

Schedule your appointment



At this time, we're only able to accept applications in person during your scheduled appointment. This means we're unable to accept online, emailed, faxed, mailed, or drop-off applications without an appointment.

SEND AN EMAIL TO:

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chafadmin@chafproperties.com

PLEASE INCLUDE IN YOUR E-MAIL YOUR TOP 3 CHOICES OF BOTH DAY AND TIME

WHAT DAY(S) OF THE WEEK WORKS BEST FOR YOU?

☐ MONDAY ☐ TUESDAY ☐ WEDNESDAY ☐ THURSDAY ☐ FRIDAY

No Appointments on WEEKENDS

WHAT APPOINTMENT TIME(S) WORKS BEST FOR YOU?

☐ 9:30 A.M. ☐ 10:30 A.M. ☐ 11:30 A.M. ☐ 1:30 P.M. ☐ 2:30 P.M.

We kindly ask that all applicants attend in person and bring their own completed application packet.

Please do your best to fill out all forms prior to your appointment.

PLEASE NOTE: ALL LATE ARRIVALS WILL BE CANCELLED. WE ENSURE EACH SCHEDULED APPOINTMENT IS HONORED AND HANDLED IN TIMELY FASHION.



CHAF Properties
5345 Laurel Place, Clearwater, FL 33760
Office: (727) 522-1504 or (727) 382-1410





St. Petersburg Locations

31ST STREET LANDINGS

5860 31st ST N, St. Petersburg 33714
18 UNITS- 2 BEDROOMS
(washer/dryer hookup)

ASHLEY PLACE

8147 46th AVE N, St Petersburg, FL 33709
55 UNITS- 2 & 3 BEDROOMS
(washer/dryer hookup)

CARIBBEAN COURT

3110 42nd AVE N, St Petersburg, FL 33714
10 UNITS- 2 & 3 BEDROOMS

CYPRESS POINTE

6040 31st ST N, St Petersburg, FL 33714
26 UNITS- 2 & 3 BEDROOMS
(washer/dryer hookup)

LAKEVIEW VILLAS

4301 28th ST N, St Petersburg, FL 33714
84 UNITS- 2 & 3 BEDROOMS

MAGNOLIA COURT

2503 50th AVE N, St Petersburg, FL 33714
26 UNITS 2 & 3 BEDROOMS
(washer/dryer hookup)

NORTHSIDE VILLAS

2675 50TH AVE N, #123 St Petersburg FL 33714
43 UNITS- 3 BEDROOMS

OAK TRACE

2550 52nd AVE N, St Petersburg, FL 33714
16 UNITS- 3 BEDROOMS

OAK VILLAS

4901 37th ST N, St Petersburg FL 33714
20 UNITS- 2 BEDROOMS

SANDPEBBLE APARTMENTS

2700 52nd AVE N, St Petersburg, FL 33714
18 UNITS- 2 & 3 BEDROOMS

1710 & 1712 20th Street South St. Petersburg, FL 33712

2 UNITS-1 & 2 Bedrooms
(washer/dryer hookups)

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1842 & 1844 13th Street South St. Petersburg, FL 33705

2 UNITS-1 & 2 Bedrooms
(washer/dryer hookups)

1825 & 1827 13th Street S. St. Petersburg, FL 33705

2 UNITS- 1 & 2 Bedrooms
(washer/dryer included)

1861 & 1863 13th Street S. St. Petersburg, FL 33705

2 UNITS- 1 & 2 Bedrooms
(washer/dryer included)

934 & 936 23rd Street S. St. Petersburg, FL 33705

2 UNITS- 1 & 2 Bedrooms
(washer/dryer included)

Russell Street Apartments

1700 Russell St S, St. Petersburg. FL 33712
12 UNITS- 2 Bedrooms

Single Family Homes

1021 10 Ave South St. Petersburg, FL 33705

4 Bed 2 Bath
(Washer/Dryer hookup)

807 14th Ave South St. Petersburg, FL 33701

3 Bed 2 Bath

868 15th Ave South St. Petersburg, FL 33701

3 Bed 2 Bath

4119 13th Ave South St. Petersburg, FL 33711

3 Bed 2 Bath

Pinellas Park Locations

BOARDWALK APARTMENTS

6401 102nd AVE N, Pinellas Park, FL 33782
36 UNITS- 2 BEDROOMS
(washer/dryer hookup)

BREEZEWAY VILLAS

4928 91st AVE N, Pinellas Park, FL 33782
22 UNITS- 2 & 3 BEDROOMS
(washer/dryer hookup)

CROSS BAYOU VILLAS

7200 71st ST N, Pinellas Park, FL 33781
33 UNITS- 2 & 3 BEDROOMS

Clearwater Location

(Leasing Office Location)

WINDTREE VILLAS

5345 Laurel Place, Clearwater, FL 33760
158 UNITS- 1, 2 & 3 BEDROOMS
(Some washer/dryer hookups)

Contemporary Housing Alternative of Florida, Inc. is a Florida corporation, the sole Managing Member of CHAF Properties, LLC, a Florida limited liability company.

STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS

Thank you for applying at CHAF Properties!

Thank you for your patience while we work to ensure that our community is filled with qualified and respectful residents who will make this a great place to live.

If you meet the applications standards and are accepted, you will have peace of mind of knowing that you will be joining other residents who have been processed with equal care.

