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MTW PROGRAM NEWS

PIH Issues Cohort #2 Application Notice, Posts Expansion Resources

Late last Friday, HUD's Office of Public and Indian Housing ([PIH](#)) issued Notice [PIH 2020-21](#) addressing the application process of the second cohort of the Moving to Work ([MTW](#)) expansion. As you know, the final [operations notice](#) for the expansion was published in the *Federal Register* last Friday as well. Specifically, Notice PIH 2020-21 offers eligible PHAs the opportunity to apply for MTW and lays out the second step by which PHAs will be selected for the second cohort of the MTW expansion. According to the notice, only PHAs who submitted a letter of interest per Notice [PIH 2019-04](#) and were notified that they are eligible for the second cohort by email are invited to submit an application.

Notice [PIH 2020-21](#) details the following:

- Important elements of the program structure and evaluative components of the MTW expansion
- An overview of the selection process, including scoring criteria
- Information on submitting an MTW plan and application package
- Other administrative details and contact information

The deadline for submission of the MTW plan and application package under the notice is **January 8, 2021**.

PIH has also posted various new resources on the MTW expansion pages under both cohorts.

On the [Cohort #1](#) page, PIH has posted:

- A [Cohort #1 Lottery and Waitlist Selectees](#) document provided to eligible applicants in August 2020
- An [updated FAQ document](#) for Notices [PIH 2018-17](#) and [2019-03](#)

- A “save the date” announcement for a webcast for lottery selectees on September 15, 2020, from 3:00–4:00 p.m. Eastern time
- A [Sample Application Timeline for Cohort #1 Lottery Selectees](#)

On the [Cohort #2](#) page, PIH has posted:

- A list of [Cohort #2 Eligible Applicants](#) provided in August 2020
- Links to Notice [PIH 2020-21](#) and a new [FAQ on Notice PIH 2020-21](#)
- A “save the date” announcement for a webcast for eligible applicants on September 16, 2020, from 3:00–4:00 p.m. Eastern time
- A [Sample Application Timeline for Cohort #2 Eligible Applicants](#)

For more information see HUD’s MTW expansion [website](#).



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