

**Fair Housing**

**How to File a Complaint**

Housing discrimination based on your race, color, national origin, religion, sex, family status, or disability is illegal by federal law. 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 may call HUD in Washington, DC toll-free 1 (800) 669-9777
2. You may file electronically or print out a [complaint form](http://www.tarrantcounty.com/ehousing/lib/ehousing/HousingDiscriminationInfo.pdf) at [www.hud.gov](http://www.tarrantcounty.com/egov/redirector.asp?u=http://www.hud.gov) and navigate to or search: *Fair Housing Office/Complaint Form.*

If you print out the form you may mail it to:
U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development
Office of Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity
801 North Cherry Street - 28th Floor
Fort Worth, TX 76102

1. You may call the Fort Worth Office of HUD, Fair Housing Division at:

(817) 978-5900
1- (888) 560-8913
Fax (817) 978-5878
TTY (817) 978-5595
email: Complaints\_office\_07@hud.gov

(or)

You may file in person or write the local HUD Office at:
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1. You may contact the office of Jill Davis, Administrative Assistant to the County Judge at:

100 West Bluff, Room 102
Woodville, Texas 75979

409-283-6315

If you write please include:

* Your full name and address (including city, state and zip code)
* The name and address of the person or company your complaint is about.
* The address of the house or apartment you were trying to rent or buy.
* The date when the incident occurred.
* A brief description of what happened.