NOTE: We provide equal and fair housing opportunities. We do not discriminate based upon race, color, religion, sex, national origin, familial status disability, age, marital status, or any other qualifications not related to the application process.

If your application meets all the following criteria, you will be approved. If it does not, you may be approved with conditions, which may require you to pay an additional security deposit or obtain a guarantor from a third party (One App). In the event that you do not meet the requirements set forth, we will have to deny your application.

APPLICATION SCREENING REQUIREMENTS

A complete application: All lines must be filled in and questions answered for the application to be processed. ALL Applicants over the age of 18 must complete an application, in addition, all occupants must be named on the lease as a leaseholder, and all occupants over the age of 18 must sign the lease along with the lease holder(s).

Two forms of identification are required for all applicants over the age of 18: We require a photo ID (a driver's license or photo identification card issued by the government, state or federal) and a second form of identification in order to verify your identity once you begin the application process. Your second form of identification may be a social security card, birth certificate, or a non-resident alien card, etc.

Verifiable Rental History: The standard approval process requires verifiable rental history for the most recent two (2) years. It is the applicant's responsibility to provide the information necessary for us to contact previous landlord(s) for verification. Applicants must have a history of paying rent on time, providing proper notice when vacating, and maintaining a satisfactory rental history.

Applicants with a prior eviction may be subject to additional review. Evictions that occurred within the past twelve (12) months may result in denial. Applicants with multiple evictions may be denied based on the overall screening results and rental history.

Applicants must not owe any outstanding balance to a current or former landlord. Applicants with landlord debt identified during the screening process may be considered if they provide a current zero-balance letter from the landlord confirming the debt has been paid in full within three (3) business days of notification.

If we are unable to verify previous landlords and/or references, we reserve the right to require an additional security deposit and/or deny the application if the other criteria set forth are not met. Verifiable for these purposes means third-party verification from someone other than a relative.

We will consider a mortgage as rental history if it has been active within the past two (2) years. However, if the mortgage is late, in default, or subject to foreclosure proceedings, the applicant may be required to provide documentation supporting the circumstances and may be subject to additional review, an increased security deposit, or denial based on the overall screening results.

Income eligibility: In order to become eligible for approval you must meet the monthly requirements set forth by this community. Our standard is 3 times the rent per month. Income will be verified by 3rd party. Some examples are; employment verification, the collection of paystubs (8 consecutive), the collection of SSI, SSD, SSA confirmation letters, the collection of legal settlement and divorce agreements and any other legal paperwork reflecting income (i.e.- child support documentation, the collection of bank statements (when applicable), or other asset statements). A complete list of income documentation will be provided to you by the property staff once the initial interview for application is

complete. For applicants that are reporting on income from a contributor (a person who makes regular monthly contributions to the applicant), the following applies:

20% of income or less from contribution- A notarized affidavit from the contributor (form to be provided by office) 6 months' bank statements showing the amount of the contribution as a deposit. If the applicant cannot provide bank statements proving the contribution, then your application may be denied.

This is an Affordable Housing property. During initial application and subsequent yearly recertifications you may be asked to provide IRS Income Tax Returns or Tax Return Transcripts. This provides proof your initial occupancy was indeed below the required maximum income limits.

Credit History: Credit accounts should have satisfactory ratings, and all utility accounts must be current with no outstanding balance.

Applicants with utility debt identified during the screening process may be considered if they provide a current zero-balance letter from the utility provider confirming the debt has been paid in full within three (3) business days of notification.

Applicants with adverse credit history may be subject to additional review. Based on the overall screening results, applicants may be approved, denied, or referred to OneApp for further consideration.

OneApp is a third-party lease assurance program that may be used to provide additional screening and qualification options for applicants who do not meet CHAF's standard screening criteria. Applicants referred to and approved through OneApp may be required to pay fees directly to OneApp. Any fees charged by OneApp are separate from application fees, holding deposits, security deposits, rent, or other amounts due to CHAF.

Bankruptcy will be subject to further review. Applicants with an active or open bankruptcy will be denied. If the bankruptcy has been dismissed or discharged, supporting documentation may be required. Once all information has been reviewed, the application may be approved, denied, or referred to OneApp for further consideration.

Criminal background: CHAF's goal is to assist ex-offenders in gaining access to one of the most fundamental building blocks of a stable life, a place to live. However, criminal background checks are performed at admission.

CHAF is committed to seek a balance between allowing ex-offenders to reunite with their families that live in our communities, and at the same time, ensuring the safety of all residents of its programs.

CHAF may deny admission when the screening process shows a conviction for engaging in criminal activity and history of inability to comply with the terms of previous leases, as verified by previous landlords or other entities. However, CHAF may consider mitigating circumstances and will handle each applicant on a case-by-case basis.

CHAF will use local and national databases to perform criminal background checks (not including juvenile records) and sex offender registration checks for applicants and additions to households who are 18 years of age and older. CHAF will conduct such checks on household members who are younger than 18 years only if they are being tried as adults for certain criminal offenses.

- A nationwide criminal background check and sex offender registration check will be performed.

In its decision to deny admission, CHAF shall conduct an individualized assessment considering the following:

- The seriousness of the case, especially as it affects the health and safety of other residents;
- The effect of denial or termination of assistance on other family members who were not involved in the action or failure to act;
- The level of violence, if any, of the criminal activity for which the applicant was convicted;

- The length of time since the conviction;
- The number of convictions that appears on the applicant criminal history;
- The possibility of the applicant being rendered homeless; and
- The rehabilitation efforts taken by applicant after conviction or released from prison.

