

Payment Standards

For the Northampton Housing Authority's Jurisdiction

Belchertown, Chesterfield, Cummington, Easthampton, Florence, Goshen, Hatfield, Haydenville, Huntington, Leeds, Middlefield, South Hadley, Sunderland, Westhampton, & Williamsburg

Fair Market Rents for Springfield MSA

Sunderland, Southwick, Hatfield, Hadley, South Hadley, Granby, Pelham, Ware, Blandford, Tolland, Montgomery, Russell, Granville, Westfield, Southwick, Holyoke, West Springfield, Brimfield, Agawam, Longmeadow, East Longmeadow, Springfield, Chicopee, Ludlow, Wilbraham, Hampden, Palmer, Monson & Wales

| Bedroom Size | 2022 FMR | 2023 FMR | 2022 Payment Standard** | 2023 Payment Standard*** | Increase in Payment Standard |
|-----------------|-------------|-------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Efficiency | \$727 | \$818 | \$872 | \$981 | \$109 |
| 1 | \$874 | \$987 | \$1048 | \$1184 | \$136 |
| 2 | \$1094 | \$1223 | \$1312 | \$1467 | \$155 |
| 3 | \$1353 | \$1497 | \$1623 | \$1796 | \$173 |
| 4 | \$1623 | \$1799 | \$1947 | \$2158 | \$211 |

^{*}HUD Waiver Granted for up to 110% for 2022 Calendar year only.

^{**2022} Payment Standard at 120% of 2020FMR

^{***2023} Payment Standard at 120% of 2022FMR



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FAMILY CHOICE IN RENTS

HUD Regulations and NHA Policy provide that families may choose to pay either:

- a. Rent based on the income of the family (which includes the minimum rent, if applicable),
- b. Rent based on a "Ceiling" or "Flat Rent" (maximum rent charged to a family). This rate is determined by rents in Northampton for similar sized apartments with similar amenities, and the costs of operating the development.

McDonald House

| Bedroom Size | 2023 (effective: 11/1/2022) Flat Rents | 2022 Flat Rents: | Change in Flat Rent | |
|--------------|--|---------------------|------------------------|--------|
| 1 Bedroom | \$ 987.00 | \$ 874.00 | \$ | 113.00 |
| 2 Bedroom | \$ 1,223.00 | \$ 1,094.00 | \$ | 129.00 |

Florence Heights

| Bedroom Size | 2023 (effective: 11/1/2022) Flat Rents | 2022 Flat Rents: | hange in lat Rent |
|--------------|--|---------------------|--------------------------|
| 2 Bedroom | \$ 1,223.00 | \$ 1,094.00 | \$ 129.00 |
| 3 Bedroom | \$ 1,497.00 | \$ 1,353.00 | \$ 144.00 |
| 4 Bedroom | \$ 1,799.00 | \$ 1,623.00 | \$ 176.00 |

Utility allowances are provided to residents at Florence Heights. Residents who choose to pay the Flat Rent will not be required to have an annual re-certification of their incomes, but each year the Flat Rent may change. Residents may opt for the other rent calculation method at any time based on changing family circumstances.

| Print Name | Signature | Date |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------|
| I choose the lesser of the t | two options. | |
| I choose to base my rent of | on the NHA's Flat Rent. | |
| I choose to have my rent of | determined based on 30% of my income. | |

