

## Steps for FSS Program Enrollment

1. Attend an FSS orientation;
2. Complete an Application & Pre-Enrollment Form;
3. Develop your Action Plan with the assistance of an FSS Coordinator;
4. Sign the FSS Contract of Participation;
5. Implement your FSS Action Plan;
6. Monitor, evaluate and modify the Action Plan as appropriate;
7. Seek and Maintain Suitable Employment;
8. Successfully complete the FSS program.



## *Family Self-Sufficiency Program*

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# Family Self-Sufficiency Program (FSS)

This program is available to all current Housing Choice Voucher (Section 8) and Public Housing Residents





## About the Family Self-Sufficiency Program (FSS)

- The FSS Program is a voluntary program designed to assist families in achieving economic independence through education and planning.

WHO CAN ENROLL?

ANSWER: THE HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

- The FSS program is open to all Housing Choice Voucher Program Participants and Public Housing Low Rent Residents who are:

MOTIVATED TO CHANGE THEIR LIFE!

- Willing to seek and maintain employment;
- Interested in developing a plan to direct their goals;
- Determined and committed to become free from government assistance.

### Support Services Available

The FSS Program provides individual case management and collaboration with other agencies and service providers to address a wide range of family challenges:

- Childcare;
- Budgeting;
- Credit Repair;
- Parenting;
- Job Search;
- Interviewing;
- Motivation;
- Reduce Stress;
- Health/Nutrition;
- Education;
- Self-Esteem;
- Homeownership

### The FSS Escrow Account

This is a savings account set up in your name by the Housing Authority. Deposits are made to the account when you report an increase to your earned income that increases your rent. Gainfully employed participants that are free from cash welfare assistance (TANF) for 12 consecutive months prior to graduation, will receive the escrow funds upon successful program exit.



## Family Self-Sufficiency Program Interest Form

### What is your current income status?

- Currently no income;
- Welfare/TANF/SSI;
- Currently Part-Time Employed;
- Currently Full-Time Employed.

### What is your current household status?

- Single Adult with Children;
- Single Adult;
- Co-Adult with Children.

### What is your goal for the program?

- Homeownership;
- Full-time Employment;
- Continued Education.

### How were you made aware of the program?

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Name(please Print)

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Address

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Phone Number

