

PLEASE READ: IMPORTANT MESSAGE

Hello Everyone,

I want to make you all aware of some updates in AWARDS that will impact data entry for some project types.

1. Rapid Rehousing Projects are now designated as Residential. HUD released new guidance that all RRH projects in an HMIS have to be designated as residential to allow for inventory to be created for successful HIC (Housing Inventory Chart) submission straight from HMIS. When processing an admission, or updating a client record to indicate that a client has moved into Permanent Housing, the user will now need to select a "bed" for each member of the household. Because neither the HMIS Team, or any funding source is monitoring these beds for anything other than the number of beds in the projects inventory the HMIS Team is creating beds in AWARDS using the business address of each RRH project. We are using the current HIC as an initial guide for bed creation, however I will be reaching out to each project individually to confirm the number of households each project is projecting to serve to ensure accuracy.

2. Coordinated Entry Projects no longer need to produce a CSV for APR submission. Late last week HUD released a statement that a new APR exclusively for SSO-CE (Supportive Services Only - Coordinated Entry) Projects was made available in the Sage HMIS Reporting Repository for recipients to use. This APR does not require a CSV – APR Report generated by the HMIS. Please [click here](#) to access this announcement along with the APR guidebook (CE APR information begins on page 40 of the guide).

Keep an eye out for our November Newsletter coming later this week.

As always,

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

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