



Section 3 Worker Preference Claim/Income Certification

What does "Section 3 Worker" mean?

Section 3 worker means any worker who currently fits or when hired within the past five years fit at least one of the following categories, as documented: (I) The worker's income for the previous or annualized calendar year is below the income limit established by HUD. (II) The worker is employed by a Section 3 business concern. (III) The worker is a YouthBuild participant.

What does "Targeted Section 3 Worker" mean?

A **Targeted Section 3 worker** for Public Housing Financial Assistance projects is a Section 3 worker who: (I) Is employed by a Section 3 business concern; or (II) Currently fits or when hired at least one of the following categories, as documented within the past five years: A resident of public housing or Section 8-assisted housing; A resident of other public housing projects or Section 8-assisted housing managed by the PHA that is providing the assistance; or A YouthBuild participant.

To determine if you are a Section 3 Worker or Targeted Section 3 Worker, please answer the following questions.

Are you a legal resident of Miami-Dade County (MDC)?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Are you a public housing resident / living in a public housing unit?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Are you a Section 8 Voucher holder / living in a Section 8 or subsidized unit?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Are you a HUD Youthbuild program participant?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Do you receive federal, or public assistance?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Is your Section 3 Worker's income for the previous or annualized calendar year at or below the income limit established by HUD for Low- or Very Low-Income listed below?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>

Miami-Dade County - FY 2025 Income Limits								
Area Median Income (AMI) for Miami-Dade County: \$87,200				Effective Date: April 01, 2025				
Family Size	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Very Low (50% of AMI)	\$43,400	\$49,550	\$55,750	\$61,950	\$66,950	\$71,900	\$76,850	\$81,800
Low (80% of AMI)	\$69,400	\$79,300	\$89,200	\$99,100	\$107,050	\$115,000	\$122,900	\$130,850

The Miami Dade County's (MDC) income limits for Very Low- and Low- income families are updated annually by HUD. The MDC income limits can also be found on PHCD's website at: <https://www8.miamidade.gov/global/housing/income-limits.page>. Only Section 3 Businesses pre-certified by HCD can claim a Section 3 Business contracting preference.

Section 3 Worker/ Targeted Section 3 Worker Certification

Print Name:	Social Security # (last 4- digits):
Address:	
Email Address:	Phone #
Employed by:	
What is your previous year or current annualized calendar year income; \$ _____	
Is your previous or current annualized calendar year income at or below the income limit established by HUD? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	

I have attached one of the following documents as proof of my status:

- Proof of residency in a Public Housing, Section 8, or any other federally assisted housing program.
- Proof of income (Tax returns, W-2'S, or most recent paystubs).
- Proof of participation in a HUD YOUTHBUILD program.

I certify to the best of my knowledge that the information contained here within, and in the documents attached, is true and correct.

Print Name	Title	Signature	Date

Completed application and required documentation should be emailed to Section3@miamidade.gov, or faxed to 786-469-4151.



Warning: Title 18, US Code Section 1001, states that a person who knowingly and willingly makes false or fraudulent statements to any Department or Agency of the United States is guilty of a felony. State law may also provide penalties for false or fraudulent statements.