An arrest is not evidence of criminal activity that can support an adverse admission, termination, or eviction decision. As such, an arrest where the disposition of the criminal charges are voided, invalidated, rendered inoperative, dropped, nolle prossed, dismissed pursuant to successfully completion of a diversion or a deferral of judgment program, no action, or other resolution that does not involve an admission of guilt or where the applicant is found not guilty or acquitted, may not result in denied or terminated assistance.

CHAF may permanently deny admission for convictions related to the following:

- (1) Manufacturing or distribution of controlled substances.
- (2) Sex offenders subject to a lifetime registration under a state sex offender registration program. In searching for sex offenders, CHAF will perform background checks nationwide.
- (3) Felonious violent criminal activities, including but not limited to murder, arson, aggravated felony battery and sex-related crimes not subject to lifetime registration under a state sex offender registration program.

For non-permanent criminal activities, CHAF will consider criminal convictions within the last seven (7) years. The seven-year lookback period shall begin on the date the applicant successfully completes all terms of the sentence, including incarceration, probation, parole, community control, or any other court-ordered supervision, whichever occurs last.

After conducting an individualized assessment, CHAF may deny admission if the applicant has been convicted for the following criminal activities:

- (1) Drug-related activities, including, but not limited to, eviction or termination from federally assisted housing due to drug activity. Drug-related activities mean illegal manufacture, sale, distribution or use of a drug, or the possession of a drug with intent to manufacture, sell, distribute, or use the drug.
- (2) Violent criminal activities which shall include any criminal activity that has as one (1) of its elements: the use, attempted use, or threatened use of physical force substantial enough to cause, or be reasonably likely to cause, non-trivial bodily injury or property damage.
- (3) Non-violent criminal activities that may threaten the health, safety or right to peaceful enjoyment of the premises by other residents. Examples are crimes that involve disturbing the peace, crimes against property such as burglary, larceny and robbery, and crimes that impose financial costs such as vandalism, bribery, and fraud, including fraud in connection with federally assisted housing.
- (4) Alcohol abuse or pattern of abuse, if CHAF has reasonable cause to believe that the person's abuse or pattern of abuse of alcohol may interfere with the health, safety, or right to peaceful enjoyment of the premises by other residents.

In determining denial of admission related to drug or alcohol abuse, CHAF must take into consideration: Evidence of drug or alcohol rehabilitation, as indicated under Mitigating Circumstances below, and if the drug or alcohol abuse is related to a disability, as determined by CHAF's ADA Coordinator.

CHAF may also deny admission based on the conduct underlying arrests, only if the conduct indicates the individual is not suitable for tenancy and CHAF has sufficient evidence, other than the fact of the arrest that the individual engaged in the conduct, other than the fact of the arrest. Such evidence may include a police report property, living and housekeeping habits that may adversely affect the health, safety or welfare of other tenants or cause damage to the unit or development.

Notification of Proposed Rejection

CHAF must notify the household of the proposed rejection, the reason for the denial of admission, and provide an opportunity to dispute the accuracy and relevance of the record.

Mitigating Circumstances for Applicants

1. Mitigating circumstances are facts relating to negative rental history or behavior, that, when verified, indicate that the reason for the unsuitable rental history or behavior is no longer in effect or is under control, justifying admission or continued occupancy. Mitigating circumstances could overcome or outweigh information gathered in the screening process.
2. The factors below will be taken into consideration when reviewing the conviction(s) for engaging in criminal activities. These factors are not the only allowable mitigating circumstances. CHAF may consider other mitigating circumstances as appropriate.

Providing documentation of mitigating circumstances as described below is the responsibility of the applicant. It is incumbent upon the applicant to provide documentation, evidence and any and all other third-party proof at any time, including but not limited, to the investigation interviews, appointments with the CHAF staff, at the time of the informal review or within the time limit set by the hearing officer to provide substantiating information challenging the recommendation to deny assistance.

Substance Abuse Rehabilitation

Upon determination by the hearing officer, hearing panel, or CHAF, whether to recommend denial or termination of assistance for illegal drug use or a pattern of illegal drug use by a household member who is no longer engaging in such use, or for abuse or a pattern of abuse of alcohol by a household member who is no longer engaging in such abuse, may consider whether such household member was remanded by the court and is participating in or has successfully completed a supervised drug or alcohol rehabilitation program, or has otherwise been rehabilitated successfully. For this purpose, CHAF shall require the applicant to submit evidence of the household member's current participation in, or successful completion of, a supervised drug or alcohol rehabilitation program or evidence of otherwise having been rehabilitated successfully.

Examples of mitigating circumstances may include:

- a) Evidence of successful rehabilitation. The household member who engaged in criminal activity successfully completed a diversion or deferral of judgment program; or has successfully completed a supervised drug or alcohol rehabilitation program verified by CHAF;
- b) Circumstances leading to the eviction or criminal activity no longer exist (for example, the criminal household member has died or is imprisoned);
- c) Evidence of the family's participation in social service or other appropriate counseling service; or
- d) Evidence of successful and sustained modification of previous disqualifying behavior.

