

PUBLIC NOTICE
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

ATTN: MOBILE APPLICATION FOR IPHONE AND IPAD

The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development has unveiled the first housing discrimination mobile application (app) for iPhone and iPad. The app uses the latest technology to provide you, the public,

1. with a quick and easy way to hear about your housing rights and how to file housing discrimination complaints and inform the housing industry about its responsibilities under Fair Housing Act.

<http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/program_offices/fair_housing_equal_opp/FHLaws/yourrights>

2. The app will also be an important tool to assist fair housing groups and other civil rights advocacy organizations in their efforts to help individuals pursue their housing rights and industry to educate their members on their responsibilities.
3. In addition to facilitating real-time delivery of housing discrimination complaints to HUD, the app can be used by individuals researching their housing rights after a natural disaster, when power outages make the iPhone/iPad one of the few ways to access the internet.
4. The app also provides information about the fair housing complaint process, and allows the public to access HUD's toll free discrimination hotline and link to HUD's fair housing website.

<http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/program_offices/fair_housing_equal_opp>

In conjunction with the fair housing mobile application, FHEO has released HTML5 adaptive mobile pages, which are in English and Spanish and allow web content to display properly regardless of the brand of smartphone or tablet being used. In addition, the adaptive mobile pages allow individuals to complete and submit the fair housing complaint form in Spanish.

Need More information - here are additional links:

On Internet at www.hud.gov<<http://www.hud.gov/>> and <http://espanol.hud.gov><<http://espanol.hud.gov/>>

[twitter@HUDnews](http://twitter.com/#!/HUDNews)<<http://twitter.com/#!/HUDNews>>

On Facebook at www.facebook.com/HUD<<http://www.facebook.com/HUD>>