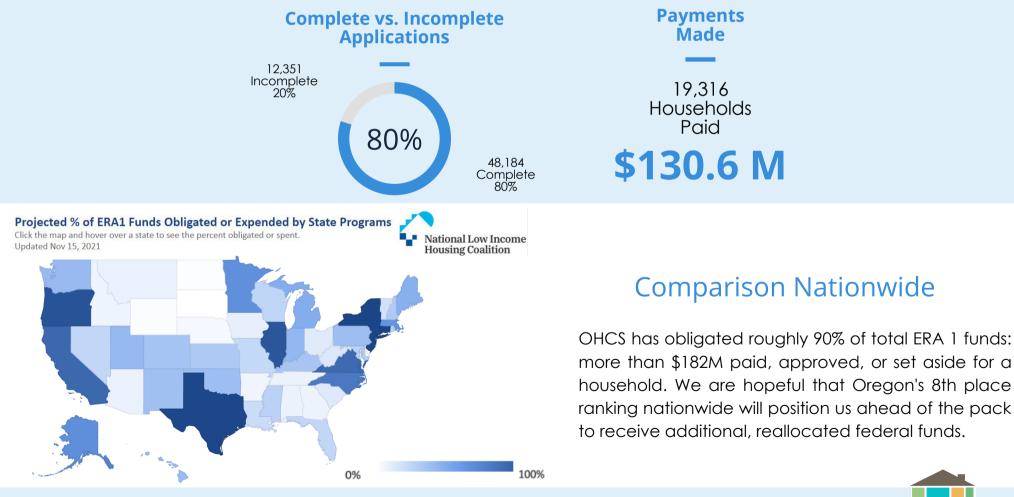
## Weekly Update: Oregon Emergency Rental Assistance Program

#### November 15, 2021

On Friday, OHCS <u>announced</u> a pause on accepting new applications for the statewide OERAP program for six weeks, starting on Wednesday, Dec. 1, at 11:59 p.m. We estimate that nearly all of the \$289 million in federal emergency rental assistance allocated by the U.S. Department of Treasury to the state of Oregon has been requested, and the program will be fully subscribed in the coming weeks. We ask that you continue to encourage your constituents to apply for assistance as soon as possible at oregonrentalassistance.org by Dec 1st. Tenants can call 211 to see what local level programs are available. To date, the statewide OERAP program has paid more than \$130 million in federal emergency rental assistance to nearly 20,000 Oregon renters – more than \$10M paid last week. We recognize the need is significant and ongoing.



### Oregon Emergency Rental Assistance Program Dashboard



Dashboard Updated November 11, 2021

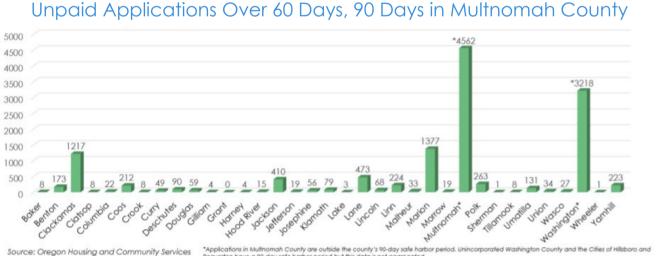


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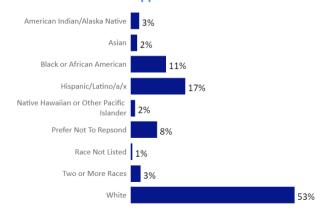
\*Total includes 2021 rental assistance programs: Landlord Compensation Fund (LCF), **Supporting Tenants Accessing Rental** Relief (STARR), and Oregon **Emergency Rental Assistance** Program (OERAP).

# **REMINDER:** Oregon Law Center's Eviction Defense Project

OHCS continues to be deeply concerned about renters who are facing eviction. The website for Oregon Law Center's Eviction Defense Project is now live, and tenants can call 888-585-9638 or email evictiondefense@oregonlawcenter.org for assistance. Please continue to encourage your constituents to apply for rental assistance at oregonrentalassistance.org. If your constituents have received a court summons please direct to them to contact OLC for legal assistance.



#### Applications by Race and Ethnicity of the Primary Applicant





\*Applications in Multhomah County are outside the county's 90-day safe harbor p Beaverton have a 90-day safe harbor period but this data is not aggregated