Program Fact Sheet

Program Summary

The HOME Tenant Based Assistance Program assists very low-income families to stabilize their housing.

CONTACT:

To talk with someone about resources and services in your local area or county, contact your local community action agency at: https://caporegon.org/find-services/
Information is also available through http://www.211info.org or by call “211”.

Services Provided

Oregon Housing and Community Services makes funds available to community action agencies throughout the state. Community action agencies coordinate the use of funds to serve their communities.

HTBA funds can pay for:

- Refundable security deposits
- Utility deposits
- Monthly rent and utilities

Eligibility Requirements

People requesting assistance must have a total household annual income no greater than 50% of the area’s median income for their size of household. Households must be engaged in a self-sufficiency program and case management with a goal of increased stabilization and independence. Households may choose their own housing, provided the housing passes a quality inspection prior to the beginning of assistance. All participating tenants are required to pay at least 30% of their adjusted gross income toward their rent and utilities. The minimum household contribution is $10.

Program Funding

HTBA is funded through the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Funds are allocated to community action agencies annually.