



METROPOLOTIN HOUSING UNIT: FINANCIAL INDEPENDENCE

NAME _____ DATE _____

Directions: Use the AMHA Packet to answer the following questions.

1. What does AMHA stand for? _____
2. What year did Akron create the subsidized housing program? _____
3. How is the agency administered? _____
4. How many housing units does AMHA manage? _____
5. There are 3500 housing units that are privately owned by

6. How does AMHA handle emergency housing?

7. How long could a person be on a waiting list? _____
8. Do you need to pay the security deposit? _____
9. What is a security deposit used for? (class discussion) _____

10. What percentage of your income is the rent payment based on? _____
11. If your annual income was \$20,000 how much would you be expected to pay for
rent each month?
12. Which utilities are you expected to pay when living in AMHA housing?

13. Which utilities will AMHA pay? _____
14. When can you apply for AMHA? _____
15. List the documents you must bring with you?



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16. What happens if you have a balance due on another apartment?

17. What are the background check stipulations? (class discussion)

18. Explain the Preference Points and “language”. (class discussion)

19. Explain how private landlords operate with low housing. (class discussion)

20. What about adding another adult to the household? (class discussion)

21. What happens if you have more children and need a bigger place? (class dis)