

**We are LIVE!**

We are thrilled to announce that our new housing system is now live...which means **you can now complete your 2025-2026 housing application!** Summer housing applications are also now available. Remember that ALL students wishing to live on campus need to submit this application. This includes students who will be part of a group housing application (Willow, townhouses, CPA, and lodges) or an organizational housing application.

**The link to the new Housing Portal is:** <https://upj.starrezhousing.com/StarRezportalX/>. Remember, you will no longer submit your housing application via Pitt Passport.

As we have mentioned previously, the process for submitting a housing application has changed significantly. We strongly encourage you to read the instructions on our [website](#).

As part of the housing application process, you will be required to electronically sign a **2025-2026 Housing and Dining Services contract**. Make sure you read this document thoroughly, as it is a legally binding agreement between you and the University. The document is viewable when completing your housing application. If you would like to read it in advance, it is available in the "[Housing Documents](#)" section of our website.

All students must also select a **residential meal plan** as part of the application process. If your final housing assignment is in CPA or a townhouse you will be able to change or cancel your meal plan later.

**Group applications** (for groups wishing to reside in Willow, CPA, townhouses, or lodges) will open on Tuesday, March 11 and will be due Tuesday, March 25. Additional information on the group application process will be provided later. However, here are some things you can start doing now:

- Every member of the group needs to **submit an individual housing application**.
- **Begin forming your group.** In order to be eligible, a group must have the required number of members, which is based on the number beds in each location. For example, a group application for a 4-person Willow apartment must have four members, a group application for a 5-person townhouse must have five members, a group application for a 3-person CPA must have three members, and so forth. Applications that do not have the required number of members will automatically be disqualified.
- Each group should **designate a group leader**, who will serve as the point of contact for all communication. This person should be someone who **CHECKS** and **READS** emails daily.
- **Decide where you group wishes to live.** The group application process has been simplified for this year. So, your group will submit only ONE group application and rank-order your location choices (Willow, CPA, townhouses, and lodges) at that time.

Please contact our office if you have any questions: Email: [upjhousing@pitt.edu](mailto:upjhousing@pitt.edu); Phone: 814-269-7115.

Thank you, and have a wonderful spring break!