

People With Disabilities Foundation

Resources - Reasonable accommodations in housing for people with mental disabilities

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California Department of Fair Employment and Housing. <u>http://www.dfeh.ca.gov/Publications.htm</u>

San Francisco Mayor's Office of Housing, *San Francisco Housing Resource Guide* (2015) Covers housing and homelessness resources in San Francisco. <u>http://sf-moh.org/modules/showdocument.aspx?documentid=8077</u>

Disability Rights Oregon (2008). *Fair Housing Handbook: Reasonable Accommodations & Modifications*.

Covers federal fair housing law, checklist for verification letters, model letter of recommendation for assistance animal from service professional, model letters for reasonable accommodations (assistance animal, caregiver, poor credit history, references, criminal history, time to retain medical treatment, time to find another apartment, etc.). http://droregon.org/wp-content/uploads/Fair-Housing-Handbook-First-Edition.pdf

The Housing Center Housing Research and Advocacy Center (2014). *Obtaining & Maintaining Housing: Fair Housing for People with Mental Health Disabilities.* Covers federal fair housing law, requests and denials of reasonable accommodations and reasonable modifications, types of housing, common issues, and complaint process. <u>http://www.thehousingcenter.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/05/Obtaining-and-Maintining-Second-Edition-FINAL.pdf</u>

North Carolina Housing Finance Agency (2008). *Fair Housing for Tenants with Disabilities: Understanding Reasonable Accommodations and Reasonable Modifications.* Covers federal fair housing law, reasonable accommodation and modification procedures, sample request and response forms.

http://www.nchfa.com/forms/Forms/ReasonableAccommodation.pdf

Bazelon Center for Mental Health Law (2014). *When Opportunity Knocks… How the Affordable Care Act Can Help States Develop Supported Housing for People with Mental Illnesses.* Covers ACA expansion of Medicaid as if affects persons with disabilities in supported housing, if the state elects.

http://www.bazelon.org/News-

Publications/Publications/CategoryID/17/List/1/Level/a/ProductID/89.aspx?SortField=ProductN umber%2CProductNumber