



Florida Commission on Human Relations

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Fair Housing in Florida:

There Has Never Been a More Important Time

Greetings from the Florida Commission on Human Relations!

Fair Housing Month is almost here! April 2010 is the 42nd anniversary of the passage of the Federal Fair Housing Act, the groundbreaking legislation that affirms the right of every citizen to obtain the housing of their choice without being limited by race, color, religion, national origin, sex, disability or familial status. The Florida Fair Housing Act, passed in 1992, also affirms these rights, and the Commission works diligently to make sure these rights are afforded to every Floridian. With the state of the economy and alarming rates of foreclosures and mortgage fraud, there has never been a more important time to ensure fair housing for all!

We are in the midst of planning our Fair Housing Month activities, which will include outreach and education across the state. **Every year, our initiative includes Fair Housing Month public service announcements (PSA), which further aid us in educating Floridians on what housing discrimination is, and who to can contact for help. Our 2010 Fair Housing Month PSA is now available! You can find it in English and Spanish at our website [here](#).**

Please feel free to post our PSA on your website and to forward it on to your colleagues, especially those in the housing industry. If you should need the MP3 version of the PSAs, let us know and we will send them to you via email. Also, if you should post or use our PSA in anyway, please let us know so we can track its usage. We would greatly appreciate it!

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