



Social Development

What is the Rural and Native/Basic Shelter Rental Program?

This program is offered by the Department of Social Development (SD). The Rural and Native/Basic Shelter Rental Program assists households in need obtain affordable, adequate and suitable rental housing in rural communities.

Assists eligible off-reserve native and non-native households to obtain affordable, adequate and suitable housing in rural communities with a population of less than 2,500 residents.

Who qualifies?

Subsidized rental accommodations are provided to low income rental households whose income is below the established "income ceilings" which vary by household size and by areas within the province. .

How does it work?

Tenants qualifying for assistance through the Rural and Native/Basic Shelter Rental Program will have their rents reduced to 30% of the adjusted household income.

Do you have any questions?

Please contact the housing office of the Department of Social Development in your area:

Chaleur	1-866-441-4341	Acadian Peninsula	1-866-441-4149
Restigouche	1-866-441-4245	Miramichi	1-866-441-4246
Edmundston	1-866-441-4249	Moncton	1-866-426-5191
Fredericton	1-866-444-8838	Saint John	1-866-441-4340