The Government launches the three-year Cash Allowance Trial Scheme in mid-2021 in order to alleviate the difficulties on livelihood faced by grassroots families who have been waiting for public rental housing (PRH) for a prolonged period of time.

## Trial Scheme

## **Main Eligibility Criteria**



(a) General Applicant (GA) households (meaning applicant households with two or more persons, as well as those under the Single Elderly Persons Priority Scheme) who have fulfilled the general eligibility criteria for PRH allocation



(b) have been waiting for PRH for more than three years, with their eligibility for PRH allocation remaining valid; and have not yet been provided the first PRH flat offer

> (c) living in Hong Kong but not living in public housing





(d) not receiving the Comprehensive Social Security Assistance

## **Application Procedures**

- The Housing Department (HD) will issue notification letters towards the end of each month to GA households who will have waited for PRH for more than three years by the following month.
- Eligible households who wish to apply for the cash allowance should submit the completed application form together with necessary documents as soon as possible by the following methods —
  - sending the form to Cash Allowance Office, Housing Department, P.O. Box 209, Tsuen Wan Post Office by post; or
  - submitting the form in the drop-in box of HD at the following locations within office hours—
    - (a) Cash Allowance Office, Housing Department, 5/F, 1 Kwai On Road, Kwai Chung, New Territories; or
    - (b) Hong Kong Housing Authority Customer Service Centre, 3 Wang Tau Hom South Road, Kowloon









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