

## **Short Sale Valuation Process**

## Data Used to Estimate Values

The Valuation team may use one or more of the following data points to estimate values:

- Appraisal performed to USPAP standards
- Interior Broker Price Opinion (BPO)
- Sales, listing, and pending data available to the appraisers and brokers

During the valuation process, normal characteristics are taken into consideration, including:

Proximity, Size, Age of Property, Property Features, Condition, Quality, and Amenities

## Additional Characteristics That May be Considered

Additional characteristics may also be considered, including:

- Supply
- Demand
- Time of year
- Number of competing properties
- Days from list to offer
- Number of offers on our own book of competing properties
- On/offsite influences
- Competing list prices
- Recent closed sales

## Contesting a Value

Agents may contest a value even if there is no offer accepted. Complete the following steps to contest a Fannie Mae assigned value:

- 1. Go to HomePathforShortSales.com.
- 2. Click the **Escalate an Issue** tab.
- 3. Click the "You want to contest a value assigned to a listed property" link.
- 4. Complete the required fields on the **Contest a Fannie Mae Assigned Value** form. You will need to provide the following to complete the form:
  - Signed Borrower Authorization Form
  - List of significant value-related considerations
  - o MLS Sheets of three to six comparables with listing history and realtor comments
  - Supporting documents such as appraisal or buyer's BPO, CMA, inspection report or contractor's estimate
- 5. Please include color photos, comments, and descriptions.

Fannie Mae's second look team will provide you and the servicer with a response to your request to review the value.