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HCV PROGRAM NEWS

HUD to Host Webinar on Mobility Best Practices

On the [HCV program trainings and resources](#) webpage, the Department of Housing and Urban Development ([HUD](#)) announced that it will host a webinar titled “HCV Utilization - Mobility Best Practices,” which will discuss some of the many opportunities to leverage HCV policies and funding to help families expand their housing options. The topics to be covered are as follows:

- An update on the [Community Choice Demonstration](#), which is building evidence about what works best for housing mobility services at eight PHA sites
- [Notice PIH 2022-18](#), which describes using administrative fees in a variety of ways that can help families access more neighborhoods
- [Notice PIH 2023-23](#), which describes expanded uses of the EHV services fee, including for housing mobility services to encourage moves to high opportunity neighborhoods
- Using SAFMRs and exception payment standards in opportunity areas
- PHA administrative policies, like voucher search time and portability streamlining, and partnerships to help families access more neighborhoods
- Ensuring effective operations to help encourage landlord participation

The webinar is scheduled for Thursday, **November 16, 2023**, at 2:00 p.m. Eastern time. To register, click [here](#). The HCV Utilization webinar series is intended to help Housing Choice Voucher ([HCV](#)) program administrators learn about the latest HCV resources, program guidance, policy changes, and best practices in HCV administration. You can watch previous webinars [here](#).



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