

**Data Study Group of the IHBG Formula
Negotiated Rulemaking Committee**

Data Source Nomination Sheet

Nomination submitted by (must be member of Data Study Group): Carol Gore

Data Source Name (or proposed name): All data sources used in the formulation or calculation of in any portion of the Indian Housing Block Grant allocation formula in FFY 2014 or 2015, including, but not limited to, those portions of the formula pertaining to Formula Current Assisted Stock, Need, Fair Market Rent, Area Expense Allowance, Total Development Cost, and Formula Area. Those data sources include, but may not be limited to:

- Indian Health Service data sources, including IHS User Data and IHS projections based upon birth and death rate data as provided by the National Center for Health Statistics;
- Bureau of Indian Affairs data sources;
- Department of Housing and Urban Development data sources providing data on Fair Market Rents and Area Expense Allowance;
- Data sources sponsored and/or administered by the U.S. Census Bureau;
- Tribal enrollment lists; and
- Data reported by recipients in their Formula Response Forms

Nominated by: Alaska

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Does the nominator agree to provide additional information and clarification to the technical support to help them characterize this data source if necessary? (yes/no) Yes

Please discuss the purpose for which these data are collected and the specific aspects that are relevant to the IHBG formula.

The nominated data sources are collected for a variety of purposes. Each is data source provides relevant data that is presently used in the formulation or calculation of the IHBG allocation formula.

Does this data source currently exist? (yes/no) Yes

If yes, please list the sponsor and, if not the same entity, the organization or agency responsible for collecting the data.

Various, including, but not limited to: IHS, BIA, HUD, U.S. Census Bureau, tribes, and IHBG recipients.

If no, please discuss the proposed sponsor of the data collection project and provide a general overview of the methodology. If the proposed project is based on a model include the model name, reason(s) the model source itself is not appropriate, and a summary of the changes proposed to address those concerns.

N/A.