



To: Real Estate Department Partners

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From: Real Estate Department

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Re: Final Housing First Program Manual and RFQ Posted

IHCDA has released the final version of the [Indiana Housing First Program: Application Process & Compliance Requirements manual](#). The Indiana Housing First Program was established in 2017 to provide rental assistance and support services to individuals and families with a serious persistent mental illness, a chronic chemical addiction, or a serious and persistent mental illness with a co-occurring chronic chemical addiction, who are also facing a housing crisis, exiting a residential treatment program, or could exit a residential treatment program with access to affordable housing and support services. Program regulations may be found in [Indiana Code 5-20-9](#).

In addition, IHCDA has released the [RFQ for the Housing First Program](#). Responses to the RFQ must be submitted by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on February 26, 2018.

IHCDA will host an informational webinar to explain the policy and RFQ from 2:00 – 3:00 p.m. Eastern Time on Wednesday, February 7, 2018. You may register using the following link: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/3477984365331452675>.

Questions about the Housing First Program and RFQ responses should be directed to Zachary Gross, Supportive Housing Manager, via zagross@ihcda.in.gov.



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