PROPERTY SPECIFIC INFORMATION:

Pets Policy: We allow 2 pets per unit. Dogs must be 25 lbs. or less. We do not allow breeds that are classified as aggressive, including but not limited to American Pit Bull Terrier, American Staffordshire Terrier, Staffordshire Bull Terrier, Bull Terrier, Rottweiler, Jack Russell Terrier, Chow, Great Dane, Doberman Pincher, German Shepherd, Caucasian Ovcharka, Dogo Argentino, Saint Bernard, Fila Brasileiro, Perro De Presa Canario, Akita Inu, Husky, Bull Mastiff. The nonrefundable pet fee is \$250 per pet, plus an additional \$30 per month per pet. All pets must be listed on your application and registered with the office. We also require that immunizations are up to date and a photo of your pet for the file. Additional information and requirements are available on the Pet Addendum and may be reviewed prior to moving in by request.

Important Move-In Rent Policy

Please be advised that if your move-in date is after the 20th of the month, you will be required to pay rent for both the remainder of the current month **and** the full rent for the following month at the time of move-in.

Application fee: **\$100** per adult over the age of 18

Holding Deposit: **\$150**, may or may not be refundable*

Conditional Approval: Applicants who do not meet CHAF's standard screening criteria may be referred to OneApp for additional consideration. Applicants approved through OneApp may be required to pay fees directly to OneApp. Any fees charged by OneApp are separate from application fees, holding deposits, security deposits, rent, or other amounts due to CHAF. *Conditions may apply that would make deposit NOT refundable. An example would be cancelation of application by the applicant.

Occupancy Standards:

One Bedroom..... Two (2) Member Household

Two Bedroom..... Four (4) Member Household

Three Bedroom..... Six (6) Member Household

Important things to remember:

1. All applicants 18 years of age or older will be required to go through the application process and sign the lease as a lease holding resident.
2. Credit reports will not be printed at any time, nor are we permitted to discuss the reporting with the applicant.
3. All applicants will be notified immediately upon approval or denial with written results generated from the screening program. In addition, this approval/denial will be noted on your application at this time.
4. Holding deposits are not refundable during the application process or once you have been notified that your application has been approved.
5. Once an application has been submitted, all information, including copies of any verifications of income, identifications, residential history become property of the community and will be retained in accordance with the law of the governing State.
6. It is required to leave your ID Copy (we will make the copy) in the leasing office when touring the community.
7. You must move in within 30 days of the time you turn in your application.
8. We gladly accept agency move-in funds. However, please note that **full payment must be received at the time of move-in**, whether from the agency, the tenant, or a combination of both.

Tenants will not be permitted to move in until all required funds have been paid in full.

9. Your application is not considered "approved for occupancy" until all fees are paid, background check is approved, all income, asset and student information has been provided and your file have been cleared by CHAF's Compliance Department. _____ INITIALS

I acknowledge the receipt of this Statement of Qualifications document:

Applicant Signature: _____

Print name: _____

Date: _____

Applicant Signature: _____

Print name: _____

Date: _____

Applicant Signature: _____

Print name: _____

Date: _____

Applicant Signature: _____

Print name: _____

Date: _____



Contemporary Housing Alternatives of Florida, Inc.
5345 Laurel Place
Clearwater, FL 33760

Office Use Only

Leasing Agent:

I: Approved - Unit # _____ ☐ Declined
Date: _____

Security Application Fee Concession:
\$ _____ \$ _____ \$ _____

Lease Term _____ Monthly Rent _____

APPLICATION FOR RESIDENCY

I. Applicant

Applicant's Name: _____
Driver License #: _____ State: _____
Last Four SS #: XXX-XX- _____ Date of Birth: ____/____/____ (MM/DD/YY format ONLY)
Phone #: _____ Email: _____
Student Status: ☐ Full Time ☐ Part Time ☐ Not Student

Applicant's Marital Status: ☐ Married ☐ Separated ☐ Widowed ☐ Divorced ☐ Never Been Married

II. Other Household Members

List only children who are dependent of persons listed on this application:

Check Student Status:

Name: _____	Current Age: _____	DOB: ____/____/____	☐ F/T ☐ P/T ☐ Not Student
Name: _____	Current Age: _____	DOB: ____/____/____	☐ F/T ☐ P/T ☐ Not Student
Name: _____	Current Age: _____	DOB: ____/____/____	☐ F/T ☐ P/T ☐ Not Student
Name: _____	Current Age: _____	DOB: ____/____/____	☐ F/T ☐ P/T ☐ Not Student
Name: _____	Current Age: _____	DOB: ____/____/____	☐ F/T ☐ P/T ☐ Not Student
Name: _____	Current Age: _____	DOB: ____/____/____	☐ F/T ☐ P/T ☐ Not Student

- A) Are there any other household members NOT listed on this or a separate application (i.e., spouse, absent spouse, roommate, or other)?
☐ NO ☐ YES If yes, please explain: _____
- B) Does anyone in the household anticipate changes to "Student Status" within this calendar year? ☐ NO ☐ YES
If yes above, list name(s): _____ Anticipated Change(s): _____

III. Residency History

List the past two years of residency history. If additional space is needed, please use the back of the application:

Current Address: _____	Previous Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____	City, State, Zip: _____
From: ____/____/____ To: ____/____/____	From: ____/____/____ To: ____/____/____
☐ Rent ☐ Own ☐ Other _____	☐ Rent ☐ Own ☐ Other _____
Landlord's Name: _____	Landlord's Name: _____
Landlord's Phone #: _____ Rent Amount: _____	Landlord's Phone #: _____ Rent Amount: _____

IV. Employment History

Applicant's Current Employer:

Employer's Name: _____
Street Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____ Supervisor's Name: _____
Phone #: _____ Fax #: _____
Anticipated Gross Annual Income: _____ Hire Date: ____/____/____ (MM/DD/YY format)

As it relates to every household member individually, are there any imminent changes expected in financial status or employment status during the next 12 months?

