

About Us

Allegheny Valley Habitat For Humanity is part of a global, non-profit housing organization operated on Christian principles that seeks to put God's love into action by building homes, communities and hope. We are dedicated to eliminating poverty housing locally and worldwide through constructing, rehabilitating and preserving homes; by advocating for fair and just housing policies; and by providing training and access to resources to help families improve their shelter conditions.

The organization was founded on the conviction that every man, woman and child should have a simple, durable place to live in dignity and safety, and that decent shelter and decent communities should be a matter of conscience and action for all.

About HFHI

Habitat for Humanity International was founded in Americus, Georgia, USA in 1976. Today the organization operates around the globe and helped build more than 600,000 decent affordable houses sheltering more than 3 million people worldwide.

More About Us

The Allegheny Valley Habitat for Humanity was organized by the leadership of Dr. Legge and a consortium of churches looking to help low income families in the area.

We have built over 20 homes in Allegheny Valley and contributed to the construction of homes around the World by partnering with hardworking families, volunteers and local businesses.

In addition, we serve our community by increasing our county's yearly revenue by thousands of dollars through rehabilitating blighted houses or buildings on vacant lots.

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A Brush With Kindness Program



Our Vision:
A World where
everyone has a
decent place to
live.

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This program is designed to assist low-income families in repairing and renovating their properties so they can continue to live in safe, decent homes. Projects include painting, porch repair, roof repair, handicap ramp installation, landscape work and other minor repair services.

General Guidelines:

1. Your home must be in Allegheny Valley/ Westmoreland County.
2. You need to have lived and or worked in Allegheny Valley for at least one year.
3. You must have homeowners insurance.
4. Your income should meet the following guidelines. (Extraordinary family expenses or circumstances may be taken into consideration when determining disposable income.)

Family Size	Upper Income	Lower Income
1	27,000	13,000
2	30,000	15,000
3	34,000	17,000
4	37,500	19,000
5	41,000	20,000
6	43,500	22,000
7	47,000	23,000
8	50,000	24,000

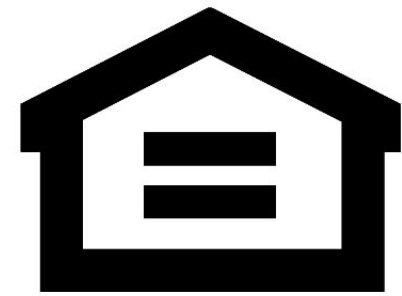
If Approved

We will require proof of homeownership and income qualifications.

With your permission, we will verify employment, checking and/or savings account balances, and other sources of income.

You or an adult of your family will be required to volunteer 8 or more hours working on your project or another Habitat For Humanity task.

You will be asked to contribute to the building materials for your home repair project.



EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY

We are pledged to the letter and spirit of the US policy for the achievement of equal housing opportunity throughout the nation. We encourage and support an affirmative advertising and marketing program in which there are no barriers to obtaining housing because of race, color, religion, sex, handicap, family status or national origin.

Habitat For Humanity International and its affiliated organizations do not proselytze. This means Habitat will not offer assistance on the expressed or implied condition that people must adhere to or convert to a particular faith, or listen and respond to messaging designed to induce conversion to a particular faith.