

CalHFA CONVENTIONAL ELIGIBILITY MATRIX							
First Mortgage Programs ^{1,2}							
Program Name	Max Loan Amount³	Loan Type	Property Type	Max LTV/CLTV ³	Min Credit Score⁴	Max DTI	Subordinate Options
			SFR and Condos	97%/105%	680	45.00%	Must be combined with
CalHFA	Conforming		SFR and Condos	97 70/ 103 70	700	50.00%	MyHome (mandatory), FNMA Community Seconds optional Must be combined with both MyHome and ZIP (mandatory)
Conventional	Loan Limits	HFA Preferred	Manufactured Homes-MH Advantage	97%/105%	680	45.00%	
Program			Manufactured Homes –Standard MH	95%/105%	680	45.00%	
	Conforming Loan Limits	HFA Preferred	SFR and Condos 97%/	97%/105%	680 45	45.00%	
CalPLUS Conventional Program				91 /0/103 /0	700	50.00%	
			Manufactured Homes-MH Advantage	97%/105%	680	45.00%	
			Manufactured Homes–Standard MH	95%/105%	680	45.00%	
CalHFA Dream For All Conventional Program⁵	Conforming Loan Limits	HFA Preferred	SFR and Condos 9	070//4050/	680	45.00%	Dream For All Shared Appreciation required, FNMA Community
				97%/105%	700	50.00%	
			Manufactured Homes–MH Advantage	97%/105%	680	45.00%	Seconds optional
			Manufactured Homes–Standard MH	95%/105%	680	45.00%	1
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Program Name	Max Loan Amount	Interest Rate	Loan Proceeds Purpose	LTV/CLTV	First Mortgage Options	Lien Position
MyHome Assistance Program	Up to 3% of appraised value or sales price, whichever is less	1%	Down Payment and Closing Costs Assistance	N/A	CalHFA Conventional & CalPLUS Conventional (mandatory)	2nd
Zero Interest Program (ZIP)	2% or 3% of the first mortgage loan amount	0%	Closing Costs Assistance only	N/A	CalPLUS Conventional (mandatory)	3rd behind MyHome
Dream For All Shared Appreciation	Up to 20% of appraised value, sales price or \$150,000, whichever is less	0%	Down Payment and Closing Costs Assistance	Minimum CLTV is 95% and must be between 95% and 105%	CalHFA Dream For All Conventional (mandatory)	2nd

¹Each borrower must be a first-time homebuyer

²Lower interest rates and Mortgage Insurance Coverage Requirements available for borrowers that meet Fannie Mae's HomeReady <80% AMI income limit ³First mortgages in which the total loan amount exceeds \$806,500 are considered Conventional High Balance Loans and are limited to 95% LTV. See rate sheet for pricing.

⁴Fannie Mae's Low Income (LI) rate, which is borrowers with income ≤ 80% AMI, has a minimum credit score of 660

⁵At least one borrower must be a first generation homebuyer



	Loan Limits	
4 LINUT	FNMA CONFORMING LIMITS	FNMA HIGH-COST AREA
1 UNIT	\$806,500	\$1,209,750
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BASIC GUIDELINES	Items in this matrix apply to CalHFA Conventional loan programs. Refer to <u>CalHFA Conventional Loan Programs</u> <u>Handbook</u> , <u>Dream For All Shared Appreciation Loan Handbook</u> and <u>FNMA Selling Guide</u> for additional guidance. Information in this matrix is subject to change without notice.
Amended Tax Returns	Accepted for the following amendment reasons: Amended for clerical items only (i.e. modifying a prior ITIN number to a newly issuedSSN) Amended for income-related items, under the following conditions: Amended at least sixty (60) days before mortgage application taken Amendment shows on transcripts (stamped returns not acceptable) Documentation supplied to support the increase, including but not limited to: 1099 or W2 showing missed/updated income Canceled checks or bank statements showing missed/updated rental income
Appraisal	 Full appraisals are required PIW not eligible even if noted in AUS
Assets	 Internet Statements, obtained from financial institution's website, must contain same information found on a standard bank statement VOD as stand-alone document not permitted unless obtained from a Third-PartyVendor
AUS	 Fannie Mae Approve/Eligible only No manual underwriting Must be Fannie Mae only Data Entry – 'HFA Preferred' must be selected in the Community Lender Product Field CalHFA subordinate loans must be entered as Community Seconds
Borrower Minimum Contribution	CalHFA Dream For All Conventional program only - Borrower may contribute no more than 5% towards the downpayment
Borrower Requirements	 Each borrower must be a first-time homebuyer First-time homebuyer defined as a borrower who has not had an ownership interest in any principal residence, or resided in the home owned by a spouse during the previous three years Dream For All Conventional loan program only:



