

NOTICE OF PORTABILITY

1. “Portability” is a family’s ability to rent a dwelling unit outside the jurisdiction of the initial PHA and receive Section 8 tenant-based assistance.
2. A participating family may request to receive tenant-based voucher assistance to lease a unit outside the initial PHA jurisdiction, anywhere in the USA in the jurisdiction of a PHA with a tenant-based assistance program.
3. Klamath Housing Authority prohibits **any** moves by a family during the initial lease-up term (12 months).
4. The KHA will deny permission to move if the receiving PHA will not absorb and/or the receiving PHA’s Fair Market Rent is in excess of the KHA’s Fair Market Rent. There will be no exceptions to this policy.
5. A family MUST be income-eligible for admission in the area where the family initially leases a unit.
6. If the family is a participant in the initial HA program, the family must meet the receiving HA eligibility requirements for the program.
7. For continued assistance in the same program, income eligibility is not re-determined.
8. If neither the household head nor spouse of an assisted family has a legal domicile residence in the KHA jurisdiction at the date of their initial application for assistance, the family will not be permitted to exercise portability upon initial issuance of a voucher.
9. When the family wishes to move to another jurisdiction, the family MUST provide written notice of their request to transfer along with the name and address of the Housing Authority that has jurisdiction in the area the family is moving to.
10. The family MUST promptly contact the receiving HA, and comply with the receiving HA procedures for incoming portable families.

The Klamath Housing Authority has fully explained my portability options and I understand that I may move under portability subjects to Federal Regulations and PHA policy. I have received a copy of this form.

Head of Household Signature _____ Date _____

Staff Signature _____ Date _____