



CATHOLIC CHARITIES HAWAII

Emergency Rental Assistance Programs

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GENERAL ELIGIBILITY



- Households at or below 80% of the area median income
- Household has experienced financial hardship from COVID
- At least one person demonstrates a risk of experiencing homelessness or housing instability:
 - ❖ A past due utility or rent notice or an eviction notice
 - ❖ Unsafe or unhealthy living conditions
 - ❖ Other evidence of such risk as determined by the County

ELIGIBLE EXPENSES

- Rent/utility bills between March 13, 2020, and December 31, 2021
- Prospective payments for approved applications can be considered if there is funding and the household shows future hardship and housing instability
- Help for up to 12 months of payments



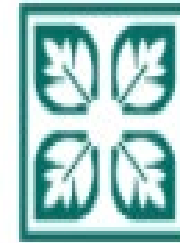
CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU RENTAL AND UTILITY RELIEF PROGRAM

For Oahu renters only

How to apply: Visit oneoahu.org/renthelp

One application per household. One lease equals one household

Landlords and property managers can apply on behalf of the renter with renter's consent



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- If the program is paused, visit [oneoahu.org/renthelp](https://www.oneoahu.org/renthelp) to sign up for reopening email
- FAQ and how to apply webinar are on the webpage to help the community prepare to apply

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Rental & Utility Relief Program

Rental and Utility Relief Program is Currently Paused

The City and County of Honolulu's Rental and Utility Relief Program is now temporarily closed for new applications to process the first 12,000 applications; 8,000 from the April 3rd opening and 4,000 from the May 3rd re-opening.

The RURP program will reopen again on Monday, June 7th, 2021. For additional resources, please visit <https://www.oneoahu.org/resources>.

For those that successfully applied in this round on May 3rd, you can expect to receive an email within 7 business days to inform you of next steps.

[Frequently Asked Questions](#)

Please leave your name and email address if you wish to be notified when this program reopens. You will be notified from kokua@hawaiiancouncil.org. Please continue to check your email including your Spam Folder for confirmation. Mahalo!

Email Address * * indicates required

RENT HELP ON OTHER ISLANDS/COUNTIES

- **Hawai'i County:** Visit HawaiiCountyERAP.org
- **Kaua'i County:** Visit kauairenthelp.com or contact rent@kgefcu.org
- **Maui County:** Visit mauicounty.gov/MauiRentHelp



HELP US HELP YOU

- Patience - an application takes time to process
- Accuracy of information
 - Example: name, address, email or phone number has a typo
 - CCH has no way of contacting applicant for follow up
- Do not submit blurry pictures of documents or pictures with shadows
- Check your emails – sometimes emails go to your spam or junk folders



ANY QUESTIONS?

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