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	 Each borrower must be a first-time homebuyer and at least one borrower must be a first generation homebuyer, refer to First-Generation Homebuyer for details, AND At least one borrower must currently reside in California US Citizen or other National of United States, or a Qualified Alien allowed All borrowers must occupy the property as a primary residence within 60 days of closing
Condominiums	 Condos must be FNMA eligible Leasehold not permitted Minimum square footage: 400 Sq Ft
Credit	 Non-traditional credit is not permitted All borrowers must have at least one (1) valid credit score to be eligible for an 'Approved' recommendation (by DU). Extenuating circumstances are not allowed for Bankruptcyor Foreclosure. All borrowers must meet the minimum representative score requirement. The middle score of the lowest-scoring borrower must be used to determine eligibility Minimum 680 FICO score required for all borrowers Minimum 660 score allowed for borrowers whose income is ≤ 80% of HomeReady AMI income limit
Custodial Account	An account in a minor's name where the borrower is named only as custodian of the funds is not eligible for use as closing costs, down payment, or reserves
DTI	 Maximum DTI is 50.00% regardless of AUS recommendation for borrowers with credit scores ≥ 700 Maximum DTI is 45.00% regardless of AUS recommendation for credit scores between 680 – 699 and/or manufactured home properties
Electronic Signatures/eSigning	eSigning is allowed for most documents. eSigning is not allowed for: Note Note Rider(s) Notice of Right to Cancel Security Instrument Security Instrument Rider(s)



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Eligible Property Type	 Must be in the state of California One-unit primary single family residence (SFR) and planned unit development (PUD) Accessory Dwelling Unit (ADU), guest houses, 'granny' units and 'in-law' units are eligible as follows: Property must be defined as a one-unit property Multiple ADUs not permitted Must meet city/county zoning ordinances If rental income from ADU is used for credit qualifying, CalHFA will also use gross rental income when determining borrowers' compliance income for program eligibility Condominiums (see Condominium section above) Manufactured Homes (see Manufactured Home section below) Properties must meet requirements of California Health and Safety Code
Eligible States	California only
Escrow Holdbacks	Not permitted
Exclusionary List	OCMBC will validate that parties involved in the transaction have not been excluded from the program
Family-Owned Business	Two years tax returns are required regardless of AUS (DU) recommendation
First Generation Homebuyer	 The Dream For All Conventional loan program requires that at least one borrower must be a first-generation homebuyer, which is defined as: A homebuyer who has not been on title, held ownership interest or been named on a mortgage to a home in the last 7 years, AND To the best of the homebuyer's knowledge whose parents (biologically or adoptive) do not have any present ownership interest in a home in the US or, if deceased, whose parents did not have any ownership interest at the time of death in a home is the US, or An individual who has, at any time, been placed in foster care or institutional care (type of out of home residential care for large groups of children by non-related care givers) Borrowers will be required to certify under penalty of perjury at least one borrower meets the First Generation Homebuyer requirements
Homebuyer Education	 Homebuyer education is mandatory and course completion is required prior to final approval Standard homebuyer education course required to be completed by at least one borrower for all CalHFA conventional loan programs and for the Dream for All Conventional loan program at least one borrower is required to complete the CalHFA home buyer education course specifically for Shared appreciation loans in addition to the standard course as defined in the options below: CalHFA Dream for All Shared Appreciation required course, and Standard course, must be completed with one of the following: Online Homebuyer Education through eHome™



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	■ In Person or Virtual Live Homebuyer Education through NeighborWorks America or through a HUD
	approved Housing Counseling Agency
	Completion certificates are good for one year
Home Warranty Insurance Coverage	One-year home warranty protection policy is required
(Mandatory)	 Exceptions – purchasing a new construction property
	Policy must cover at a minimum
	Water heater(s), air conditioning, heating, oven/stove/range
	• Home Warranty must be disclosed on the Final Closing Disclosure, or a copy of warranty coverage will be required
Income Limits	CalHFA Conventional and CalPLUS Conventional programs - Cannot exceed <u>CalHFA Income Limits</u>
income Limits	CalHFA Dream For All Conventional program – Cannot exceed <u>CalHFA Dream For All Income Limits</u>
Income Requirements	Calculate income using Fannie Mae guidelines
	Credit qualifying income will be used to determine if loan exceeds maximum program limits (income not used to
	qualify will not be used in determining if max program limits are exceeded)
	 Borrower income may not be reduced or excluded to meet eligibility requirements
	 Borrowers must not be removed to meet income eligibility requirements
	• To determine if borrower income is less than or equal to the HomeReady 80% Area Median Income (AMI), use
	Fannie Mae's HomeReady Lookup tool. Lower Income (LI) borrowers are eligible for CalHFA LI interest rate and a
	reduced amount of shared appreciation repayment.
Ineligible Programs	Community Land Trusts
	High Cost Loans
	HomePath, HomeStyle (including HomeStyle energy)
	HomeReady with Reduced Mortgage Insurance Option
	Land Trusts
	Native American Lands Native American Lands
	PACE obligations attached to property
Ineligible Properties	2-4 Unit Properties Relay Market Rate (RMR) Properties
	Below Market Rate (BMR) Properties
	Community Land Trusts Co. One
	Co-OpsIndian leased land
	Leasehold properties New construction manufactured homes
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	Resale type deed restrictions



