



NLIHC's HoUSed Campaign for
Long-Term Housing Solutions

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New Data on Involuntary Moves Among Renters



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Prevalence of Involuntary Moves among Renters

New Census Pulse Survey: Two New Questions

1. Thinking of all the places you've lived during the last six months, did you ever feel pressure to move due to any of the following reasons?

- ☐ Because the landlord raised the rent
- ☐ Because you missed a rent payment and you thought you would be evicted
- ☐ Because the landlord did not make repairs
- ☐ Because you were threatened with eviction or told to leave by your landlord
- ☐ Because your landlord changed the locks, removed your belongings, or shut off your utilities
- ☐ Because the neighborhood was dangerous

2. Did you actually move from any place you were living as a result of this pressure?

Early Results

- **One in five renter households** reported feeling pressure to move from their current home during the past six months
 - This means that for every eviction filing, **nearly three additional renters** feel pressured to leave their homes.
- Of those who felt pressured to leave their homes:
 - 40% cited it was due to increased rent
 - 22% due to landlord not making repairs
 - 7% due to threats of eviction
 - 1% due to having locks changed possessions removed or utilities turned off
- **20% who experienced pressure moved** in the past six months

Impacts on Households of Color

People of Color Are More Likely to Feel Pressured to Move

Of the Hispanic/Latinx survey respondents, 33 percent said they felt pressured to move



Source: US Census Bureau's Household Pulse Survey week 58.

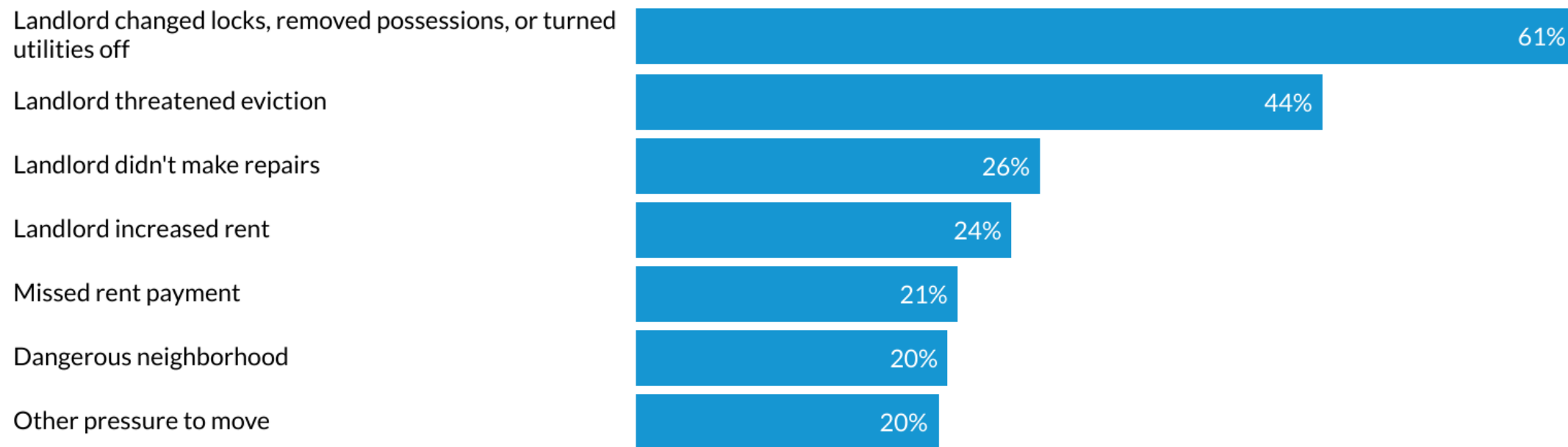
Notes: Categories are not mutually exclusive. People identifying as Hispanic may also be represented in other bars. The authors used the category "other races" to align with the data source but recognize aggregating racial and ethnic groups can mask important community differences.

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Why Residents Moved

Actions Cited That Led to Residents Moving

Of the survey respondents who felt pressured for the following reasons, percentage who left their home



Source: US Census Bureau's Household Pulse Survey week 58.

Notes: Survey respondents could choose multiple reasons for why they moved.

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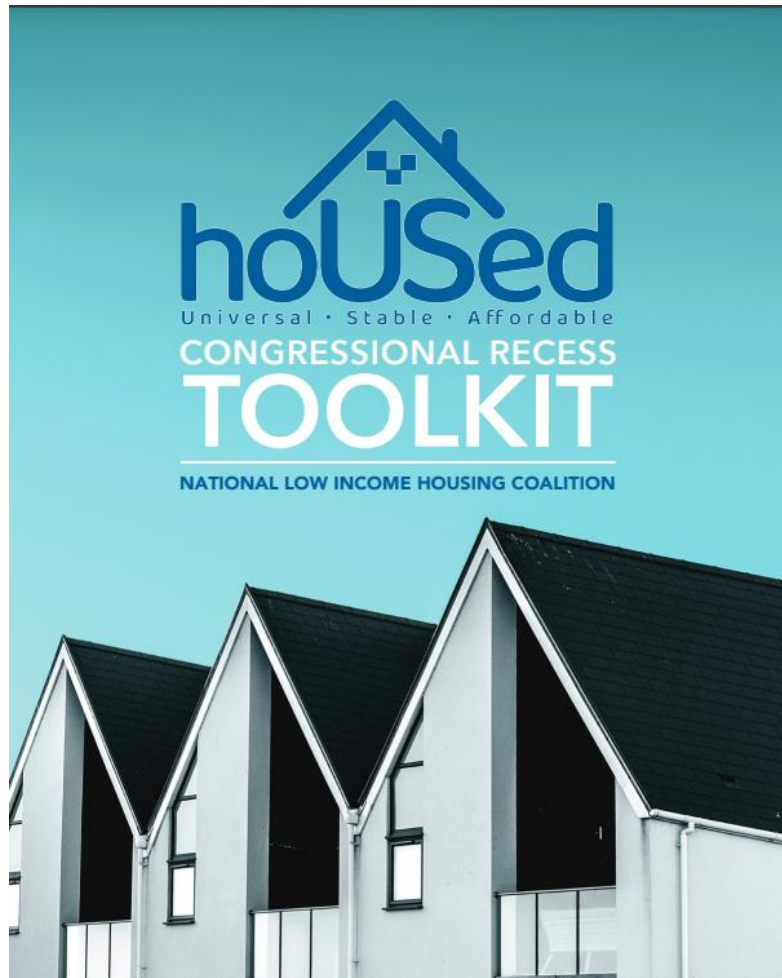
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Take Action During August Recess



Take Action with NLIHC's Congressional Recess Toolkit!

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Everything you need for August Recess Advocacy, including:

- Setting up in-district meetings with your elected officials
- Talking points
- Story telling tips and tricks
- Sample tweets and op-eds
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