

SUPPLEMENTAL MHSA HOUSING PROGRAM ASSIGNMENT AGREEMENT

MHSA Housing Program
_____ (name of County¹)

_____ (name of County) (the County) agrees to participate in the state-administered Mental Health Services Act (MHSA) Housing Program funded from the Community Services and Supports component of the MHSA Three-Year Program and Expenditure Plan. The MHSA Housing Program will be jointly administered by the Department of Mental Health (DMH) and the California Housing and Finance Agency (CalHFA).

The County agrees that upon its approval of this Assignment, in addition to any funds previously assigned,

\$ _____ (specific funding amount) of the County's State Fiscal Year _____ (fill in Fiscal Year) Community Services and Supports funds, from the undistributed planning estimate amount, will be transferred by DMH, on behalf of the County, to CalHFA. Specifically, funds in the amount specified will be transferred from the Mental Health Services Fund to the Housing Support Account, item 4440-601-0942. DMH will then transfer these funds to CalHFA for the MHSA Housing program.

CalHFA will hold the funds transferred in a County specific sub-account, invest the funds in an appropriate investment vehicle as determined by CalHFA, and credit the county sub-account with interest received on the investment. The County may access MHSA Housing Program funds only through an MHSA Housing Program Application approved by CalHFA and DMH which is an update to the County's Three-Year Program and Expenditure Plan.

CalHFA is responsible for the review of the application for all aspects of the Housing Development related to purchase, renovation and/or construction of the housing; underwriting of loans; disbursement of funds; all determinations regarding the use of operating subsidies for the Housing Development; and continued monitoring.

DMH is responsible for review of the supportive services-related aspects of the application and for monitoring of the program to assure that appropriate supportive services continue to be provided.

Nothing shall prohibit the County from using funds from other programs to supplement MHSA Housing Program funds, subject to requirements applicable to use of such funds. This Supplemental Assignment shall be effective only upon approval by DMH, and only if the County has a fully executed MHSA Agreement with DMH.

Approved for County (by signature)	Date:
Printed Name and Title:	

¹ "County" may be a county mental health program, two or more counties acting jointly, or a city-operated mental health program pursuant to Welfare and Institutions Code section 5701.5.