

FHA ARM

Product Matrix

HUD Housing Handbooks:

https://www.hud.gov/program_offices/administration/hudclips/handbooks/hsgh

Transaction Type	# of Units ¹	Maximum LTV/CLTV/HCLTV	Minimum Credit Score ¹ , ²
Purchase	1-4	96.50%/105.00% ³	600 (all loan amounts)
Rate/Term Refinance	1-4	97.75%/97.75%	600 (all loan amounts)
Cash Out Refi ^{4,5}	1	80.00%/80.00%	600 (Standard Loan Amounts)
		80.00%/80.00%	640 (High Balance Loans)

¹2-4 Unit properties in NJ require 620 minimum credit score for standard loan amounts and 640 for High Balance loans. Must be

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⁵ Texas 50 (a)(6) are ineligible								
MIP Chart								
Upfront MIP for ALL: 1.75%								
Annual MIP for Loan Amount Less than or equal to \$726,200								
Greater than 15 year terms			15 year or less terms					
LTV	MIP	Duration	LTV		MIP	Duration		
> 95.00%	55	Mortgage term	Mortgage term > 90%		40	Mortgage term		
> 90.0% but ≤ 95.0%	50	Mortgage term	≤ 90.0%		15	11 years		
≤ 90.0%	50	11 years				,		
		Annual MIP for loar	n amounts g	reater than				
	than 15 ye			15 year or less terms				
LTV	MIP	Duration		ΓV	MIP	Duration		
> 95.00%	75	Mortgage term	> 90.0%		65	Mortgage term		
> 90.0% but ≤ 95.0%	70	Mortgage term	> 78.0% bi		40	11 years		
≤ 90.0%	70	11 years		3.0%	15	11 years		
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Units		Low Cost Area "Floor"			iviaximum	High Balance Loan limits		
1	\$472,030			\$1,089,300				
2	\$604,400			\$1,394,775				
3 4	\$730,525			\$1,685,850				
4	• E/1 ADI	\$907,900 \$2,095,200						
	• 5/1 ARM (Fixed rate for the first 5 years then converts to a 1 yr. ARM for the remaining term) - Amortization: 30 years							
	- Amortization: 30 years - Margin: 2.00%							
Terms	- Caps: 1/1/5							
	- Index: 1 Year Weekly CMT							
	Qualify at the Note rate.							
		Efficient programs, EEN	I, EEH; Weat	therization,	Solar and W	/ind		
	PACE: Loans secured by properties with Property Assessed Clean Energy (PACE) obligations or PACE-							
Ineligible Program	like clean energy program assessments							
Types	Construction to Permanent, One-time close							
	• Texas (a	Texas (a)(6)						
	• U.S. Citizens							
Borrower Eligibility	Permanent resident aliens, with proof of lawful residence							
	Nonpermanent resident alien immigrants, with proof of lawful residence							
Maximum DTI	Per AUS							
Age of Documents	Age of credit documentation must be dated within 120 days of the Note date							
7.gc or Bocaments	Appraisal is valid for 180 days from the effective date.							
	Regardless of the payment status, the Mortgagee must use either:							
	• the monthly payment reported on the Borrower's credit report or the actual documented payment,							
Student Loans	when the payment amount is above zero; OR							
	• 0.5 percent of the outstanding loan balance, when the monthly payment reported on the Borrower's							
	credit report is zero.							

² Each borrower must have at least one credit score.

³ Maximum CLTV is 105% if second mortgage is through a government-sponsored Down Payment Assistance Program (DAP)



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Chapter 7 or 13 bankruptcy: 2 years from completion/discharge to case number assignment date
 Foreclosure, Deed in Lieu or Short Sale: 3 years from completion to case number assignment date

Judgments:

- Judgments must be paid off prior to or at closing.
- An exception to the payoff of a court ordered judgment may be made if the Borrower has a written agreement with the creditor to make regular and timely payments. The Borrower must have made at least 3 timely payments and the Judgment will not supersede the FHA mortgage lien.

Collections:

- If total outstanding balance for all borrowers is less than \$2,000, a capacity analysis is not required
- If total outstanding balance for all borrowers is equal to or greater than \$2,000, a capacity analysis is required. Capacity analysis includes:

► Payment in full of collection accounts, prior to or at closing, along with documentation of acceptable source of funds,

- ▶ Borrower makes payment arrangements, and provides proof of arrangement with payment included in DTI, or
- ▶ 5% of the outstanding balance of each collection account is included as monthly payment in DTI.
- Non-borrowing spouse collection accounts ARE included in cumulative balance.
- Medical collections and charge offs are excluded.

