

WHO SHOULD PARTICIPATE?

HMIS seeks to collect information from all homeless service providers throughout the county. These include emergency shelters, transitional housing programs, permanent supportive housing providers, homeless prevention programs, and other service providers in contact with people experiencing homelessness, such as outreach programs and drop-in centers. In order to gain as comprehensive a picture of homelessness as possible, other agencies are strongly encouraged to use HMIS as well. These include agencies that provide housing services (transitional housing, supportive housing, emergency shelters, for instance), as well as auxiliary services (such as food shelves and outreach programs). Increased participation in HMIS will increase our understanding of clients' characteristics and needs, help us to better evaluate programs, and strengthen our efforts to end homelessness.

Agencies Required by U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD)

- Supportive Housing Program (SHP)
- Transitional Housing Program (THP)
- Shelter Plus Care (S+C)
- Housing Opportunities for Persons With AIDS (HOPWA; grantees that specifically target homelessness are required; others are encouraged to participate)

Other Participating Agencies

- Emergency Shelter Grant (ESG)
- Emergency Shelter Programs (ESP)

Who is currently using the HMIS system in Sacramento County?

2-1-1 Sacramento	Sacramento County Dept. of Human Assistance (DHA)
Berkeley Food and Housing	Sacramento Housing & Redevelopment Agency (SHRA)
Bishop Gallegos Maternity Home	Sacramento Recovery House, Inc. / Gateway
Bridges, Inc.	Sacramento Self Help Housing
Center for Aids Research Education & Svs (CARES)	Sacramento Steps Forward (SSF)
CommuniCare Health Centers	Sacramento Veterans Resource Center
Cottage Housing, Inc.	Saint John's Program for Real Change
Downtown Sacramento Partnership	Salvation Army
El Hogar Community Service, Inc.	Sierra Foothills AIDS Foundation
Elica Health Centers (Sacramento and Yolo)	TLCS, Inc.
Loaves & Fishes	Turning Point Community Programs
Lutheran Social Services (LSS)	Volunteers of America
Mercy Housing	Waking the Village / Tubman House
Next Move / Sac Area Emergency Housing Center	WellSpace Health
Resources for Independent Living (RIL)	WIND Youth Center
Sacramento Community Based Coalition	Women's Empowerment

Who is currently using the HMIS system in Yolo County?

Davis Community Meals	Yolo Community Care Continuum (YCCC)
Fourth and Hope	Yolo County Department of Health and Human Services
United Christian Centers (UCC)	Yolo Resource Center