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PIH-REAC Updates CARES Act Reporting FAQs

Recently, HUD's Office of Public and Indian Housing ([PIH](#))—Real Estate Assessment Center ([REAC](#)) published an [updated version](#) of the frequently asked questions (FAQ) on how to report the CARES Act subsidies quarterly and annually to HUD. The 22-page document answers questions about using CARES Act funds, tracking COVID-19 expenses after PHAs have expended all funds, and reporting requirements, among others. New questions and responses are marked as "New" in this new version, dated January 19, 2021. As you recall, on September 14, 2020, HUD issued Notice [PIH-2020-24](#) to provide information on financial reporting requirements for PHAs that have received supplemental funding under the CARES Act.

HUD Announces Latest in ConnectHome Webinar Series

The Department of Housing and Urban Development ([HUD](#)) has announced that it will be hosting the latest in its series of [training webinars](#) on the [ConnectHome](#) initiative. The webinar series is meant to serve as guidance to help ConnectHome participating communities achieve their goals in connecting households to broadband and assisting communities in their digital inclusion and digital literacy efforts. As such, the series is relevant for PHA staff and community members responsible for ConnectHome program implementation.

The latest scheduled webinar, titled "[Preparing Jobseekers for a Digital Economy](#)," is scheduled for Tuesday, February 23, 2021, from 2:00 to 3:00 p.m. Eastern time. Click [here](#) for more information, including [instructions](#) on how to register.



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