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PD&R to Hold Quarterly Update Panel on Climate and Housing

HUD's Office of Policy Development and Research ([PD&R](#)) has announced that it will be holding a [quarterly update event](#) focused on climate and housing. As the announcement states:

With a portfolio of 4.5 million public and assisted housing units and its work in the development and preservation of affordable housing, HUD plays a key role in how the nation responds to changing climate. Additionally, the Department invests billions of dollars every year in housing, infrastructure, and services in neighborhoods and cities across the U.S. through its ever-increasing role in disaster recovery and risk mitigation. As households and communities face challenges such as hurricanes, wildfires, drought, extreme heat and cold, and thawing permafrost, we are increasingly searching for ways to mitigate and prevent climate impacts.

The event will bring together experts to discuss topics including relocation, decarbonization and housing affordability, disparities in climate risks, and health impacts of climate change. It will be held virtually on Thursday, September 22, 2022, from 2:00 to 3:50 p.m. Eastern time. For more information, click [here](#). To register, click [here](#).

HUD Posts Upcoming National Fair Housing Training Academy Events

On the [HUD Exchange webpage](#), the Department of Housing and Urban Development ([HUD](#)) has [posted](#) the schedule of upcoming National Fair Housing Training Academy ([NFHTA](#)) events through December 2022. Click [here](#) to view the schedule, course descriptions, and more.

The NFHTA was launched in July 2019 to prepare fair housing advocates, lawyers, investigators, and other stakeholders on effective strategies and techniques for addressing discriminatory housing policies and practices throughout the nation.



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