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Safe & Healthy Homes Investment Partnership

**HUD's Office of Healthy Homes &
Lead Hazard Control
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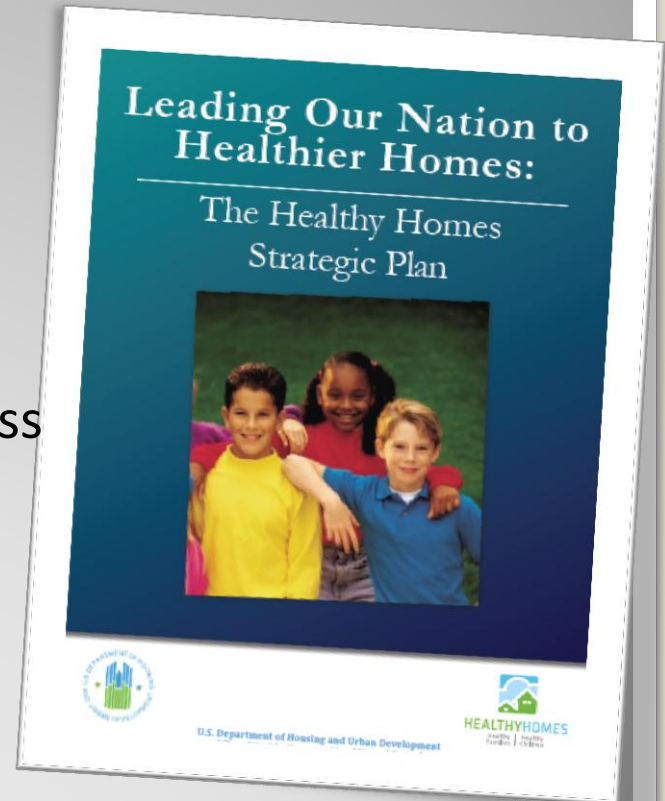
- **Unique** among Federal Agencies
- Established to **eliminate lead-based paint hazards** in America's privately-owned and low-income housing and to lead the nation in addressing **other housing-related health hazards** that threaten vulnerable residents
- **Address substandard housing** by providing funds to state and local governments to develop cost-effective ways to reduce lead-based paint hazards
- **Enforce** HUD's lead-based paint **regulations**, provide public outreach and technical assistance, and **conduct technical studies** to help protect children and their families from health and safety hazards in the home

HUD Office of Healthy Homes & Lead Hazard Control - MISSION



How is HUD Taking Action?

- ❖ ***Building a National Framework:*** Foster partnerships for implementing a healthy homes agenda.
- ❖ ***Creating Healthy Housing through Key Research:*** Support strategic, focused research on links between housing and health and cost-effective methods to address hazards.
- ❖ ***Mainstreaming the Healthy Homes Approach:*** Promote the incorporation of healthy homes principles into ongoing practices and programs.
- ❖ ***Enabling Communities to Create and Sustain Healthy Homes Programs:*** Build sustainable local healthy homes programs.



- HUD 2010-2015 Strategic Plan
- Focus on people goals and place-based goals
- Health outcomes are a key part of two Strategic Goals:
 - Utilize HUD-funded housing assistance to improve health outcomes
 - Focus on implementing HH housing management practices (reduction in use of high-cost health services / prevalence and severity of asthma in HUD housing)
 - Promote energy efficient buildings and locations for efficient communities that are healthy, affordable and diverse.
 - Improve residents' health and safety (reduce the number of homes with indoor environmental hazards)

Using Housing as a Platform for Improving Health



- Support/fund local healthy homes and lead hazard control programs
- *Issue Safe & Healthy Homes Investment Partnership Certification Program (SHHIP)*
- Establish a Healthyhomes.gov (healthyhomes.hud.gov) webpage to act a “one-stop” shop for healthy homes information
- Issue Federal Interagency Healthy Homes Strategy for Action
- Host regional “payer” workshops to fund asthma case mgmt/home intervention activities

Housing as a Platform for Improving Health - FY2013 HUD HH Action Items



- The Safe and Healthy Homes Investment Partnership (SHHIP) is a federal certification that recognizes and rewards local governments and their non-profit partners that are working together to provide citizen centered building based interventions.
 - *Certifies that a community is coordinating home interventions across housing, health and energy programs*

