



NEWS AND UPDATES

TO: All FHA-Approved Mortgagees

What's New

Single Family (SF) Handbook: Feedback Period Extended for *Doing Business with FHA—FHA Lenders and Mortgagees* and *Quality Control, Oversight and Compliance* Sections

An extension from July 29 to **August 15, 2014** has been granted to allow stakeholders additional time to provide voluntary feedback on the draft *Doing Business with FHA—FHA Lenders and Mortgagees* and *Quality Control, Oversight and Compliance* sections of the *Single Family Housing Policy Handbook* (SF Handbook).

Both sections' content, as well as supporting information, is posted for review and feedback on the [SF Drafting Table](#) on the respective web pages -- [Doing Business with FHA—FHA Lenders and Mortgagees](#) and [Quality Control, Oversight and Compliance](#).

Learn More:

Go to FHA's Drafting Table main page at:

http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/program_offices/housing/sfh/SFH_policy_drafts

- On the Drafting Table main page you will find links to the following web pages:
 - [Doing Business with FHA—FHA Lenders and Mortgagees](http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/program_offices/housing/sfh/SFH_policy_drafts/lenders_mortgagees)
http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/program_offices/housing/sfh/SFH_policy_drafts/lenders_mortgagees **and**
 - [Quality Control, Oversight and Compliance](http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/program_offices/housing/sfh/SFH_policy_drafts/qc_mortgagees)
http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/program_offices/housing/sfh/SFH_policy_drafts/qc_mortgagees
- Each section's web page contains a:
 - Draft of the section content for review and feedback
 - Highlights of Changes
 - Frequently Asked Questions

- Feedback Response Worksheet
- Call the FHA Resource Center at 1-800-CALLFHA (1-800-225-5342). Persons with hearing or speech impairments may reach this number by calling the Federal Information Relay Service at 1-800-877-8339.
- Visit our online resource information at www.hud.gov/answers

About the FHA Single Family Housing Policy Handbook Effort:

FHA's *Single Family Housing Policy Handbook* effort is a multi-phased initiative to develop and publish a single, authoritative source for FHA Single Family Housing policy using clear and direct language and an improved organizational structure. In fall 2013, FHA posted its first draft section, *Application through Endorsement for Title II Forward Mortgages*, for feedback. FHA is in the process of finalizing this section for publication in 2014, with a future effective date for mortgagees.

TRAINING AND EVENTS

Course Title: **NEW** FHA Loss Mitigation Training

Date/Time: Wednesday, August 13, 2014 from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM (Central)

Event Location: HUD Chicago Regional Office, 77 West Jackson Blvd, Room 2513, Chicago, IL 60604

Registration Link: <http://www.hud.gov/emarc/index.cfm?fuseaction=emar.registerEvent&eventId=2154&update=N>

Description: This is classroom training for HUD-approved housing counseling agencies, servicing lenders and nonprofits. The training will provide information on FHA Loss Mitigation tools. It will cover the new changes with Home Affordable Modification Program (HAMP), preforeclosure sale and deed-in-lieu.

Special Instructions: On-line registration is required. Please bring a calculator to class. No fee.

RESOURCE INFORMATION

FHA INFO Archives:	Visit the FHA INFO Archives to access FHA INFO messages issued from 2012 to the present.
Have FHA Questions?	For FHA technical support, please search the FHA Frequently Asked Questions site or contact the FHA Resource Center by email at: answers@hud.gov or by telephone toll free between 8:00 AM & 8:00 PM ET at: (800) CALLFHA or (800) 225-5342. Persons with hearing or speech impairments may access this number via TTY by calling the Federal Information Relay Service at (800) 877-8339.
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