Housing Assistance

THRIVE

Tools to Help Residents In a Vulnerable Economy

The THRIVE program was designed and created by Housing Assistance to address housing affordability and increase empowerment for households on Cape Cod.

A solution for households living and working on Cape Cod.

Given the long waitlist for housing subsidies, households who are currently unable to afford the cost of housing have no other program that offers continuous assistance over time. Without additional assistance, households under 100% AMI will be unable to continue living and working on Cape Cod due to the increasing gap between wages and housing costs.

With THRIVE, approved households would have a fixed, shallow monthly rental subsidy, paired with required ongoing work with staff through our HUD Certified Housing Counseling Program with the goal of setting goals and working on financial empowerment. The program is available for a 12-24 month period.

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Eligibility Criteria

Currently,our program is limited to households with at least one person who works in one of these industries:

CHILDCARE
DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES
EDUCATION
NONPROFIT

Additionally, applicants must:

- Be invested in working with a Housing Counselor to work on financial goals
- Be currently paying more than 30% of their income towards rent
- Have a written lease or rental agreement
- Be living in a unit that is not currently subsidized through another program or owned by a relative, unless approved through admin review

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