☐ NO ☐ YES If yes, explain: _____

V. Other Sources of Income

Applicant's Other Income:

Source:		Gross Amount Received:	Frequency (mark one):
SSI/SSA:	☐ NO ☐ YES	\$ _____	☐ Monthly ☐ Quarterly ☐ Annually ☐ Other: _____
Retirement/Pension:	☐ NO ☐ YES	\$ _____	☐ Monthly ☐ Quarterly ☐ Annually ☐ Other: _____
Unemployment:	☐ NO ☐ YES	\$ _____	☐ Monthly ☐ Quarterly ☐ Annually ☐ Other: _____
Recurring Contribution:	☐ NO ☐ YES	\$ _____	☐ Monthly ☐ Quarterly ☐ Annually ☐ Other: _____
AFDC/TANF:	☐ NO ☐ YES	\$ _____	☐ Monthly ☐ Quarterly ☐ Annually ☐ Other: _____
Child Support or Alimony:	☐ NO ☐ YES	\$ _____	☐ Monthly ☐ Quarterly ☐ Annually ☐ Other: _____
Have Child Support Court Order	☐ NO ☐ YES	\$ _____	☐ Monthly ☐ Quarterly ☐ Annually ☐ Other: _____
Military Service	☐ NO ☐ YES	\$ _____	☐ Monthly ☐ Quarterly ☐ Annually ☐ Other: _____
Other:	☐ NO ☐ YES	\$ _____	☐ Monthly ☐ Quarterly ☐ Annually ☐ Other: _____

If other, list source: _____

VI. Household Assets

Does any household member on this application (including children) have a checking or savings account, IRA, CD, Bonds, Real Estate, or any other type of asset(s)?

☐ NO ☐ YES If yes, list type of asset and name of institution:

Applicant	Child	Type of Asset	Institution
☐	☐		
☐	☐		
☐			
☐	☐		
☐	☐		

Has anyone in your household disposed of any asset(s) in the past twenty-four (24) months?

☐ NO ☐ YES If yes, explain: _____

VII. General Information

Emergency Contact Information:

Contact Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone #: _____ 2nd Phone #: _____

Relationship: _____

Vehicle Information:

License Plate #: _____ State: _____

Make: _____ Type: _____ Color: _____

Other Information Needed:

Do you have pets? ☐ NO ☐ YES If yes, how many? _____
 What kind? _____ Weight: _____
 What kind? _____ Weight: _____

Did you hear about us from one of our residents? ☐ NO ☐ YES If yes, resident's name: _____ Unit # _____

Has anyone in your household been convicted of a felony? ☐ NO ☐ YES If yes, list name(s): _____

I hereby authorize _____ (Company) to make investigations to confirm the contents contained in this application for rental. Furthermore, I authorize investigations be extended or for subsequent investigations to be completed in connection with an update, lease renewal, recertification, extension or collections, with respect or in connection with the rental or lease of a residency for which this application was made. I understand that these investigations might include, but not necessarily be limited to: credit report, verifications of employment, past rental history, banking relations and criminal background check. I consent to these investigations and authorize and direct any employer (past or present), credit reporting agency, landlord, property management company, banking institution and law enforcement agency to release to the above mentioned Company without any liability therefore. Any information contained in the records concerning the undersigned applicant and knowledge and agree that any misrepresentation and/or omission of fact or detrimental information contained in this report shall constitute a default under the applicant's initial rental application/lease agreement and may, in the sole discretion of management, be grounds for denial of applicant's rental application or eviction proceedings. I further agree that the information contained in this application may be used in such investigation(s) and above mentioned Company shall be held harmless for any action or claim by me/us in connection with the use of the information contained herein or any investigation conducted by the above mentioned Company.

Credit Check Charge -- Applicant has to submit the sum of \$ _____ which is non-refundable payment for a credit check and processing charge, receipt of which is acknowledged by management. Such sum is not rental payment or deposit amount. In the event this application is approved or disapproved, this sum will be retained by management to cover the cost of processing application as furnished by applicant. Good Faith Deposit -- I hereby deposit \$ _____ with management as a good faith deposit in connection with this rental application. If my application is accepted, I understand this deposit can be applied towards payment of my security deposit of \$ _____ when I take possession of the apartment. If for any reason management decides to decline my application, the management will refund this good faith deposit in full. I understand I may cancel this application by written notice within twenty-four hours and receive a full refund of this good faith deposit within 30 days of the cancellation. If I cancel after twenty-four hours or refuse to occupy the premises on the agreed upon date, I understand this good faith deposit will be forfeited.

TITLE VII of the CIVIL RIGHTS ACT of 1966 makes discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex or national origin illegal in connection with the rental of most housing. The Federal agency, which administers compliance with this law concerning this company, is The Department of Housing and Urban Development. EQUAL CREDIT OPPORTUNITY ACT - The Federal Equal Opportunity Act prohibits creditors from discriminating against credit applications on the basis of sex or marital status. The federal agency, which administers compliance with this company's Equal Credit Opportunity, is The Federal Trade Commission, Washington, DC 20580.