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	Single-wide manufactured homes
	Solar Panels that affect first lien position
Impounds	Impounds are required on all loans, regardless of LTV
Manufactured Housing	Maximum DTI is 45.00% regardless of AUS
	95% Maximum LTV
	Must meet all other FNMA guidelines
	Manufactured Homes that are subject to deed restrictions are not allowed
	Leased Land property not allowed
	Single-wide homes not allowed
	New construction manufactured homes not allowed
Maximum Loan Amount	Fannie Mae conforming loan limits
	Maximum LTV for Fannie Mae high balance loan limits is 95%
Minimum Loan Amount	• \$75,000
Mortgage Credit Certificate (MCC)	Not permitted
Mortgage Insurance (MI)	Required for all loans with LTV of 80.01% or higher
	Per DU Findings, borrowers with income less than or equal to HomeReady 80% AMI LI income limits are eligible for
	HFA Preferred Charter MI discounted coverage and rates
	Financed MI premiums must be included in the LTV and CLTV
	Borrower Paid and Split MI allowed
Multiple Financed Properties	Not permitted
Non-Permanent Resident Aliens	Non-Permanent Resident Alien borrowers accepted under the following conditions:
	Acceptable Visa evidence provided
	Borrower eligible to work in the US, as evidenced by EAD issued by the USCIS
	Borrower has valid Social Security Number (SSN)
	Borrower satisfies the same requirements, terms, and conditions as those for US citizen DAGA with the same requirements, terms, and conditions as those for US citizen
	DACA – with category C33 work status under deferred action and current I-797 showing approved DACA status or with cut of a pline and proved from LICCIS.
	print out of online approval from USCIS
	An Alien with Pending Asylum status is acceptable – borrower must provide a valid C08 Employee Authorization card and an Asylum Application receipt (or print out from USCIS status website) validating borrower status
	Note: Borrowers with diplomatic immunity are ineligible
Non-Occupant	
Co-Borrower/Co-Signer	Not permitted
Non-Purchasing Spouse	A non-purchasing spouse may not:
	o Be added to title
	Have any vested interest in the subject property



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	Be added to title after closing
	NOTE: All individuals on title must adhere to eligibility requirements
Power of Attorney (POA)	A POA may not be eSigned and must be specific to the transaction.
Subordinate Financing	Permitted, refer to Eligible Subordinate Programs and Requirements below
Social Security Number (SSN)	All borrowers must have a valid SSN
Tax Transcripts	Required when tax returns are used to qualify borrower income
Temporary Buydowns	Allowed with Limitations – see ' <u>Temporary Buydown Guide</u> ' below for specific terms and conditions
Transaction Type	Purchase only
	Non-Purchasing spouse may not be on purchase agreement
Underwriting Method	Manual Underwriting not allowed
	All loans must receive AUS approval: FNMA DU Approve/Eligible
Unpaid Federal Tax Debt	All unpaid tax debt from prior years is considered to be delinquent, even if lien has not been filed; one monthly
	payment is required on repayment plans
	Borrower with delinquent Federal Tax Debt is ineligible
	NOTE: Record of Account can be used in lieu of canceled check or proof of electronic payment.
Vesting	Non-Purchasing spouse may not be on title
	CalHFA does not require vesting on the subordinate lien

ELIGIBLE SUBORDINATE PROGRAMS AND REQUIREMENTS			
BASIC GUIDELINES	Items in this below apply to CalHFA Conventional subordinate loan programs. Refer to CalHFA Conventional Loan Programs Handbook, a MyHome Assistance Program Handbook, Dream For All Shared Appreciation Loan Handbook and FNMA Selling Guide for additional guidance. Information is subject to change without notice.		
	MyHome Assistance Program (MyHome)		
MyHome – General Requirements	 Maximum loan amount is 3% of the sales price or appraised value, whichever is less MyHome can be used for downpayment and closing costs Funds cannot be used to pay off borrower debt Borrowers may not receive cash back from MyHome loan 		



