Forbearance Questions to Ask a Lender

In weighing the pros and cons of forbearance, borrowers may want to ask their lender the following questions:

> What is the length of the forbearance period? Is there potential for any extensions?

What am I required to pay each month? Will my payments be completely suspended during forbearance, or do I still need to pay a certain amount?

Will the forbearance be reported to the credit bureaus? If so, how could this affect my future credit eligibility?

How will I be expected to resume monthly mortgage payments and pay back the forbearance amount? Will the repayment plan be in installments, a lump sum or other agreement?