

Applicant FAQ #1

Section 8 Frequently Asked Questions

How can I sign up for the Housing Choice Voucher Program (Section 8)?

Individuals and families can only apply for the Housing Choice Voucher Program when the waiting list opens.

YCH Section 8 waiting list is currently closed.
YCH is not accepting applications at this time.

When YCH plans to open the section 8 waiting list, an announcement will be made on YCH's website, www.YCHA.org, in the local newspapers of Yolo County, and with local community-based organizations.

Call (530) 662-5428 or log on to www.YCHA.org periodically to find out if YCH is accepting applications for Section 8, public housing or other affordable housing programs.

When YCH accepts applications, applicants will be selected from the waiting list by a weighted preference system and their order on the waiting list. To receive assistance, the applicant's total household income must be at or below HUD's *Income Limits for Yolo County*. Information on YCH's Income Limits is available on www.YCHA.org or by request. Yolo County Housing is required by HUD to provide Vouchers only for extremely low-income and low-income families.

Note: 75% of all Vouchers issued by YCH must be for extremely low-income families.