Under penalty of perjury, I certify that the information presented in this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. The undersigned further understand(s) that providing false representations herein constitutes an act of fraud. False, misleading or incomplete information will result in denial of my application for residency or the immediate termination of the lease agreement.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: ____/____/____ (MM/DD/YY format ONLY)



ALL COMPLETED APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED IN PERSON BY APPOINTMENT ONLY.

Please call (727) 522-1504 or email our Housing Coordinator at nprofit@chafproperties.com for more information and to set up your appointment. **To ensure effective communication, please bring an interpreter if needed.**



NEW APPLICANT CHECKLIST ITEMS REQUIRED

\$

Household Last Name

Desired Move In Date

Verified Income
[Please Leave Blank]

1. **LAST TEN PAYCHECK STUBS** from your current job(s): NO screen shots, NO offer letters
2. **Divorce decree** – if applicable
3. **Child Support:** official Family Law Case History printed out from the courthouse (past 12 months)
4. **ANY** additional income (Social Security Letter, Family contribution, Pension ...must be of current month)
5. **REQUIRED ORIGINALS:** ID (adults only), **Social Security Cards** (all), **Birth Certificate** (children only)
6. **(TWO) SEPARATE MONEY ORDERS:** made payable to **CHAF Properties:**
(1) **APPLICATION FEE \$100.00** (per adult) + (1) **HOLDING FEE \$150.00**
7. **PETS:** A separate PET APPLICATION must be submitted. A separate non-refundable \$250 pet fee is required at lease signing. This is not a deposit. An additional pet rent charge of \$20.00 will be added to the current rent charge. Please provide the pet's full body photo, pet license and most current veterinarian records. Breed and Weight restrictions apply.

***** **ALL PAPERWORK MUST BE DATED WITHIN 120 DAYS OF YOUR MOVE-IN** *****

REQUESTED UNITS [choose 3 properties]:

All units have different programs attached. We will verify that your income will comply with the corresponding unit. We try our best to get you into the property of your choice. Sometimes that property will not work for your income, and we will offer alternatives if available.

____ (Your Initials HERE)

***** **BY INITIALING YOU TO ACKNOWLEDGE THAT WE ARE NOT INCOME BASED PROPERTIES** *****

HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT US? ☐ Resident Referral ☐ CHAF Website ☐ Facebook ☐ Other: _____

- DO NOT MARK BELOW THIS AREA - For CHAF Office Use ONLY

Property: _____ Unit Assigned: _____ Program: _____ Rent: \$: _____

Security Deposit Amount: \$ _____ ☐ Credit Ran / Score: _____

☐ Approved ☐ Conditional ☐ Denied ☐ OneApp

PET APPLICATION: ☐ NO pets ☐ E.S.A ☐ Pet # of Pets: _____ ☐ Pet Fee Collected P/P

Date Stamp Received: _____

Verification of Employment Income

Employer Name: _____ Phone: _____
Street Address: _____ Fax: _____
City, State, Zip: _____ E-mail: _____

The person listed below has made an application for residency in our community. This rental community requires documentation of income as part of the qualification process. The applicant has indicated that he/she is employed by your organization and has given us authorization to request the following needed information.

Employee Name: _____ SS#: XXX-XX-_____

Employee's Consent:

I authorize my employer to release the above requested information to the named community. I also understand that information provided by my employer will no way be considered a binding contract from my employer.

Employee Signature: _____ Title/Position: _____ Date: _____

Employers - please fully and clearly answer sections 1 through 5

1. Date of Hire: _____

2. Current Wages/Salary: \$ _____ ☐ If Hourly – Average Number Hours per Week _____
☐ Bi-weekly ☐ Weekly ☐ Semi-monthly
☐ Monthly ☐ Annually ☐ If other explain _____

3. Is overtime (OT) available? ☐ No ☐ Yes
If yes, OT rate \$ _____ Average Number Hours per Week _____

4. Are commissions, tips, bonuses, shift differential or any other income available?
☐ No ☐ Yes If yes, list amount \$ _____ (check one)
☐ Bi-weekly ☐ Weekly ☐ Semi-monthly
☐ Monthly ☐ Annually
☐ If other explain _____

5. Any pay increase anticipated in the next twelve months?
☐ No ☐ Yes If yes, enter effective date _____, % Increase _____%

Under penalty of perjury, I hereby certify that I am authorized to release this information and all payroll information for employees of the above-named company. In addition, I certify that the information supplied in this section is true and complete and it includes all anticipated income expected to be earned by this employee. Also, that I understand, that federal and state law prohibits employers from providing false or inaccurate income information.

Employer Signature: _____ Date: _____
Printed Name: _____ Phone: _____
Title: _____ E-mail: _____

This statement cannot be handled by the employee,
please fax, email, or mail from your office to the address shown on the coversheet.

Declaration of Child Support Income

Applicant's Name: _____

Unit Number: _____

Non-custodial parent's name: _____

List only child/children from the absent non-custodial parent listed above:

Child/Children Name: _____

A. Do you receive child support?

☐ No ☐ Yes

If yes, list amount \$ _____ (check one) ☐ Weekly ☐ Bi-weekly ☐ Semi-monthly
☐ Monthly ☐ Annually
☐ If other explain _____

If yes, is your child support ☐ voluntary or ☐ court ordered? *mark one option

If court ordered, date the order was established: _____ (MM/YY format required)

*Note: If court order was established less than 3 months ago, a copy of the court order is required.