Progress on Healthy Homes Agenda - SHHIP



Working Together

Braids multiple service disciplines and funding streams

Organizes around the needs of the citizens being served

Citizen Centered



Building Based

Intervenes by making changes in the physical structure

SHHIP Principals

SHHIP is based on best practices
pioneered by :
**HUD Healthy Homes Demonstration
Grantees**
The Green and Healthy Homes Initiative
The CT Efficiency Healthy Homes Initiative
**the One Touch Healthy Homes
Intervention Program**



SHHIP Model



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- Identify communities that have created partnerships between public entities and/or non-profit or for-profit sector partners to address multiple housing deficiencies in the areas of health, safety, energy efficiency, and housing rehabilitation



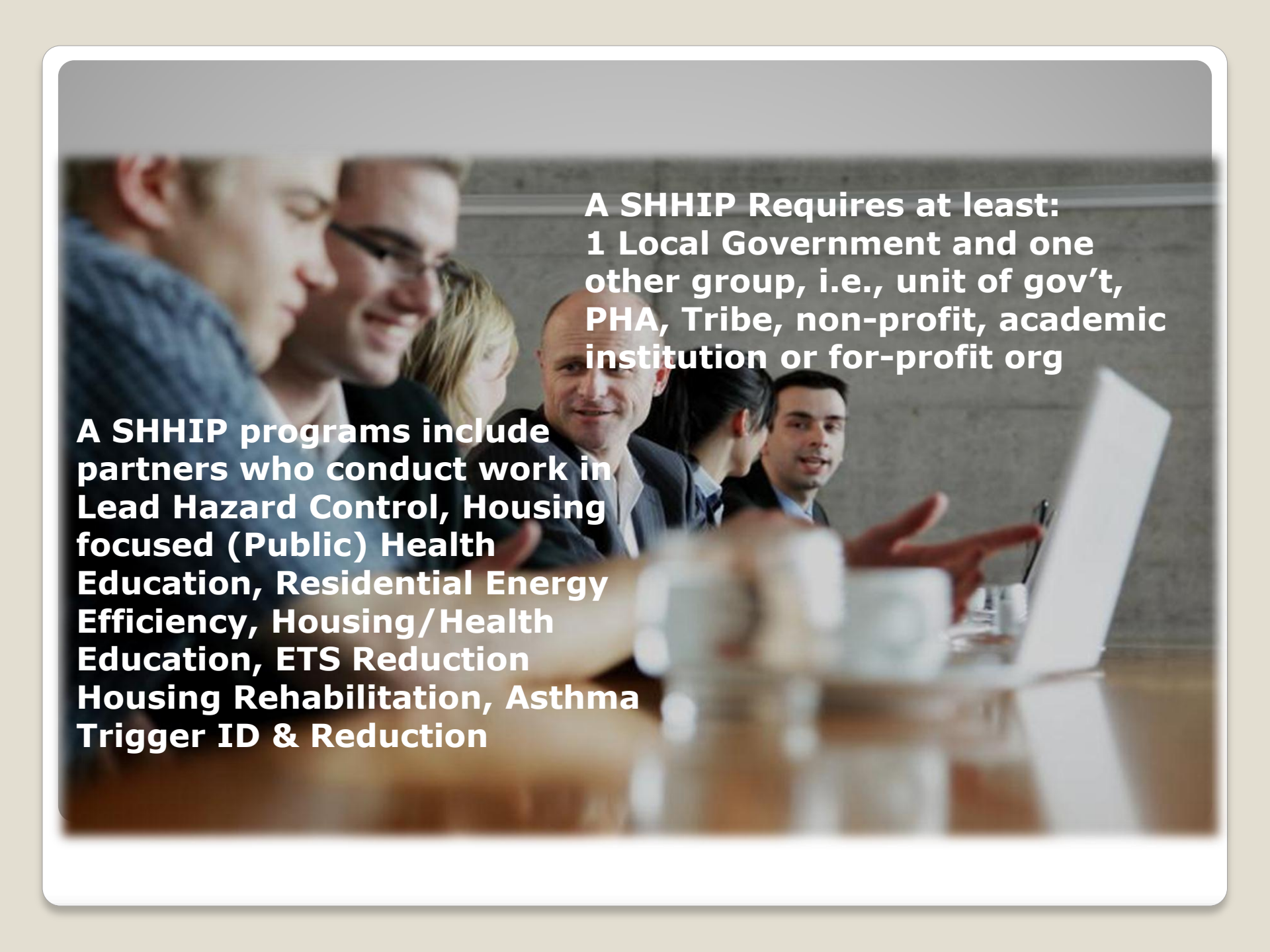
SHHIP PURPOSE



Because certification and funding opportunities are separate, the SHHIP enables any Federal Government program to offer NOFA or funding rating points to SHHIP certified communities.

