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SECTION 8 VOUCHERS IMMEDIATELY AVAILABLE FOR NURSING HOME RESIDENTS WHO WISH TO LIVE IN THE COMMUNITY

NEW HAMPSHIRE – Section 8 Rental Assistance Vouchers are immediately available for eligible persons currently living in a nursing home who would prefer to live in a community.

The New Hampshire Housing Finance Authority announced that there is no waiting list for these vouchers.

The Section 8 Voucher Program is a subsidy to help eligible participants pay for the cost of renting or, in some cases, paying a mortgage. Many landlords throughout the state accept these vouchers and there are a variety of organizations that help participants find housing.

Persons living in a nursing home who interested in returning to the community may contact Patricia Vincent at the Institute on Disability by calling (800) 238-2048 or e-mailing pvincent@cisunix.unh.edu or Anda Tubalkain at the New Hampshire Housing Finance Authority at (800) 439-7247 Ext. 9297 or by e-mailing atubalkain@nhhfa.org.

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