

This FHA checklist is **not** all inclusive. For all HUD/FHA requirements, view the 4000.1 Handbook at <u>www.HUD.gov</u>.

## **FHA Appraisal Checklist**

Property Address:
Time of day viewed:Temperature/weather conditions:
Are there any site hazards and nuisances?  Storage tanks within 300'?  Overhead electric lines?  Desire the second of the second
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Gas/oil well within /5? Drainage, positive?
Standing water in yard? Is the heat Electric or Oil?
Is the Furnace system operable?
If not, why?
If not, why? If there is an oil bank, the location is where?
If there is a well, the location is where?
If there is a leach field, the location is where?
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Location of septic system:
Evidence of malfunction?
Is the road access public or private?
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*If private, check for permanent easement and ask for maintenance agreement.
Are there defective paint surfaces on exterior or outbuildings? If so, where?
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Is the roof visible?
Is there any evidence of deterioration/leakage?
Are there any general exterior health and safety issues?
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Is there low water pressure?Appraiser is required to sample of electrical outlets and/or switches, are they operable?
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What appliances are conveying with the home?
Are those appliances operable?
Is the attic accessible? Where is the attic access? Is the attic damp? Is the attic ventilated? Do all bedrooms have egress to exterior? Do the windows open and close correctly?
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Is there evidence of wood destroying insects or wood rot?
If there is a crawl space, is it accessible?
If there is an attic, is it accessible?
Are there any safety hazards?
If there is a garage door, is it operable?
Are there steps without handrails?
If it is a manufactured home, are the HUD label/compliance certificate(s) available to view?
If so, what is the data?
Are smoke detectors functioning?
Are all utilities on and functioning as designed? Including hot water?

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