

12/08/21 - City of Chicago and State of Illinois reopen Rent Assistance Programs

The City of Chicago's Department of Housing and the Illinois Rental Payment Program have both begun accepting applications for rental assistance, but both programs have a limited application period, so it is worth alerting clients who might be helped by these programs as soon as possible.

The Chicago Illinois Department of Housing is accepting applications **through December 18** from Chicago tenants and landlords. For more information, go to the City's [Emergency Rental Assistance Program webpage](#).

The Illinois Rental Payment Program is accepting applications **through January 9**. The application and more information are available at illinoishousinghelp.org or through a service provider that can provide application help. A list of service providers throughout the city and their contact info is available [here](#).