory Authority</u> Section 8(x)(2)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Allows PHAs to increase age to 26 for foster youth initial lease up 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 12/31/20 	<p>Yes</p> <p>Will implement for existing and new FUP allocation that has June 1, 2020 effective date</p>	6/1/2020
11c Financial reporting	<u>Regulatory Authority</u> §§ 5.801(c), 5.801(d)(1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Allows for extensions of financial reporting deadlines 	Varies by PHA FYE	Yes	TBD