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# Registration to apply for Social Housing Assistance in the ACT

# Use this form to apply for social housing assistance in the ACT.

Social housing assistance includes:

- public housing which is provided directly by Housing ACT;
- community housing which is provided by community housing organisations funded by the ACT Government; and
- affordable housing where the rent payable is less than the full market rent.

### Do you wish to be considered for:

(a)	Public housing
(b)	Community housing
(c)	Affordable housing
(d)	All of the above

If you have selected (b) or (c) or (d), you are giving consent for your personal details relevent to your application, to be given to a community housing organisation.

# Do you wish to be considered for shared accomodation?

### Step 1

Complete the form overleaf.

#### Print neatly in **BLOCK LETTERS.**

Make sure you answer all relevant questions, otherwise we may have to return the form to you to be completed.

If you need help with the form, ask an officer of Housing ACT to help you or call 6207 1150.

If you need help in a language other than English, complete as much of the form as you can. When you lodge your form, Housing ACT will contact the Telephone Interpreter Service (TIS) to assist.

## Step 2

Complete the accompanying forms (if applicable).

If you have been employed in the last 26 weeks you may need your employer to complete the Income Statement from Employer on page 6 before you lodge this form.

If you receive payments from Centrelink or the Family Assistance Office, you must complete the Consent for Centrelink to provide a Statement of Income on page 7 before you lodge this form.

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If you are deaf or hearing impaired and require the

TTY typewriter service — please telephone (02) 6205 0888

If anyone on this form receives support from an agency or organisation and that person allows Housing ACT to contact their support person/agency to discuss this registration, the Consent to Exchange and Release Information on page 8 must be completed before you lodge this form.

#### Step 3

Make sure you have all the required documents. Please see the 'Applying for Social Housing' Fact Sheet and the Supporting Documentation Checklist.

#### Step 4

Lodge your application at Gateway Services or call 6207 1150 or ask a staff member.

Alternatively you can post your completed form and all the required documents to:

Housing ACT Locked Bag 3000 Belconnen ACT 2616



	Personal details	Applicant 1	Applicant 2
1	Title	Mr Mrs Ms Miss Dr	Mr Mrs Ms Miss Dr
2	Your full name		
3	Date of birth	/ / Sex	/ / Sex
4	Address where you currently live	Postcode	Postcode
5	Postal address (if different to the address where you currently live.)	Postcode	Postcode
6	Your contact details  Email address	(H) (W) (M) (E)	(H) (W) (M) (E)
7	What is your relationship to the other applicant named on this form? (if applicable)		
8	Are you a permanent resident of Australia?	Yes Go to Question 10  No Are you currently a sponsored migrant to Australia?  No Yes Please attach evidence	Yes Go to Question 10  No Are you currently a sponsored migrant to Australia?  No Yes Please attach evidence
9	Have you lived in the ACT for more than six months?	Yes Please attach evidence No (if No you may not be eligible for Housing Assistance. Please speak to a Housing officer if you are unsure).	Yes Please attach evidence  No (if No you may not be eligible for Housing  Assistance. Please speak to a Housing  officer if you are unsure).
10	Do you have a current application for housing assistance?	No Yes > What name is the application in?	No
11	Are you of Aboriginal or Torre (These questions are optional and will and Torres Strait Islander Community I No Yes - Both	be used for statistical purposes only unless you are applying for Aboriginal	No Yes - Aboriginal Yes - Both Yes - Torres Strait Islander
You	ur preferred language		
Cou	untry of birth		
12	<b>Provide details of someone we</b> If possible, please list someone who li	e can contact if we are unable to contact you (Emergency or Th wes in the ACT	ird party contact)
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13	Indicate your Housing requirer (Please attach evidence)  Location - see property allocation Disabled modifications Other  Will any other people live in t	ns zone map	Other Resid		ren)? No	Yes	halow
17	Please provide evidence to co (ie. family court orders, care and prote	nfirm ongoing child contact arı	rangements.	inclouning cilliu	ienj: "V	ios vive dotais	Dolow
	Full	name	Date of birth	Relationshi	p ID provided	Contact	Proof of Contact
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	Income	Appl	icant 1			Applicant 2	
15	Do you currently receive Centrelink or Family Assistance Office benefits?	to provide a State	he Consent for Centrelin ement of Income on ide a Centrelink Income using Authorities		to prov	complete the Consent fo ide a Statement of Inco 2 OR provide a Centreli ent for Housing Authori	me on nk Income
16	Are you currently employed?	from Employer on	he Income Statement n page 9 or provide nst 26 weeks when you		from E payslip	complete the Income St mployer on page 9 or p s for the last 26 weeks his form.	rovide
17	What is your gross	Per week	Per fortnight		Per week	Per fort	night
	income? (ie before tax)? Include wages and pension payments	\$	OR \$		\$	OR S	
18	Do you receive any other income (e.g. overseas pension, interest on bank accounts, child support payments)?	No Yes How much do you received Per week	ive? Per fortnight OR \$		No	o you receive? Per fort OR \$	night
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19	Do you PAY any child support?	No Yes How much do you pay!  Per week  S  Please attach evidence of how as a letter from the Child Supp	Per fortnight OR \$ much you pay such			o you pay? Per fort OR S nce of how much you pa Child Support Agency (G	y such