MyHome - Terms	 Term of the MyHome matches the terms of the CalHFA first mortgage, not to exceed 30 years Payments are deferred for the life of the first mortgage loan MyHome must be combined with the CalPLUS Zero Interest Program (ZIP) and the CalPLUS Conventional Loan Program. MyHome must be recorded in second (2nd) lien position. Repayment of the principal and interest on the MyHome loan shall be due and payable at the earliest of the following events: Transfer of Title Sale of the property Payoff of the first loan Payoff of the subordinate loan principal balance Refinance of the first loan The formal filing and recording of a Notice of Default (unless rescinded)
	Zero Interest Program (ZIP)
ZIP - General Requirements	 Maximum loan amount is 2% or 3% of CalPLUS Conventional loan amount ZIP can used for closing costs only Funds cannot be used to pay off borrower debt Borrowers may not receive cash back from ZIP loan
ZIP - Terms	 Term matches the terms of the CalHFA first mortgage, not to exceed 30 years Payments are deferred for the life of the first mortgage loan ZIP must record in third (3rd) lien position Repayment of the principal on the ZIP loan shall be due and payable at the earliest of the following events: Transfer of Title Sale of the property Payoff of the first loan Payoff of the subordinate loan principal balance Refinance of the first loan The formal filing and recording of a Notice of Default (unless rescinded)
	Dream For All Shared Appreciation Loan (DFA)
DFA - General Requirements	 Maximum loan amount is 20% of the sales price, appraised value up to \$150,000, whichever is less Shared Appreciation Loans can be used for down payment and closing costs Funds cannot be used to pay off borrower debt Borrowers may not receive cash back from Shared Appreciation loan



DFA - Program Share Appreciation	 For borrowers with incomes > 80% of HomeReady AMI income limit, the Shared appreciation loan offers up to 20% for downpayment and closing costs and borrower shares in up to 20% of the home price appreciation (1:1) Program appreciation share is equal to the shared appreciation loan amount as a percentage of the home value For borrowers with incomes ≤ 80% of HomeReady AMI income limit, the Shared appreciation loan offers up to 20% for downpayment and closing costs and borrower shares in up to 15% of the home price appreciation (.75:1) Program appreciation share is equal to .75 times the shared appreciation loan amount as a percentage of the home value The shared appreciation cannot exceed 2.5 times the original principal amount
DFA - Terms	 Term of the Shared Appreciation Loan matches the term of the CalHFA first mortgage, not to exceed 30 years Payments on Shared Appreciation Loan are deferred for the life of the first loan Repayment of the principal and any share of appreciation on the Shared Appreciation Loan shall be due and payable at the earliest of the following events: Transfer of Title Sale of the property Payoff of the first loan Payoff of the subordinate loan principal balance Refinance of the first loan CalHFA allows a one-time refinance of the first loan into a limited cash-out refinance without requiring immediate payment of the Shared Appreciation loan. CalHFA's resubordination policy must be followed. The formal filing and recording of a Notice of Default (unless rescinded) Note: The principal amount of the Shared Appreciation Loan is still due and payable even if the appreciation of the property is zero or less; however, no additional funds aside from the principal balance would be due if the appreciation is zero or less.
	FNMA Community Seconds
FNMA Community Seconds – General Requirements	 OCMBC does not provide financing for eligible FNMA Community Seconds except for the MyHome Assistance, Zero Interest Program and Dream For All Shared Appreciation Broker must source approved second (2nd) lien financing that meets FNMA guidelines and would subordinate at closing

TEMPORARY BUYDOWN GUIDE	
Product Eligibility	Buydown Terms – 2:1 and 1:0 temporary buydowns allowed
	Temporary buydown only applies to first lien and is not applicable to the subordinate (DPA) product
	Must meet all terms of CalHFA program (DU® approve/accept, etc.)
	Seller/Builder funded only
Term of Buydown	2/1 Buydown:
	 Term of the temporary buydown is 24 months



	 Initial interest rate is temporarily reduced by no more than two (2) percent below the note rate for year one (1) and reduced by no more than one (1) percent below the note rate for year two (2). The non-reduced note rate applies for years three (3) through thirty (30). 1:0 Buydown: Term of the temporary buydown is 12 months Initial interest rate is temporarily reduced by no more than one (1) percent below the note rate with the non-reduced note
	rate applying for years two (2) through thirty (30) Initial interest rate temporarily reduced by no more than two percent below the note rate and increased by no more than one percent annually for no more than two years, with the non-reduced note rate applying for remaining term of loan
Underwriting Criteria	 Borrowers qualify using the note rate, not the buydown rate Reserves, as applicable, are calculated using the note rate, not the buydown rate Standard Interested Party Contribution guidelines apply Temporary Buydowns do not apply to the subordinate (DPA) transaction – only to the first lien Seller/Builder funded only