

**U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development – Emergency Homeowners’ Loan Program
 Pre-Applicant Certification of Eligibility**

Department of Housing and Urban Development
 EMERGENCY HOMEOWNERS’ LOAN PROGRAM

A. PRE-APPLICANT NAME:

B. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER (*Last 4-digits*)

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PRE-APPLICANT CERTIFICATION STATEMENT

NOTICE: Furnishing the information requested on this form is a condition of participation for all Pre-Applicants to the Emergency Homeowners’ Loan Program (EHL). **Please read the Privacy Act Statement on page 2 of this form before completing this Pre-Applicant Certification Statement.**

The Department of Housing and Urban Development is prohibited by statute, regulation, and/or program rules from providing EHL emergency assistance on behalf of any person who does not meet minimum program requirements. No person required to complete this certification statement shall be eligible to receive emergency assistance under the Emergency Homeowners’ Loan Program who cannot certify to all of the statements included in this document.

C. PROPERTY ADDRESS:

D. DELINQUENT MORTGAGE:

(A) LENDER – _____

(B) ACCOUNT NUMBER – _____

(C) AMOUNT OF MORTGAGE – _____

E. DESIGNATED HOUSING COUNSELING AGENCY –

Consumer Credit Counseling Service of Greater Dallas, Inc.

PART I – PROGRAM CERTIFICATIONS

	INITIAL
1. I certify that I am a borrower or co-borrower on the mortgage identified in box D, above, and/or a signor or co-signor on the promissory note secured by that mortgage.....	
2. I certify that I reside at the Property as my principal residence, and that the Property is a single family residence (1-4) unit, condominium, or cooperative.....	
3. I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, there exists on the Property no more than two open liens of any kind, including but not limited to: mortgages, equity lines of credit, judgment liens, mechanics liens, and tax liens.....	
4. I certify that I am not delinquent on any non-tax Federal debt, as defined under 31 USCA § 3720B and 31 CFR § 285.13, but not including my Delinquent Mortgage, as identified in box D, above. And, I certify that I do not have delinquent child support obligations (meaning the amount of support determined under a court order, or an order of an administrative procedure established under state law, for the support and maintenance of a child, or of a child and parent with whom the child is living, which has not been paid) that have been submitted to the US Department of the Treasury for collection by offset.....	
5. I certify that I am not currently in bankruptcy.....	
6. I certify that I am not subject to a Federal tax lien.....	
7. I certify that I am 90 or more days delinquent on the first lien mortgage identified in box D, above.....	
8. I certify that I am financially unable to make my full monthly mortgage payment on the first-lien mortgage identified in box D, above, and I am in need of EHL emergency assistance.....	
9. [This line intentionally left blank.]	
10. I certify that circumstances make it probable that, absent my receiving EHL emergency assistance, there will be a foreclosure of the Property.....	
11. I certify that each co-borrower on the mortgage identified in box D, above, and/or co-signor on the promissory note secured by that mortgage, was identified in my EHL application, and his/her income was included in determining my eligibility for assistance in the EHL.....	
12. I certify that I experienced a substantial reduction in income as a result of involuntary unemployment or underemployment due to economic conditions or medical conditions, and am financially unable to make my full monthly mortgage payment on the first-lien mortgage identified in box D, above.....	
13. I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the data and documentation I have provided to my designated housing counseling agency, identified in box E, above, for the purpose of completing my EHL application (including but not limited to data and documentation concerning income) is true, complete and correct.....	

14. I certify that I will immediately notify my designated housing counseling agency, identified in box E, above, to update or correct any inaccuracies in the data or documentation I provided for purposes of completing my EHLP application, including in this Pre-Applicant Certification Statement, whenever I become aware of such information.....

PART II – IMMIGRATION CERTIFICATION

To receive emergency assistance through the EHLP, the Pre-Applicant must be eligible to receive a federal public benefit under Title IV of the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996, 8 U.S.C. § 1611 (PRWORA). To be eligible to receive a federal public benefit under PRWORA, the Pre-Applicant must be a citizen, non-citizen national, or qualified alien under 8 U.S.C. §§ 1401, 1408, 1641(b), respectively.

I certify under penalty of perjury that (initial option that applies):

_____ I am a United States Citizen.

_____ I am a Non-Citizen National of the United States.

_____ I am a qualified alien lawfully present in the United States pursuant to Federal law.

By initialing above, I, the EHLP Pre-Applicant, certify that I understand that this is a sworn statement, required by law, because in applying for the EHLP, I am applying to receive a federal public benefit, and that it is a true, complete, and correct statement to the best of my knowledge and belief.

PART III – FALSE STATEMENTS

By signing below, I, the EHLP Pre-Applicant, understand that any false statement made in this certification, or otherwise made in connection with my application to participate in the EHLP may result in fines or imprisonment of up to five (5) years, or both, under 18 U.S.C. § 1001, that I may also be subject to civil and/or administrative penalties or sanctions, and that HUD may pursue any available penalty, civil or criminal, to the fullest extent of the law.

PRE-APPLICANT:

WITNESS:

PRINTED PRE-APPLICANT NAME

DATE

PRINTED WITNESS NAME

DATE

PRE-APPLICANT SIGNATURE

WITNESS SIGNATURE

PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT

Purpose: By signing this Pre-Applicant Certification Statement, you are authorizing HUD, directly or through its authorized representatives, to request income information from such sources necessary to verify your household's income, employment status and such other information necessary to ensure that you are eligible for the federal benefits to be derived under this program and that those benefits are set at the correct level.

Uses of Information to be Obtained: HUD is required to protect the income and employment information it obtains in accordance with the Privacy Act of 1974, 5 U.S.C. 552a. HUD may disclose information (other than tax return information) for certain routine uses, such as to other government agencies for law enforcement purposes or unemployment/income verification purposes. Any persons engaging in unauthorized disclosures or improper uses of information obtained for the purposes described above may be subject to penalties.