



FY 2018 INCOME LIMITS DOCUMENTATION SYSTEM

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FY 2018 Income Limits Summary

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FY 2018 Income Limit Area	Median Family Income Explanation	FY 2018 Income Limit Category	Persons in Family							
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Chicago-Joliet-Naperville, IL HUD Metro FMR Area	\$84,600	Very Low (50%) Income Limits (\$) Explanation	29,650	33,850	38,100	42,300	45,700	49,100	52,500	55,850
		Extremely Low Income Limits (\$)* Explanation	17,800	20,350	22,900	25,400	29,420	33,740	38,060	42,380
		Low (80%) Income Limits (\$) Explanation	47,400	54,200	60,950	67,700	73,150	78,550	83,950	89,400

NOTE: Cook County is part of the **Chicago-Joliet-Naperville, IL HUD Metro FMR Area**, so all information presented here applies to all of the **Chicago-Joliet-Naperville, IL HUD Metro FMR Area**. HUD generally uses the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) area definitions in the calculation of income limit program parameters. However, to ensure that program parameters do not vary significantly due to area definition changes, HUD has used custom geographic definitions for the **Chicago-Joliet-Naperville, IL HUD Metro FMR Area**.

The **Chicago-Joliet-Naperville, IL HUD Metro FMR Area** contains the following areas: Cook County, IL; DuPage County, IL; Kane County, IL; Lake County, IL; McHenry County, IL; and Will County, IL.

* The FY 2014 Consolidated Appropriations Act changed the definition of extremely low-income to be the greater of 30/50ths (60 percent) of the Section 8 very low-income limit or the poverty guideline as [established by the Department of Health and Human Services \(HHS\)](#), provided that this amount is not greater than the Section 8 50% very low-income limit. Consequently, the extremely low income limits may equal the very low (50%) income limits.

Income Limit areas are based on FY 2018 Fair Market Rent (FMR) areas. For information on FMRs, please see our associated FY 2018 [Fair Market Rent documentation system](#).

For last year's Median Family Income and Income Limits, please see here:

FY2017 Median Family Income and Income Limits for Chicago-Joliet-Naperville, IL HUD Metro FMR Area

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