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# HOUSING DISCRIMINATION COMPLAINTS

Federal law prohibits housing discrimination based on your race, color, national origin, religion, sex, family status, or disability. If you have been trying to buy or rent a home or apartment and you believe your rights have been violated, you can file a fair housing complaint.

There are several ways to file a complaint:

1. You can file a complaint right now, by using our online form

<http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/program_offices/fair_housing_equal_opp/online-complaint>

1. You can call toll-free 1-800-669-9777.
2. You can email: [fheo\_webmanager@hud.gov](mailto:fheo_webmanager@hud.gov)
3. You can print out a form, complete it, and drop it off at your local HUD office or mail it to:

Office of Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity  
Department of Housing and Urban Development  
Room 5204  
451 Seventh St. SW  
Washington, DC 20410-2000

For the hearing-impaired TTY (800) 927-9275

For Michigan Residents:

DETROIT FHEO CENTER  
477 Michigan Avenue  
16th Floor  
Detroit, MI 48226

(313) 226-7900

For the Regional FHEO Office (Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Ohio, Wisconsin residents):

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