Application Form for Senior Citizens' Housing

Please fill out this form to apply for Senior Citizens' Housing. A housing staff member will contact you to arrange an interview.

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Provincial Housing Offices

Western Region

Summerside Office 310 Brophy Avenue Summerside, PE C1N 5N4 Telephone: (902) 888-8436 Facsimile: (902) 888-8439

Alberton Office 116 Dufferin Street PO Box 700, Alberton, PE C0B 1B0 Telephone: (902) 853-8688 Facsimile: (902) 853-0246

Eastern Region

Charlottetown Office 161 St. Peters Road, PO Box 2000 Charlottetown, PE C1A 7N8 Telephone: (902) 368-5770 Facsimile: (902) 368-5471

Montague Office PO Box 820, Montague, PE COA 1RO Telephone: (902) 838-0796 Facsimile: (902) 838-0682

Souris Office PO Box 640, Souris, PE COA 2B0 Telephone: (902) 687-7098 Facsimile: (902) 687-7053

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Applying for Prince Edward Island Senior Citizens' Housing



Community Services, Seniors and Labour

Seniors' Housing



Program

Many seniors find that their housing needs change over time. Some find their income is less than in earlier years, making housing hard to afford. Others may find it more difficult to maintain their own home.

In recognition of these needs, the federal and provincial governments provide funding for building and maintaining Seniors' Housing projects.

Where Are Senior Citizens' Housing Projects Located?

There are 1,152 Senior Citizens' Housing units located in 35 Island communities across the province:

Abrams Village	Miscouche	Souris
Alberton	Mont Carmel	South Rustico
Bedeque	Montague	St. Louis
Belfast-Eldon	Morell	St. Peters
Borden	Mount Stewart	Summerside
Cardigan	Murray River	Tignish
Charlottetown	Murray Harbour	Tracadie Cross
Cornwall	North Rustico	Tyne Valley
Crapaud	O'Leary	Wellington
Georgetown	Parkdale	Wilmot
Hunter River	Rollo Bay	
Kensington	Sherwood	
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Who Is Eligible?

Any person over the age of sixty can apply for Seniors Housing.

How Are Tenants Selected?

Tenants are selected based on need. A rating system is used to find out which applicants have the greatest need. When assessing need, staff consider a person's income, assets, health, age, present housing and the length of time the application has been on file.

What Facilities Do the Housing Units Offer?

Most housing units are one-bedroom apartments with a living room, kitchen, bathroom and storage area. A few buildings have bachelor-style apartments. These are similar to one bedroom apartments but they do not have a separate bedroom.

Some buildings have units designed for tenants with a disability.

The Department of Community Services, Seniors and Labour provides a refrigerator and stove, covers the cost of heat and hot water and ensures ongoing upkeep of the unit.

Each tenant is responsible for furniture and drapes, as well as the cost of electricity, telephone, cable TV and tenant insurance. New tenants must make arrangements with the electric utility to have the power to the unit turned on.

What Rent Is Charged?

Rent charged on a unit varies based on the income of the tenant. Rent is currently set at 25 per cent of income.

How to Apply?

To apply for Seniors Housing, please fill out the application form that is attached and return it to the provincial housing office nearest you. The addresses of provincial housing offices are listed on the back of this brochure.

Once you have indicated an interest in Seniors Housing, a housing staff member will schedule an interview with you.

Privacy Statement:

Personal information on this form is collected under Section 31 of the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, c.F-15.01, as it relates directly to and is necessary for the provision of the Seniors Housing Program. If you have any questions about this collection of personal information, you may contact the Department of Community Services, Seniors And Labour FOIPP Coordinator at (902) 894-0304.