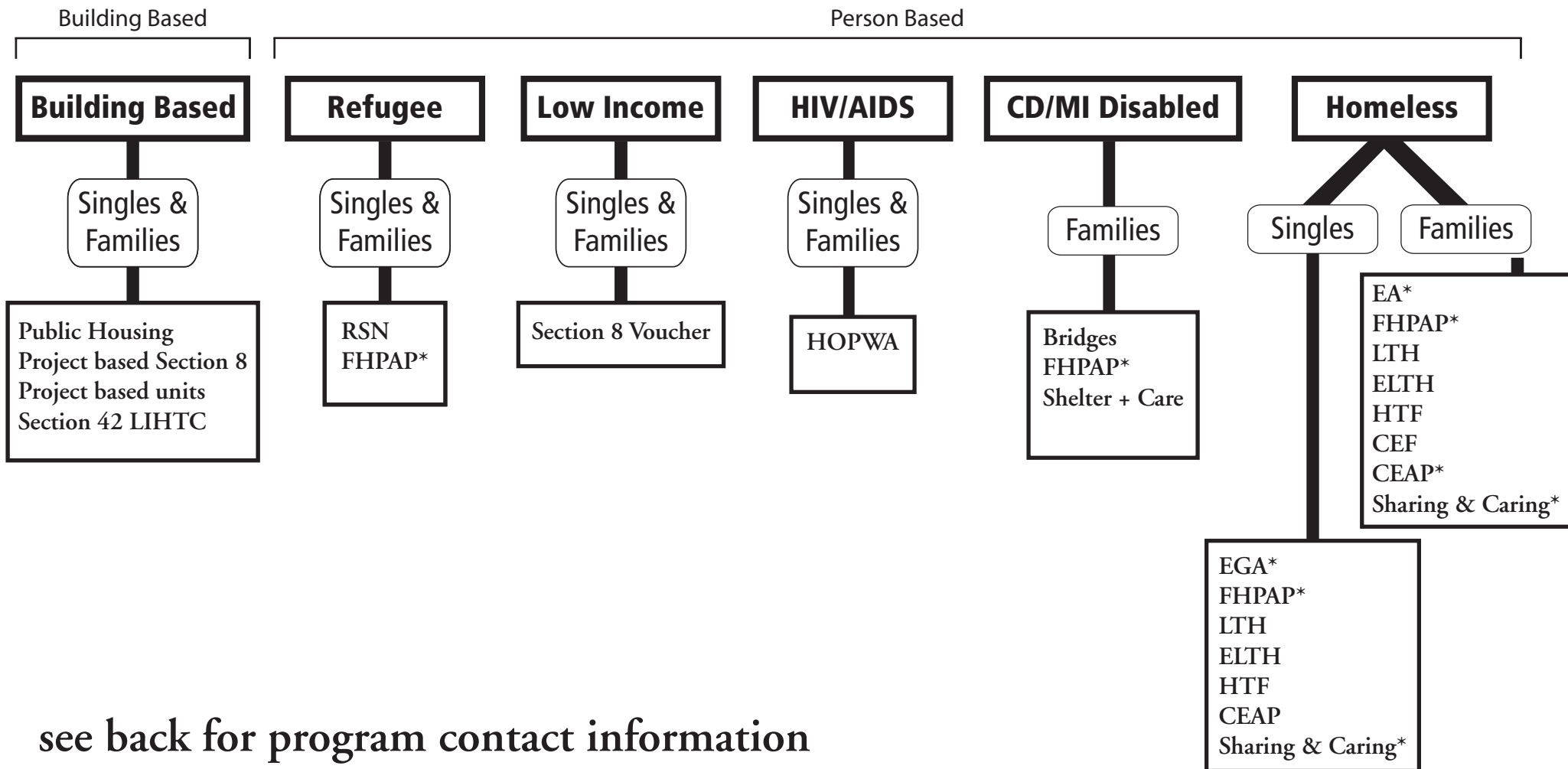


Housing Subsidies for Low Income Households



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* Time Limited Help

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Program Name	What is it?	Who is it for? (Eligibility criteria)	How can I access this program?
Bridges	Tenant-based rental subsidy program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Household with adult member who has a serious and persistent mental illness • Gross household income under 50% area median income 	<p>The program is administered by local housing organizations in communities in which eligible applicants live. Referral to the program must be made by a mental health professional.</p> <p>Self-Sufficiency Administrators and Local Housing. Found online at: http://www.mnhousing.gov/idc/groups/public/documents/document/mhfa_006044.pdf</p>
Community Emergency Assistance Program (CEAP)	One-time financial support for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rent • Mortgage • Utilities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must first apply through Emergency Assistance through county of residence • Must call ahead and be pre-screened • Must be a Northern Twin Cities Resident 	<p>If you live in CEAP's Hennepin County service area of Brooklyn Park, Brooklyn Center or East Champlin, call the Brooklyn Park office at (763) 566-9600.</p> <p>If you live in Anoka County, Mounds View or New Brighton, call the Blaine office at (763) 783-4930.</p>
Community Emergency Services (CES)	One-time financial support for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rent • Mortgage 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Low-income households 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Call 612-870-1125
Emergency Assistance (EA)	One-time financial assistance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Low-income families experiencing a financial crisis • Individual County requirements 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ramsey County: 651-266-4444 • Hennepin County: Families 612-596-1300 • Anoka County: 763-717-7730 • Carver County: 952-361-1600 • Dakota County: 651-554-5611 • Scott County: 952-496-8686 • Washington County: 651-430-6459
Emergency General Assistance (EGA)	One-time financial assistance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Single adults experiencing a financial crisis 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ramsey County: 651-266-4444 • Hennepin County: Singles 612-897-1460 • Anoka County: 763-422-7246 • Carver County: 952-361-1600 • Dakota County: 651-554-5611 • Scott County: 952-445-7751 • Washington County: 651-430-6459
Ending Long-Term Homelessness (ELTH)	Tenant-based rental assistance program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Families • Single adults • Income less than 60% area median income • experiencing long-term homelessness 	<p>Administrator Contact List. Found online at: http://www.mnhousing.gov/idc/groups/public/documents/document/mhfa_006222.pdf</p>

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		(LTH)	
Family Homeless Prevention and Assistance Program (FHPAP)	Financial assistance that for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • rent • utility payments • other housing costs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Families • Youth/unaccompanied youth • Single adults • Homeless or are at imminent risk of homelessness • Individual program requirements 	Hennepin County: 612-348-4111 Grantees and ITF Advisors 2008-2009. Found online at: http://www.mnhousing.gov/idc/groups/public/documents/document/mhfa_006126.pdf
