

HOW DOES THE LOAN ASSUMPTION PROCESS WORK AND HOW CAN I BENEFIT?

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WHAT IS AN ASSUMABLE MORTGAGE?

An assumable mortgage allows a qualified buyer to assume a seller's current mortgage loan, including the interest rate, remaining term, payment period, remaining principal balance, and additional terms of the mortgage.



HOW DOES THE LOAN ASSUMPTION PROCESS WORK?

If a mortgage loan is assumable, the owner of the property may elect to sell their home to a qualified buyer, allowing the buyer to assume the current loan, including the remaining terms and remaining balance. If the current sales price of the home is higher than the remaining principal balance (also known as home equity), the buyer will have to cover the difference at closing with cash or cash and a second mortgage loan depending on the maximum CLTV (Combined Loan to Value) determined by the lender.

In the event the buyer(s) are assuming the loan, they would be required to go through the application and underwriting process as required by the current lender. The lender will have to approve the full transfer of liability from the seller to the buyer, requiring that the buyer qualify. Qualifying would include (but is not limited to) credit and income requirements.

To learn more, contact our Assumption Support Team by calling 844-889-0080 or emailing: Assumptionsteam@carringtonms.com to determine your eligibility.

WHICH MORTGAGES CAN BE ASSUMED?

Not all types of mortgages are assumable.

FHA and VA mortgages can be assumed, while USDA and Conventional ARM mortgages may be assumable, but under specific conditions.

When assuming FHA mortgages specifically, Carrington may offer a simultaneous Closed-End Second Mortgage Loan* to the qualifying buyer for an amount up to 80% of the sales price or property value.

In the case of a VA loan being assumed, if the assuming qualified buyer is a non-veteran, the seller's VA entitlement will remain tied to the assumed property and therefore cannot be used by the veteran to purchase another property until the assumed loan is paid in full.

HOW CAN YOU BENEFIT FROM A MORTGAGE LOAN ASSUMPTION?

If your mortgage is eligible for an assumption, you may benefit from having your real estate agent advertise that the loan is assumable at a lower than current market interest rate.

For a qualified buyer, assuming a current mortgage could mean saving significant money in interest if the mortgage has a lower interest rate compared to current interest rates. Oftentimes there are fewer closing costs associated with mortgages that are assumed. In addition, under certain conditions the lender will not require an appraisal when a mortgage is assumed, saving the buyer additional money.

WHERE DO I START?

To get started, you will need Carrington's Assumption Package. Download the Assumption Package from the Carrington website: <https://www.carringtonmortgage.com/marketing/assumption>.

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In cases of property transfer or inheritance where a sale is not initiated, the process for assumption of a mortgage may be simpler. If this is the case, please speak with our Loan Servicing Customer Contact Center at 800-561-4567 for options specific to your mortgage.



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