

Student Housing Questionnaire

The answers to the following questions can help determine the services this student may be eligible to receive under the McKinney-Vento Act 42 U.S.C. 11435. The McKinney-Vento Act provides services and supports for children and youth experiencing homelessness (Please see reverse side for more information).

Select one of the situations that applies to you.

- Student lives in an "owned" or "rented" home with parent or legal guardian that is a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence. **Please complete form below the bold line.**
- Student lives in a home "owned" or "rented" by the parent or legal guardian, **without adequate facilities (water, heat, electricity, etc.). Please check OTHER and include what facilities you are needing.**

Student does not live in a home owned or rented by the parent or legal guardian due to loss of housing, economic hardship, or similiar reason, **please select below all that apply:**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Transitional Housing | <input type="checkbox"/> In a motel | <input type="checkbox"/> In a shelter |
| <input type="checkbox"/> In someone else's house or apartment with another person/family | <input type="checkbox"/> Moving from place to place/couch surfing | <input type="checkbox"/> A car, park, campsite, or similar location |
| <input type="checkbox"/> In a residence with inadequate facilities (no water, heat, electricity, etc.) | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | |

Name of student: _____
First Middle Last

Name of school: _____ Grade: _____ Birthdate (Month/Day/Year): _____ Age: _____

Gender: _____ Student is unaccompanied (not living with a parent or legal guardian)
 Student is living with a parent or legal guardian

Address of current residence: _____

Phone number or contact phone number: _____ Name of contact: _____

Print name of parent(s)/legal guardian(s): _____
(Or unaccompanied youth)

Signature of parent/legal guardian: _____ Date: _____
(Or unaccompanied youth)

- The student named above have younger siblings/children (not yet school age) who are in need of developmental screening, community support, or referrals to early childhood services. The school counselor may be able to assist you with age-appropriate resources.

For School Personnel Only: For data collection purposes and student information system coding

(N) Not Homeless (A) Shelters (B) Doubled-Up (C) Unsheltered (D) Hotels/Motels

- Provide copy of Housing Questionnaire to school counselor
- Counselor complete McKinney-Vento Intake form and submit to District McKinney-Vento Liaison



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SEC. 725. DEFINITIONS.

For purposes of this subtitle:

- (1) The terms enroll' and enrollment' include attending classes and participating fully in school activities.
- (2) The term homeless children and youths' —
 - (A) means individuals who lack a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence (within the meaning of section 103(a)(1)); and
 - (B) includes —
 - (i) children and youths who are sharing the housing of other persons due to loss of housing, economic hardship, or a similar reason; are living in motels, hotels, trailer parks, or camping grounds due to the lack of alternative adequate accommodations; are living in emergency or transitional shelters; are abandoned in hospitals;
 - (ii) children and youths who have a primary nighttime residence that is a public or private place not designed for or ordinarily used as a regular sleeping accommodation for human beings (within the meaning of section 103(a)(2)(C));
 - (iii) children and youths who are living in cars, parks, public spaces, abandoned buildings, substandard housing, bus or train stations, or similar settings; and
 - (iv) migratory children (as such term is defined in section 1309 of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965) who qualify as homeless for the purposes of this subtitle because the children are living in circumstances described in clauses (i) through (iii).
- (6) The term unaccompanied youth' includes a youth not in the physical custody of a parent or guardian.

Additional Resources

Parent information and resources can be found at the following:

[National Center for Homeless Education \(NCHE\)](#)

[National Association for the Education of Homeless Children and Youth \(NAEHCY\)](#)

[SchoolHouse Connection](#)



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