HOME	Tenant-based rental assistance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Anoka County resident • Income less than 60% of area median income 	Anoka County: Elim Transitional Housing 763-788-1546
Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA)	Twin Cities metro area: tenant-based rent assistance In Greater MN, emergency short-term rent and utility assistance are available.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Low-income household member with HIV/AIDS • Gross household income below 80% of the area median income 	Must be referred by HIV case manager. Found online at: http://www.mnhousing.gov/initiatives/housing-assistance/rental/MHFA_004599.aspx
Housing Trust Fund	Tenant-based rental assistance program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Families • Single adults • Income less than 60% area median income • May target households experiencing long-term homelessness (LTH) 	Administrator Contact List. Found online at: http://www.mnhousing.gov/idc/groups/public/documents/document/mhfa_006222.pdf
Refugee Support Network	Time limited housing subsidies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be low income refugees or asylees • Household with at least one child • Homeless or facing imminent loss of housing • Household with special needs, including but not limited to physical or mental disabilities • Victims of domestic violence, physical or verbal abuse 	All prospective RSN participants must be referred by a social service agency. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To refer a refugee or asylees to the RSN program, social service providers must complete a referral form and mail or fax it to: Amina Gesale Refugee Support Network Director Refugee Services Minnesota Council of Churches

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			<p>122 West Franklin Ave, Ste 100 Minneapolis MN 55404 Direct: 612-230-3212 Main: 612-874-8605 Fax: 612-870-3622 http://www.mnchurches.org/refugees gesalea@mnchurches.org</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Once a referral form is received, prospective clients will be contacted to determine program eligibility and complete enrollment process.
Section 8 Voucher	Tenant-based rental assistance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Household income must be less than 50% of area median income Must be willing to live in the area where voucher is issued 	HousingLink's Housing Authority Waiting List. Found online at: http://www.housinglink.org/Hsg_Authority_Waiting_Lists.htm HousingLink's hList. Found online at: http://www.housinglink.org/hlist/
Sharing and Caring Hands (Mary's Place)	Financial assistance <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Security deposit 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be a current shelter resident 	Call: 612-388-4855
Shelter Plus Care Program	Tenant-based rental assistance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Homeless Serious mental illness, chronic problems with alcohol and/or drugs, and acquired immunodeficiency syndrome (AIDS) Income less than 50% of area median income 	For Anoka, Ramsey and Hennepin Counties contact: Metropolitan Council 390 Robert St. North St. Paul, MN 55101-1805 Phone: 651-602-1000 Fax: 651-602-1464