

HSE SCHOOLS SUPPORTS FAMILIES EXPERIENCING HOUSING INSTABILITY.



If you are experiencing any of the following situations:

In a shelter or transitional housing

In a motel, hotel, or campground because you don't have another safe and stable place to stay

In a car, park, public place, abandoned building, or bus or train station

In someone else's house because you lost your housing or are going through a hard time financially and don't have another safe and stable place to stay

Your school-age child(ren) might qualify for help under the federal McKinney-Vento Act.

If your child(ren) qualify under the McKinney-Vento Act, they have the right to:

Go to school for free and participate fully in school activities.

Enroll in school immediately and go to class, even if you don't have the documents normally required for school. HSE can help you get the documents needed to keep attending classes.

Get transportation to and from your school of origin, if you keep going to this school and ask for transportation.

Enroll in school near where you're staying or continue going to your school of origin (the school you went to when you last had a safe and stable place to live or the school where you were last enrolled), based on what's best for your child(ren). HSE will connect you with the McKinney-Vento liaison, who can help you understand your rights.

Get help at school such as transportation, academic help, and free meals.



Contact your school level counselor or administration for assistance.

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