Disputed Account:

- Loans with a cumulative outstanding balance of \$1,000 or more in Disputed Derogatory Credit accounts must be manually down graded to a refer.
- Disputed medical accounts and disputed accounts resulting from identity theft may be excluded from the \$1,000 limit.
- The following disputed non-derogatory accounts are not included in the \$1,000 limit:
 - ▶ Disputed accounts with \$0 balance,
 - ▶ Disputed accounts with late payments 24 months or older, or
 - ▶ Disputed accounts that are current and paid as agreed.

Non-Occupying Coborrowers

Derogatory Credit

- Not eligible on 15 year loan term.
- Not eligible on cash out refinance transactions
- The non-occupant co-borrower must be a family member as defined by HUD
- The non-occupant co-borrower must be a family member or an individual who has documented a longstanding substantial family-type relationship not arising out of the loan transaction with the occupying borrower.
- The maximum LTV is 75% but the LTV can be increased to a maximum of 96.5% if the Borrowers are Family Members, provided the transaction does not involve:
 - a Family Member selling to a Family Member who will be a non-occupying co-Borrower; or
 - transaction is for a two- to four-unit Property.
- An Identity-of-Interest Transaction is a sale between parties with an existing Business Relationship or between Family Members.
 - Maximum LTV is 85%
- The maximum LTV percentage for a transaction where a tenant-landlord relationship exists at the time of contract execution is restricted to 85 percent.

Exceptions to the Maximum LTV:

- ► The borrower purchases the principal residence of another family member; or
- ▶ a Property owned by another Family Member in which the Borrower has been a tenant for at least six months immediately predating the sales contract. Written evidence to verify occupancy and rental payments is required; **or**
- ▶ if an employee of a builder, who is not a Family Member, purchases one of the builder's new houses or models as a Principal Residence.; **or**
- ▶ exceeded if a corporation transfers an employee to another location, purchases the employee's house, and sells the house to another employee..; or
- ▶ if the current tenant purchases the Property where the tenant has rented the Property for at least six months immediately predating the sales contract. A lease or other written evidence to verify tenancy and occupancy is required.

Identity of Interest



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	The borower has made at least six consecutive monthly payments on the loan being refinanced,						
	beginning with the payment made on the first payment due date; AND						
	• The first navment due date of the new loan occurs no earlier than 210 days after the first navment						
Refinance Seasoning	due date of the loan paid off through the transaction.						
	Borrower must occupy the subject property as their Principal Residence for the past 12 months prior						
	to case number assignment on a cash-out refinance						
	All loans must be run through AUS FHA Total Scorecard						
	Purchase, Rate & Term and Cash-out						
	Credit Score	Maximum Qualifying					
		Ratios	Acceptable Compensating factors:				
		31/43	No compensating factors required. 1				
		37/47	One of the following:				
			 Verified and documented cash reserves ^{1,2} 				
			• Minimal increase in housing payment ³ or				
			Residual Income				
		40/40	No discretionary debt.				
Manual Underwriting	620 and above	40/40	Two of the following:				
			 Verified and documented cash reserves ² 				
		40/50	Minimal increase in housing payment ³				
			Significant additional income not reflected in Effective				
			income ⁴ ; and/or				
	1		Residual Income				
	All manual underwrites require 1 month reserves for 1-2 unit properties and 3 months reserves for 3-4						
	unit properties.						
	Reserves are equal to or exceed three months Mortgage Payments for 1-2 units and 6 months for 3-4						
	units. (Gift funds may not used for reserve requirements).						
	The new total monthly Mortgage Payment does not exceed the current total monthly housing						
	payment by more than \$100 or 5 percent, whichever is less.						
	⁴ Income from non-borrowing spouses or other parties not obligated for the Mortgage may not be						
	counted.						
		Refer to HUD handbook 4000.1 for complete details on compensating factors.					
	Borrowers with delinquent Federal Tax Debt are ineligible.						
	Tax liens may remain unpaid if the Borrower has entered into a valid repayment agreement with the						
	federal agency owed to make regular payments on the debt and the Borrower has made timely						
Federal Debt	payments for at least three (3) months of scheduled payments. The borrower cannot "prepay"						
1 646141 2 646	scheduled payments in order to meet the required minimum of three months of payments.						
	• The Mortgagee must include the monthly payment amount in the agreement in the calculation of						
	the Borrower's Debt-to-Income (DTI) ratio.						
	Properties resold 90 days or fewer following the date of acquisition by the seller are not eligible for						
Property Flipping Policy	FHA financing unless the loan meets the exceptions set forth in 4000.1 II.A.1.b.iv (A)(3).						
	Properties resold between 91 and 180 days after acquisition require a second appraisal by a						
1 01104	different appraiser if the resale price is 100% or more over the price paid by the seller when the						
	property was acquired.						
Ineligible Property	Manufactured Housing						
Types	 Cooperatives 						
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