Under penalty of perjury I hereby certify that all the above information is correct, and that I understand that failure to provide accurate information will result in denial of my application or immediate termination of my lease agreement. Furthermore I understand that the community for which application is being made is finance through a program governed by the Internal Revenue Services wherein qualification for occupancy requires that certain income, including child support be included and verified.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Printed Name: _____

Student Eligibility Declaration

Applicant's Name: _____

Unit Number: _____

This rental community has received funding from a program which does not generally allow occupancy by households comprised entirely of full-time students.

Did you attend school or university at any time during the current calendar year?

☐ No ☐ Yes Starting date: _____ Ending Date: _____

Do you plan to attend school or university next year and/or in the remainder of this year?

☐ No ☐ Yes Starting date: _____ Ending Date: _____

Based on the below definition and answers to the questions above, I am:

Full-time is defined as those that have attended, are attending, or who will attend public or private elementary schools, middle or junior high schools, senior high schools, colleges, universities, technical, trade, or mechanical schools (does not include those attending on-the-job training courses) for five months during the current calendar year (months need not be consecutive).

☐ Not a Student

☐ Part-Time Student Receiving rental assistance? ☐ No ☐ Yes *If yes, complete a Student Income Certification*

If all household members are students, provide from the school a completed Student Verification form

☐ Full-Time Student Receiving rental assistance? ☐ No ☐ Yes *If yes, complete a Student Income Certification*

When counting only \$480 of the full-time student's income, provide Student Verification form

Only when a Full-Time Student check which applies:

☐ At least one household member will be residing in the unit who is NOT a full-time student.

List such household member: _____

☐ I am married and entitled to a joint tax return

PLEASE PROVIDE: A signed copy of most recent tax return or copy of marriage certificate

☐ I am a single parent with child(ren), I am not a dependant of another individual and the child(ren) is/are not dependent(s) of someone other than a parent

PLEASE PROVIDE: A signed copy of most recent tax return

☐ Our household is currently receiving assistance under Title IV of the Social Security Act (e.g. AFDC or TANF)

PLEASE PROVIDE: A third-party verification of AFDC or TANF award

☐ I am a full-time student who previously was under the care and placement of a foster care program

PLEASE PROVIDE: Third party verification of participation of foster care program

☐ I am enrolled in a job training program receiving assistance under the Job Training Partnership Act (JTPA) or other similar federal, state, or local laws

PLEASE PROVIDE: A third-party verification of participation in such program and the programs mission statement

Under penalty of perjury, I certify that the information presented in this affidavit is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. The undersigned further understand(s) that providing false representations herein constitutes an act of fraud. False, misleading or incomplete information will result in the immediate termination of the lease agreement.

Applicant's Signature: _____

Date: _____

Printed Name: _____

Student Eligibility Questionnaire

For LIHTC Units with HOME and/or Sec 8

Applicant's Name: _____

Application for HOME and/or Sec 8? ☐ Yes ☐ No

LIHTC Student Definition - Full-time students are those attending or who will attend public or private elementary schools, middle or junior high schools, senior high schools, colleges, universities, technical, trade, or mechanical schools (does not include those attending on-the-job training courses) for five months during the current and/or upcoming calendar year (months need not be consecutive). If you graduated from school or university during the current calendar year, you are also considered full-time student.

HOME and/or Sec 8 Student Definition - A student is an individual who is enrolled as a student part-time or full-time at an institution of higher education, who is under the age of 24, not a veteran, not married, is not a person with disabilities, and does not have a dependent child.

Answer the questions in I through III below based on the student definitions above as applicable:

I. LIHTC

Did you graduate from school or university during the current calendar year? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Based on the definition above, is everyone in the household a full-time student? ☐ Yes ☐ No If "Yes," be sure to complete "A" below

II. HOME and/or Sec 8

Will you be moving into a HOME and/or Sec 8 unit?

☐ Yes ☐ No If "No", proceed to III

If "Yes", answer the next question

Based on the definition above, are you currently or do you anticipate becoming a student at an institution of higher education, full or part-time?

☐ Yes ☐ No If "No", household is eligible

If "Yes", be sure to complete "B" below

III. Are there any adult household members that are either full or part-time students? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If "Yes," the adult student(s) must complete a Student Income Certification.

A. Applicable Exemptions - Only complete if you answered "Yes" to question "I" above.

- ☐ I am married and entitled to a joint tax return.
- ☐ I am a single parent with child(ren), I am not a dependent of another individual and the child(ren) is/are not dependent(s) of someone other than a parent.
- ☐ I am a full-time student who previously was under the care of a foster care program and are currently transitioning into independent living.
- ☐ I do not meet any of the above exemptions and therefore are NOT eligible to reside in a LIHTC community that has HOME and/or Sec 8. However, do meet one of the following LIHTC exceptions:
 - ☐ At least one household member will be residing in the unit who is not a full-time student.
 - ☐ Our household is currently receiving assistance under Title IV of the Social Security Act (e.g. AFDC or TANF)
 - ☐ I am enrolled in a job training program receiving assistance under the Job Training Partnership Act (JTPA) or other similar federal, state, or local laws.

