



LOCAL HOUSING ELIGIBILITY AND PRIORITIZATION MATRIX

MONTEREY COUNTY COORDINATED ASSESSMENT & REFERRAL SYSTEM HOUSING ELIGIBILITY AND PRIORITIZATION MATRIX		
Program Applicability: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CoC, ESG, HUD VASH, VA-funded homeless programs – Must participate per federal requirements All other homeless programs – Strongly encouraged to participate through participation MOU 		
PROGRAM TYPE	CLIENT ELIGIBILITY SCREENING CRITERIA	PRIORITIZATION/POPULATION FACTORS
Permanent Housing Supportive Housing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Literal homelessness (Cat. 1) and fleeing domestic violence (Cat. 4) Verifiable disability Other limits may apply if CoC funded (e.g., from streets or shelters) Additional eligibility and prioritization requirements may apply based on other funder requirements Local client background 	Prioritization: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Chronicity of homelessness and highest service needs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ VI-SPDAT scores of (with highest scores prioritized) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8 or higher for individuals 9 or higher for families ✓ Non-chronic homeless households with disabilities and most severe service needs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ VI-SPDAT scores of (with highest scores prioritized) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8 or higher for individuals 9 or higher for families Populations/Subpopulations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Local population/subpopulation priority points (points can be aggregated)

	<p>limitations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ See attached CoC Local Standards on Client Background Limitations by Program Type <p><i>Goal is Housing First – screen in rather than screen out where possible</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 points: youth/young adults, ages 18-24 • 1 point: families with children • 2 points: veterans • 3 points: medically frail (includes individuals with more complex medical needs who may require more intensive or longer duration services, for example: cancer, strokes, heart diseases, cirrhosis, tuberculosis, paraplegia, persons who need assistance with daily living, etc.)
PROGRAM TYPE	CLIENT ELIGIBILITY SCREENING CRITERIA	PRIORITIZATION/POPULATION FACTORS
Transitional Housing (Shared and Non-shared Units)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Literal homelessness (Cat. 1), at imminent risk (Cat. 2), and fleeing domestic violence (Cat. 4) • Additional eligibility and prioritization requirements may apply based on other funder requirements • Local client background limitations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ See attached CoC Local Standards on Client Background Limitations by Program Type 	<p>Prioritization: Only households within a targeted population will be eligible for transitional housing, and will be prioritized in the following order:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Vulnerability <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • VI-SPDAT scores of (with highest scores prioritized) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 - 7 for individuals • 7 - 8 for families • <i>NOTE: individuals and families who score higher - in the PSH range - may be placed in TH as Interim Housing solution while awaiting PSH availability</i> <p>Populations/Subpopulations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Local population/subpopulation priority points (points can be aggregated) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 points: youth/young adults, ages 18-24 • 1 point: families with children • 2 points: veterans • 3 points: frail health
PROGRAM TYPE	CLIENT ELIGIBILITY SCREENING CRITERIA	PRIORITIZATION/POPULATION FACTORS
Rapid Re-Housing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Literal homelessness (Cat. 1) and fleeing domestic violence (Cat. 4) • Additional eligibility and 	<p>Prioritization: Only households within a targeted population will be eligible for transitional housing, and will be prioritized in the following order:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Vulnerability

	<p>prioritization requirements may apply based on other funder requirements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Local client background limitations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> See attached CoC Local Standards on Client Background Limitations by Program Type 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> VI-SPDAT scores of (with highest scores prioritized) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4 - 5 for individuals 4 - 6 for families <p>Populations/Subpopulations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Local population/subpopulation priority points (points can be aggregated) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2 points: youth/young adults, ages 18-24 1 point: families with children 2 points: veterans 3 points: frail health
PROGRAM TYPE	CLIENT ELIGIBILITY SCREENING CRITERIA	PRIORITIZATION/POPULATION FACTORS
Emergency Shelter	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Literal homelessness (Cat. 1), at imminent risk (Cat. 2), and fleeing domestic violence (Cat. 4) Additional eligibility and prioritization requirements may apply based on other funder requirements Local client background limitations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> See attached CoC Local Standards on Client Background Limitations by Program Type 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> First-come first-serve for all emergency shelters except the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> As referred by the County for County-funded shelters serving persons with psychiatric disabilities.
PROGRAM TYPE	CLIENT ELIGIBILITY SCREENING CRITERIA	PRIORITIZATION/POPULATION FACTORS
Prevention	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> At risk of homelessness (ESG Cats. 1 - 3), and at imminent risk (CoC Cat. 2) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Placeholder: A pre-screening process and priorities for referring at risk persons to prevention resources will be developed in the next year