

# Fair Housing Is The Law

## Assistance Animals Are Not Pets

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### HOUSING DISCRIMINATION IS ILLEGAL

**Do you have an assistance animal? You have a right to fair housing.** The Fair Housing Act protects people with disabilities. You have a right to a reasonable accommodation or modification, including having an assistance animal.

**Housing discrimination may look like this:**

- “Sorry, no pets allowed here.”
- “This condo only allows small dogs or cats.”
- “If you have an animal, I need an extra deposit.”

#### **Get Help Now – Don’t Wait**

Community Teamwork Fights Housing Discrimination. Contact the Fair Housing Program at CTI. Contact us at (978)654-5736 or [fairhousing@commteam.org](mailto:fairhousing@commteam.org). Let us know if you need an interpreter or reasonable accommodation.

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