

Bergen County United Way/Madeline Housing Partners

Authorization for Release of Information

Consent

I authorized and direct any Federal, State or local agency, organization, business, or individual to release to **Bergen County United Way/Madeline Housing Partners** any information or material needed to complete and verify my application for tenancy at **1255 Inwood Terrace, Fort Lee, NJ**. I understand and agree that this authorization or the information obtained with its use may be given to and used by the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) or the NJ Department of Community Affairs (DCA) in determining possible rental assistance.

Information Covered

I understand that, depending on the program polices and requirements, previous or current information regarding myself may be needed. Verifications and inquires that may be requested include, but are not limited to:

- Identity and marital status
- Residences and rental activity
- Credit and criminal activity
- Employment income and assets
- Social Security benefits
- Medical or child care allowances

Groups or Individuals That May Be Asked

The groups or individual(s) that may be asked include, but are not limited to:

- Previous landlords
- Schools and/or Colleges
- Social Security Administration
- Banks and other financial institutions
- County Welfare Agencies
- Law enforcement agencies
- Past and present employers
- Utility companies
- Social services providers

Computer Matching Notice and Consent

I understand and agree that HUD, NJ DCA, or the Bergen County United Way/Madeline Housing Partners may conduct computer matching programs to verify the information supplied for my application or recertification. If a computer match is done, I understand that I have the right to a notification of any adverse information found and an opportunity to disprove incorrect information. HUD or NJ DCA may in the course of its duties exchange such automated information with other Federal, State, or local agencies, including but not limited to: State Employment Security Agencies, Department of Defense, Office of Personnel Management, the U.S. Postal Service, The Social Security Administration, and State Welfare and Food Stamp agencies.

Conditions

I agree that a photocopy of this authorization may be used for the purposes stated above. The original of this authorization is on file with the Bergen County United Way/Madeline Housing Partners and will stay in effect for the life of tenancy. I understand that I have the right to review my file and correct any information that I can prove is incorrect.

Signature

Applicant

Print name

Date