B. Applicable Exemptions - Only complete if you answered "Yes" to the second question in part "II" above.

1. Are you over 24 year of age? ☐ Yes ☐ No
2. Are you a veteran? ☐ Yes ☐ No
3. Are you married? ☐ Yes ☐ No
4. Do you have a dependent child living with you? ☐ Yes ☐ No
5. Are you a person with a disability and was receiving Section 8 assistance as of 11/30/2005? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If you answered yes to any of the questions above, skip questions 6-8 below. Otherwise, continue.

6. Are you or your parents eligible for Section 8 assistance? ☐ Yes ☐ No
7. Are you independent from your parents? ☐ Yes ☐ No
8. Are you receiving any financial assistance to help pay for your education? ☐ Yes ☐ No

A "Yes" answer to any of the above may require additional supporting documentation.

If "No" to all of the above, the household is ineligible to reside in an LIHTC unit with HOME and/or Sec 8.

Under penalty of perjury, I certify that the information presented in this affidavit is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. The undersigned further understand(s) that providing false representations herein constitutes an act of fraud. False, misleading or incomplete information will result in the immediate termination of the lease agreement.

Applicant's Signature: _____

Date: _____

RESIDENTIAL VERIFICATION

Date: _____

Landlord Name: _____ Landlord Phone: _____ Landlord Email: _____

*Please verify the following information for the purpose of approving an application for residency.
Please note the applicant has given this office permission to obtain this information.*

Tenant Name: _____

Current Address: _____

City, State & Zip Code: _____

I, _____ hereby authorize _____ to release information regarding my rental history to Contemporary Housing Alternatives of Florida, INC (CHAF Properties, INC) for the purpose of verifying my rental application.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

THIS SECTION BELOW IS TO BE COMPLETED BY THE CURRENT LANDLORD

Is this a current tenant? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Please indicate (1) of the following:

☐ Proper notice was given ☐ Tenant was given to vacate ☐ Deposit was refunded

Move-In Date: _____ Move-Out Date: _____ Rent Amount: _____

Number of late payments: _____ Any NSF's: _____ If so, how many? _____ Any 7-Day Notices? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Did you document any damage to the unit? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If so, please explain: _____

Any pets in the unit? ☐ Yes ☐ No If so, any damage caused by the pets? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Has the tenant ever had a bed bug or other pest infestation?

☐ No ☐ Yes, bed bugs eradicated within the last 3 months
☐ Yes, bed bugs eradicated more than 3 months ago ☐ Yes, bed bugs NOT eradicated (active infestation)
☐ Yes, other pest infestation ☐ Don't know

Current Account Standing:

☐ Paid in FULL ☐ Overdue ☐ Referred to Collections - \$ DUE: _____
☐ Eviction/Eviction Filled ☐ Other: _____

Would you rent to this tenant again? ☐ Yes ☐ No Total occupants in the unit: _____

Additional Comments: _____

Landlord please provide your information below:

Print Name

Signature

Title

Date

Race and Ethnic Data

OMB Approval No. 2502-0204

Reporting Form

(Exp. 06/30/2017)

Name of Property

Address of Property

Name of Owner/Managing Agent

Type of Assistance or Program Title:

Name of Head of Household

Name of Household Member

Date (mm/dd/yyyy):

Ethnic Categories*	Select One
Hispanic or Latino	
Not-Hispanic or Latino	
Racial Categories*	Select All that Apply
American Indian or Alaska Native	
Asian	
Black or African American	
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	
White	
Other	

*Definitions of these categories may be found on the reverse side.

There is no penalty for persons who do not complete the form.

Signature

Date

TENANT RELEASE AND CONSENT

I/WE _____ the undersigned, hereby authorize _____ to release without liability, information regarding my/our employment, income, and/or assets to **CHAF PROPERTIES** for purposes of verifying information provided as part of the apartment rental application or annual recertification.

INFORMATION COVERED

I/WE understand that previous or current information regarding me/us may be needed. Verifications and inquiries that may be requested include, but are not limited to personal identity; employment, income and assets; medical or childcare allowances. I/WE understand that this authorization cannot be used to obtain any information about me/us that is not pertinent to my eligibility for and continued participation as a Qualified Tenant.

GROUPS OR INDIVIDUALS THAT MAY BE ASKED

The group or individuals that may be asked to release the above information includes but are not limited to:

Past and Present Employers
Previous Landlords
Public Housing Agencies
Support and Alimony

Welfare Agencies
State Unemployment Agency
Social Security Administration
Medical/Child Care Providers

Veterans Administration
Retirement Systems
Banks and Others
Financial Institutions

CONDITIONS

I/WE agree that a photocopy of this authorization may be used for the purposes stated above. The original of this authorization is on file and will stay on file for one year and one month from the date signed. I/WE understand that I/WE have a right to review this file and correct any information that I/WE can prove is correct.

SIGNATURES

_____ Head of Household Signature	_____ (Print Name)	_____ Date
_____ Spouse Signature	_____ (Print Name)	_____ Date
_____ Adult Member Signature	_____ (Print Name)	_____ Date

NOTE: THIS GENERAL CONSENT MAY NOT BE USED TO REQUEST A COPY OF A TAX RETURN. IF A COPY OF A TAX RETURN IS NEEDED THE IRS FORM 4506 "REQUEST FOR COPY OF TAX FORM" MUST BE PREPARED AND SIGNED SEPARATELY.