

Housing Authority of the Cherokee Nation

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Program Description

The MORTGAGE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM provides qualified Native Americans with down payment and closing cost assistance to purchase or construct a home. Eligibility criteria is below:

- Household income must not exceed 80% of the National Median Income as established by HUD
- Head of household or cohabitating partner must be a citizen of a federally recognized tribe; preference is given to Cherokee Nation citizens
- Head of household, cohabitating partner and anyone who will have an ownership interest in the home must be first-time
 homebuyers. A first time homebuyer is an individual who has had no ownership in a residence during the previous three years
 or who has only owned a property that was uninhabitable. Exceptions may be made for victims of documented domestic
 violence.
- Must purchase a home within Cherokee Nation reservation boundaries
- Mortgage loans must meet Housing Authority of the Cherokee Nation's non-predatory criteria
- A soft second mortgage will be placed on the home; if the home is not used as a primary residence a prorated payback will be required
- Home must pass an environmental review conducted by Cherokee Nation; if home is being constructed the environmental review must be completed before any dirt on the property is moved
- Home must be structurally sound as attested to by a State Certified Inspector
- The home purchased may not include more than 5 acres of land
- Applicant must attend the Housing Authority's Homebuyers Education classes provided at no cost to the applicant

The following documents must be submitted:

MAP Application Income Assistance Child Support Affidavit Custodial Documentation (Divorce Decree, etc, if	Income Declaration for all household members over 18 Employment Form for all household members Copy of Social Security cards for all household members over 18
applicable)	Copy of state ID for all household members over 18
Asset Information	Copy of Tribal Citizenship card for head of household and/or
Declaration of Section 214 Status for all household	co-applicant
members (Please read the instructions carefully)	

NAHASDA Median Family Income Guidelines effective April 26, 2024

Family Size		2	3	4	5	6	7	8
80%	\$54,768	\$62,592	\$70,416	\$78,240	\$84,499	\$90,758	\$97,018	\$103,277

^{*}Monetary assistance is contingent upon available funding.

Application Submission

Mail Application to:

HACN MAP

PO Box 1007

Tahlequah, OK 74465

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If you prefer, you may drop off the application at any Housing Authority office:

- 2871 Hwy 167, Catoosa, OK 74015
- 2260 W. Cherokee, Sallisaw, OK 74955
- 109 13th St., Jay, OK 74346
- I 500 Hensley Dr., Tahlequah, OK 74464

For Information Please Call: 918-456-5482



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Mortgage Assistance Program

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	PRE	EVIOUS	PARTICIPATION		***
Have you or any member of the househ	old ever receiv	ed assistar	nce from one or more of the following programs	3:	
Rehab to Home	☐ Yes	□ No	Self-Help Housing (SIP)	☐ Yes	□ No
Mutual Help (Indian Home)	☐ Yes	□ No	Mortgage Assistance (MAP)	☐ Yes	□ No
Water and Sanitation	☐ Yes	□ No	Rural Rental Home	☐ Yes	□ No
HIP	☐ Yes	□ No	Other		
If you have participated in any of the pro	ograms, please	provide the	e city and county you received services:		
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Signature of Head of Household	C	Date	Signature of Spouse or Cohabitating Partner	Date	e
Other Family Member over the age 18		Date	Other Family Member over the age 18	Date	e

PRIVACY ACT NOTICE: THIS INFORMATION IS TO BE USED BY THE AGENCY COLLECTING IT OR ITS ASSIGNEES IN DETERMINING WHETHER YOU QUALIFY AS A PROSPECTIVE PARTICIPANT OR BORROWER UNDER THE AGENCY'S PROGRAM(S). IT WILL NOT BE DISCLOSED OUTSIDE THIS AGENCY EXCEPT AS REQUIRED AND PERMITTED BY LAW.



Income Assistance Affidavit

I certify my household is NOT presently receiving income assistance from the Department of Human Services or Tribal Services, provided by a Native

This form must be completed and signed by all household members 18 year of age or older even if no benefits are received.

American tribe.

V.A. CLAIM NUMBER(S):

☐ I certify that my household receives income assistance as indicated below:

IF YOU DRAW BENEFITS FROM A DIFFERENT SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER, LIST THE NUMBER:

	AMOUNT	LIST PERSON(S) RECEIVING BENEFIT AS INDICATED
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AID TO DISABLED	\$		
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Asset Information

If you do not have any accounts, assets, own or have any interest in real property, please check the Not Applicable box and sign below:

Not Applicable

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Employment Form

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NAME OF COMPANY / EMPLOYER	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	PRINT EMPLOYEE'S NAME			
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Employment Form

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Income Declaration

This form must be completed by each household member over age 18. All income must be listed below. Please include monetary gifts, money earned from odd jobs (babysitting, mowing, cutting wood, etc.) and formal employment.