			Assets		
	Personal details	Applica	nt 1	Applicant 2	
20	Do you have any bank, building society or credit union accounts?	No Yes How many do you have?  Please attach the document the Housing ACT Fact Secretable Forms of Box	Sheet —	No Yes How many do you have?  Please attach the documents outlined in the Housing ACT Fact Sheet — Acceptable Forms of Bank Statements	
21	Do you have any investments such as shares or bonds?	No Yes Please attach evidence	of your investments	No Yes Please attach evidence of your investments	
	Personal details	Applica	nt 1	Applicant 2	
22	Do you own any cars or other vehicles, including boats, caravans etc?	No Give details  Type (e.g. car)	Value S S	No Sive details  Type (e.g. car)  Value  S  S	
23	Do you own or hold an interest in any residential or business property in Australia?	No Give details and attach ownership of the proper Name of owner(s)  Address of the property		No Yes Give details and attach evidence of ownership of the property  Name of owner(s)  Address of the property  Postcode	
24	Do you have any other assets not already listed on this form?  Do not include personal possessions, furniture, tools of trade etc.  Has 100 points been provided for each applicant? (Please see attached checklist)	No Give details and attach value of each asset  Type of asset  Applicant 1  No Yes	Value  S S	No	
26	Did either applicant receive as to complete this form?		Yes Which applicant wo	Applicant 2 elped will need to complete the	
27	Declaration by person assistin on behalf of the applicants(s)		I have read out the form a	n the basis of the information the applicants(s) provided me. und the answers to the applicant(s) who seemed to understand them nalties for giving false or misleading information	1.

Please tell us why you are applying for Soc	cial Housing Assistance	e?
information when required or authorised by or under law. You wallowed to correct it if necessary.  If this form requires you to include information about other menotice so that they are aware that information about them will be understand:  • the instructions given on this form and note the Personal Info this form will be used by Housing ACT to register my applicate that my personal information may be given to community ho that I may become ineligible for housing assistance if change assets detailed in this application.  I declare:  • that the information given in this application is complete and that I have provided all of the required documents as shown	will have access to any information mbers of your household, you shou be disclosed and used as described ormation and Privacy Notice above tion for housing assistance, provide a providers to provide me with es occur to any of my, or members of d correct;	; ed I am eligible for it; 1 housing assistance;
	Declaration by applicant	r(s)
Declaration by applicants(s) Please note that there are legal	Signature of Applicant 1	
penalties for deliberately giving false or misleading information.	Date	/ /
	Signature of	
	Applicant 2	



# Income Statement from Employer

Has the employee worked any overtime in the last 26 weeks?

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- your employer must complete this form, or
- you can provide payslips for the last 26 weeks.

If you need more than one form, contact Housing ACT or print a copy from the website at www.dhcs.act.gov.au

1	Employee's name					
2	Employee's present address					
		Postcode	)			
3	Name of employing organisation					
4	When did the annulance stant					
4	When did the employee start work with the organisation?			/	/	
5	What is the gross amount the employee earned in the last 26					
	weeks (including overtime, regular allowances and penalties)?		\$			

Weekending	No. of hours of overtime	Payment for overtim
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Phone		
Position		
Signature		
Date	/ /	
Company seal or s	stamp	



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# Consent for Centrelink to provide a Statement of Income

Complete this form if you or any member of your household receives a Centrelink or Family Assistance Office payment. Housing ACT will send this form to Centrelink and they will provide a Centrelink Statement of Income in connection with this application.

If you need more than one form, contact the Housing ACT Shopfront or print a copy from the website at www.dhcs.act.gov.au

- I authorise Centrelink to provide to Housing ACT a Centrelink Statement of Income in connection with my Registration to apply for Housing ACT Public Rental Assistance.
- I understand that the Centrelink Statement of Income will contain:
  - the type and amount of the pension or allowance payment Centrelink make to me.
  - the number of dependant children used to assess any family payments.
  - details of anything being deducted from my payments such as Child Support Agency payments, Centrepay deductions, rent deductions.
  - details of any other income I have told Centrelink about, such as overseas pensions, child maintenance, returns on investment, wages and salary.
- I understand that these details will be used by Housing ACT to assess my entitlement to Housing ACT Public Rental Assistance.
- I consent to Centrelink providing this Statement electronically via the Income Confirmation service. This consent is limited to
  providing information only in respect of Registration to apply for Housing ACT Public Rental Assistance.
- I understand that I will be able to obtain a written copy of the statement at any time from either Housing ACT or Centrelink.

Applicant 1	Applicant 2
Full Name	Full Name
Centrelink CRN	Centrelink CRN
Signature	Signature
Date /	Date /
Applicant 3	Applicant 4
Full Name	Full Name
Centrelink CRN	Centrelink CRN
Signature	Signature



Consent to exchange and release information

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Complete this form if anyone on this Registration to apply for Housing ACT Public Rental Assistance receives support from an agency or organisation and that person allows Housing ACT to contact their support/agency to discuss the registration.

Note: You can revoke your consent at any time by writing to Housing ACT, Locked Bag 3000, Belconnen ACT 2617.

	I give permission to Housing ACT for the release a organisations: (you can write more than one name	nd exchange of intormation about me with e or organisation)	the following people or
	This consent is valid for the period not exceeding 12 months from:	/ / to /	1
	Signature of Applicant or Legal Guardian		
	Full name		
	Date / /		•
Applicant 2	I give permission to Housing ACT for the release organisations:	and exchange of information about me with	n the following people or
Applicant 2	I give permission to Housing ACT for the release organisations:	and exchange of information about me with	n the following people or
Applicant 2	I give permission to Housing ACT for the release organisations:	and exchange of information about me with	n the following people or
Applicant 2	I give permission to Housing ACT for the release organisations:  This consent is valid for the period not exceeding 12 months from:	and exchange of information about me with	the following people or
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Applicant 2	This consent is valid for the period not exceeding 12 months from:  Signature of Applicant or		