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Verifying McKinney- Vento Eligibility

Student Name: _____ Date: _____

1. Where do you and/ or your family sleep at night?

- A shelter or transitional housing
- A car, park, campground, public place, abandoned building, or similar location
- A motel/ hotel due to loss of housing, economic hardship or similar reason
- Housing or any vehicle (including camper) without running water, electricity, or heat
- With another family in their home, apartment, etc., due to our loss of housing, economic hardship or similar reason; doubled up
- Other arrangement that is not fixed, regular, and/ or adequate and is not described in the above choices

Fixed—stationary, permanent, and not subject to change:

- *Is the arrangement permanent, or just temporary?*
- *Are you looking for another place to live?*
- *Do you plan to move out soon?*
- *Why are you staying in your current place?*
- *Where were you living right before your current place? Why did you leave?*
- *Where would you go if you couldn't stay where you are?*
- *Are you staying with friends/ relatives temporarily?*
- *Did you and your friends/ relatives decide to move in together or share a home and expenses for long term?*
- *Could your friends/ relatives ask you to leave if they wanted to?*
- *Are you sharing the home equally, or are you guests in the home?*

Regular—used on a regular/ nightly basis:

- *Do you stay at the same place every night?*
- *Do you have a key to the place you are living?*
- *Do you move around a lot?*
- *How long have you been at your current place? How long do you plan to stay?*
- *How long did you live in your last place of residence?*

Adequate—sufficient for meeting both the physical and psychological needs typically met in the home environment:

- *How many people are living in the home? How many bedrooms/ bathrooms does it have?*
- *Are you and your children sharing a room? How many people are staying in one room?*
- *Are you and your children sleeping in a bedroom, or public area, like a dining room?*
- *Does the home/ building have heat/ electricity/ running water?*
- *What condition is the place you live in? Does it keep out rain and wind? Is it safe? Is it warm and dry? Do the windows have glass panes?*
- *Can you come and go as you please?*

2. Does the student live with at least (1) parent or legal guardian? ___ YES ___ NO

If NO, student is an unaccompanied youth and student lives:

- Alone, or with friends and no adults
- With an adult, friend, or relative that is not the parent or legal guardian

For Office Use Only: Student/ Family Meets Homeless Criteria ___ YES ___ NO