

**Notice of Due Date for Submission of FY19 Capital Fund Emergency Safety
and Security Applications for
Carbon Monoxide Detectors Only:
Due Friday, October 25, 2019**

Announcement: On August 19, 2019, HUD issued PIH Notice 2019-22 (“the Notice”) (available at <https://www.hud.gov/sites/dfiles/PIH/documents/PIH-2019-22.pdf>) which amended the Emergency Safety and Security Annual Funding Notification and Application Process.

Effective with this Notice, **\$5 million in FY 2019 funds will be available to fund Emergency Safety and Security grants for the purchase, installation, replacement, and repair of carbon monoxide detectors.** HUD is notifying PHAs that FY 2019 Emergency Safety and Security applications for carbon monoxide detectors only (no funding remains for Safety and Security grants to address crime and drug-related activities) will be due no later than the **close of business 5:00 pm Eastern Daylight Time (EDT) Friday, October 25, 2019.**

Any applications for such funding received beyond the due date and time will be considered only if funding remains available after qualified applications received by the deadline are funded; in that case such later applications, if qualified, will be funded on a first-come, first-served basis.

Funding Authority: The Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2019, (“2019 Appropriations Act”) (Public Law No: 116-6) was enacted on February 15, 2019. The 2019 Appropriations Act established the FY 2019 set-aside of Capital Funds for emergencies and natural disasters at \$30 million. The 2019 Appropriations Act requires that not less than \$10 million of the set-aside for emergency capital needs be used for necessary safety and security measures.

Eligible Activities: Recently, HUD has focused on the risk to families from carbon monoxide poisoning in Public Housing communities. HUD has set aside \$5 million of the \$10 million appropriated for emergency safety and security measures for grants to purchase, install, repair, and replace carbon monoxide detectors. PIH Notice 2019-22 provides information on application procedures for such grants.

Application Instructions: PHAs should review the Notice thoroughly to fully understand the application requirements for these funds. If a PHA has eligible activities and decides it wishes to apply for available funds, it should refer to Section 11 of the Notice for the application submission requirements. There is no separate application form that needs to be submitted beyond the submission requirements in Section 11 of the Notice.

Per the Notice, applications (one hard copy and a copy of all required submissions on a USB flash drive) should be submitted to:

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U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development
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