This enables the SHHIP to become a government wide vehicle for collaboration.

SHHIP = Vehicle for Collaboration

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**A SHHIP Requires at least:
1 Local Government and one
other group, i.e., unit of gov't,
PHA, Tribe, non-profit, academic
institution or for-profit org**

**A SHHIP programs include
partners who conduct work in
Lead Hazard Control, Housing
focused (Public) Health
Education, Residential Energy
Efficiency, Housing/Health
Education, ETS Reduction
Housing Rehabilitation, Asthma
Trigger ID & Reduction**



A SHHIP's mission must include:

Improving the way services are delivered

Improving the health outcomes of the community

Improving the local workforce of healthy building professionals

Improving housing in a way that is sustainable, healthy and safe

SHHIP Requirements



A SHHIP's service methodology must include:

- Single citizen point of contact
- Utilize HUD Healthy Homes Rating Tool
- Support common multidisciplinary workforce training
- Report data in a standardized manner
- Provide service in a unified manner
- Identify and eliminate barriers to effective service delivery

SHHIP Requirements

Intake	Assessments
Coordinated Specs	(and/or) Referrals
Eligibility	Interventions



SHHIP Program Activities

Service model

**Identifying and
eliminating barriers**

Communication

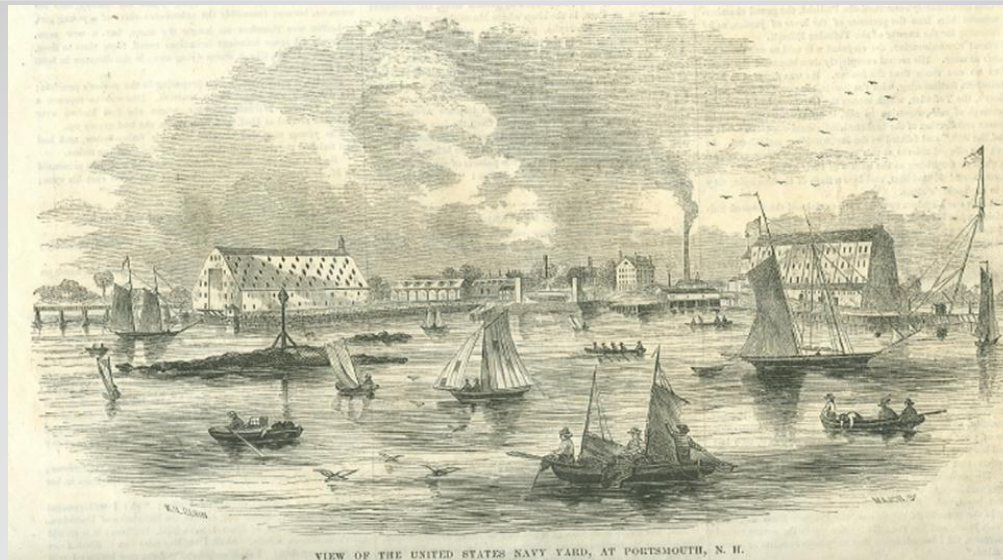
Evaluation

**Resource
mobilization**

**Process
improvement**

**Resource
coordination**

**Internal dispute
resolution**



VIEW OF THE UNITED STATES NAVY YARD, AT PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

SHHIP Program Coordination

- Promote coordinated planning, integrating federal resources, and targeting technical assistance at the local, state, and regional levels for sustainable housing and communities – 2 bonus points
 - *identify specific systems and activities that will ensure residents have access to a broad range of housing-related services through a single point of access*
 - *may be located in different agencies (for example a lead hazard control program working collaboratively with a weatherization program can each maintain their intake function as long as citizens have access to all program services in either location)*
 - *describe the extent to which citizens in need of housing services will be provided access to services in a range of disciplines that may include lead hazard control, allergen reduction, integrated pest management, **residential energy efficiency**, in home health education, home safety (for example CO hazards and alarms), and general housing rehabilitation.*

Lead & HH Funding FY 2013 NOFA



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Resources

