

HOUSING NAVIGATION EXPANSION

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*Improving Housing Voucher Programs
for Former Foster Youth*

**Wednesday, October 12, 2022
10:00-11:00 a.m.**

Please join John Burton Advocates for Youth (JBAY) for a webinar discussing the recent policy changes and budget expansion of the Housing Navigation & Maintenance Program (HNMP), prompted by the goal of enabling counties to utilize HNMP to serve former foster youth with specialized federal Housing Choice Vouchers.

HNMP is administered by the California Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD) to county child welfare agencies to provide housing navigators to assist youth with securing and maintaining housing.

JBAY will be joined on the webinar by HCD to discuss the increase in the upper age limit of the program, expansion of the priority population, and the program's budget increase from an annual \$5 million to \$13.7 million. The webinar will also discuss how counties can utilize HNMP to improve the provision of Family Unification Program (FUP) and Foster Youth to Independence (FYI) Vouchers.

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