



CVR to Open Levister Towers Project-Based Voucher Waiting list

CVR New York opens list for subsidized units at Levister Towers in Mt. Vernon for limited time with online application ONLY

WHITE PLAINS, February 26, 2018 – CVR New York, as Local Administrator for New York State Homes and Community Renewal (NYSHCR), will open the waiting list for the Project-Based Voucher (PBV) program at Levister Towers. The Levister Towers PBV program waiting list will be open 9:00 a.m., February 26, 2018, through 5:00 p.m., March 2, 2018 with a new online application process. Disabled applicants who miss the March 2 deadline will have until April 2 to request an application as a reasonable accommodation. The PBV program provides rental assistance for families living in 250 apartments located at Levister Towers in Mt. Vernon.

The waiting list for the PBV program at Levister Towers was closed on January 15, 2012. CVR is now re-opening the waiting list as the existing waiting list is nearing exhaustion. Applicants who are placed on the waiting list will be screened for eligibility and referred to Levister Towers Property Management as the PBV units become vacant in Levister Towers.

The online application will be available beginning February 26, 2018 at applicantportal.cvrnewyork.com, and all applicants will have an equal chance to receive assistance, regardless of the time and date they apply while the waiting list is open. Interested families and individuals may apply 24 hours a day using a computer or mobile device with Internet access. Applicants will be required to have a valid, working email address. Free email accounts are widely available online, and free Internet access is available at all Westchester County public libraries. No paper applications will be handed out or accepted in person, or by mail, email, or fax.

At the end of the application period, CVR will allow 30 days for disabled applicants who missed the application deadline to request an application as a reasonable accommodation. Following this 30 period, CVR will use a randomized computer lottery process to select 1,600 applicants for placement on the Project-Based Voucher Waiting List. There is no guarantee that any family who applies will be placed on the waiting list or selected to receive a subsidized unit at Levister Towers.

The waiting list for the Housing Choice Voucher (HCV) program administered by CVR New York closed in September 2011. There are no plans to re-open that list at this time. It should be emphasized that only the Project-Based Voucher Waiting List for Levister Towers is opening at this time, not the HCV program waiting list.

Staff will provide support to applicants at 914-995-3011 or by email at info@cvrnewyork.com, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., every day during the application period. In order to receive the best service, applicants are advised to call this number and should not come to and/or contact the CVR New York offices.

Applicants must have annual household incomes that do not exceed the following limits established by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

HUD INCOME GUIDELINES

1 Family member: \$39,000.00	5 Family members: \$60,200.00
2 Family members: \$44,600.00	6 Family members: \$64,650.00
3 Family members: \$50,150.00	7 Family members: \$69,100.00
4 Family members: \$55,700.00	8 Family members: \$73,550.00

For more information, please contact us at info@cvrnewyork.com.

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