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Child Support Affidavit

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Declaration of Section 214 Status

NOTICE TO APPLICANTS AND TENANTS: In order to be eligible for the housing assistance sought, each applicant for, or recipient of, housing assistance must be lawfully within the United States. Please read the Declaration statement carefully, sign and return it to the Housing Authority of the Cherokee Nation. Please feel free to consult with an immigration lawyer or other immigration expert of your choice.

A box must be completed for each member of the household. A parent or guardian must sign for family members under 18 years of age. Do not sign the child's name; sign your name as parent or guardian and print your child's name.

certify under penalty of perjury, that to the best of my knowledge, I am lawfully within the United States because (please check below):

DECLARATION		
	PLEASE CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX	COMPLETE FOR EACH HOUSEHOLD MEMBER
	I am a citizen by birth, a naturalized citizen, or a national of the United States, or; I have eligible immigration status and I am 62 years of age or older (attach proof of age). OR - I have eligible immigration status as checked BELOW: Immigrant status under 101 (a or 1010(a)(20) of the INA/3), Parole status under 212(d)(5) of the INA/6,	NAME: SIGNATURE:
	Permanent residence under 249 or INA/4, Refugee, asylum, or condition entry status under 207, 208, or 203 of the INA/4 or INA/6, Threat to life or freedom under 243(h) of the INA/7; or Amnesty under 245A of the INA/8. Attach INS document(s) evidencing immigration status and signed verification consent form.	DATE:
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Declaration of 214 Status Instructions

1. Warning: 18 U.S.C. 1001 provides, among other things, that whoever knowingly and willfully makes or uses a document or writing containing any false fictitious, or fraudulent statement or entry, in any matter within the jurisdiction of any department or agency of the United States, shall be fined not more than \$10,000, imprisoned for not more than five years, or both.

The following footnotes pertain to noncitizens who declare eligible immigration status in one of the following categories:

- 2. Eligible immigration status and 62 years of age or older. For noncitizens who are 62 years of age or older or who will be 62 years of age or older and receiving assistance under a Section 214 covered program on June 19, 1995. If you are eligible and elect to select this category, you must include a document providing evidence of proof of age. No further documentation of eligible immigration status is required.
- 3. Immigrant status under §101(a)(1S) or 101(a)(20) of INA. A noncitizen lawfully admitted for permanent residence, as defined by §101(a)(20) of the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA), as an immigrant, as defined by §101(a)(15) of the INA (8 U.S.C. 1101 (a)(20) and 1101(a)(15), respectively [immigrant status]. This category includes a noncitizen admitted under §210 or 210A of the INA (8 U.S.C. 1160 or 1161), [special agricultural worker status], who has been granted lawful temporary resident status.
- 4. **Permanent residence under §249 of INA.** A noncitizen who entered the U.S. before January 1, 1972, or such later date as enacted by law, and has continuously maintained residence in the U.S. since then, and who is not ineligible for citizenship, but who is deemed to be lawfully admitted for permanent residence as a result of an exercise of discretion by the Attorney General under §249 of the INA (8 U.S.C. 1259) [amnesty granted under INA 249].
- 5. **Refugee, asylum, or conditional entry status under §207, 208 or 203 of INA.** A noncitizen who is lawfully present in the U.S. pursuant to an admission under §207 of the INA (8 U.S.C 1157) [refugee status]; pursuant to the granting of asylum (which has not been terminated) under §208 of the INA (8 U.S.C 1158) [asylum status]; or as a result of being granted conditional entry under §203(a)(7) of the INA (U.S.C. 1153(a)(7)) before April 1, 1980, because of persecution or fear of persecution on account of race, religion, or political opinion or because of being uprooted by catastrophic national calamity [conditional entry status].
- 6. **Parole status under §212(d)(5) of INA.** A noncitizen lawfully present in the U.S. as a result of an exercise of discretion by the Attorney General for emergent reasons or reasons deemed strictly in the public interest under §212(d)(5) of the INA (8 U.S.C. 1182(d)(5)) [parole status].
- 7. Threat to life or freedom under §243(h) of INA. A noncitizen who is lawfully present in the U.S. as a result of the Attorney General's withholding deportation under §243(h) of the INA (8 U.S.C. 1253(h)) [threat to life or freedom].
- 8. **Amnesty under §245(a) of INA.** A noncitizen lawfully admitted for temporary or permanent residence under 245A of the INA (8 U.S.C. 1255a) [amnesty granted under INA 245A].