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GENERAL NEWS

HUD Publishes Notice of Modified System of Records

Today in the *Federal Register*, HUD’s Office of Public and Indian Housing ([PIH](#)) published a [notice](#) of a modified system of records. Specifically, the notice amends and replaces the current system of records titled Inventory Management System/PIH Information Center ([IMS/PIC](#)) with one that encompasses both the IMS/PIC and the Housing Information Portal ([HIP](#)) systems. It also adds three new routine uses and a new collection authority. According to the notice, the system name is changing from IMS/PIC to IMS/PIC–HIP because HUD is adding functionality from HIP to the IMS/PIC system. The existing scope, objectives, business processes, and uses being made of the data by HUD remains unchanged. You’ll find an explanation of the updates in the Supplementary Section of the notice. Comments will be accepted on or before **February 8, 2024**.

PH PROGRAM NEWS

PHA 5-Year and PHA Annual Plan Modules Will Be Open for Testing

In an [email](#) yesterday via HUD’s Financial Management Division (FMD) [mailing list](#), the Office of Public and Indian Housing ([PIH](#)) announced that the PHA 5-Year and PHA Annual Plan modules will be open for testing only from January 30, 2024, through March 29, 2024. According to the announcement, this means anything submitted will be deleted by March 29, 2024, and will not be considered official data. The modules will provide PHAs with the ability to create and submit PHA plans and related certifications. These modules are applicable to all PHAs (Standard, Troubled, High-Performer, Small, Housing Choice Voucher, and Qualified). PHAs will need to complete different variations of the HUD-50075 and certifications.

For guidance on how to complete the PHA 5-year and PHA annual plan, review Notice [PIH-2015-18](#), “Availability of New and Revised Public Housing Agency (PHA) Five-Year and Annual Plan Templates and Other Forms”, which provides clarification on the categories of PHAs and the corresponding 5-year PHA plan submission requirements.

The email includes the [PHA 5-Year Plan User Guide](#) and the [PHA Annual Plan User Guide](#). Additionally, HUD is hosting two training sessions. The dates and times are as follows:

- Tuesday, January 30 at 10:30 a.m. Eastern time (click [here](#) to join)
- Wednesday, January 31 at 1:30 p.m. Eastern time (click [here](#) to join)



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