

Housing for a Healthy California Program Article I National Housing Trust Fund Allocation 2020 Notice of Funding Availability

Question	Answer
1.) Q. How to input rents for the HHC Program?	A. When completing Universal Application (UA), under rent tab, select "Other" not TCAC and then manually enter the rent limits into row 142 (30%). The rent limits can be accessed through the 2019-NHTF-Rent-Limits (https://www.hcd.ca.gov/grants-funding/income-limits/state-and-federal-income-limits/docs/2019-NHTF-Rent-Limits.pdf). For rents below 30% the applicant should use the appropriate rent schedule that is acceptable for its other funding sources.
2.) Q. Why is the HHC COSR draw not populating anywhere on the UA Cash Flow Tab?	A. The UA has been recently updated and it is available on the HHC website. This issue has been resolved in the updated UA.
3.) Q. Should we use 2019 or 2020 Rent Limits while completing HHC application?	A. You should use 2019 rent limits. The link to access NHTF 2019 rent limits is provided under Answer #1 above.
4.) Q. Can HHC funds be used for acquisition and rehabilitation project?	A. No, HHC funds can be used for acquisition and/or new construction. Rehabilitation is not an eligible activity under this NOFA. Please refer to the HHC NOFA 2020, page 2 (section B.1).