PATH Quarterly Meeting

Wednesday, May 17th, 2017

Welcome!!
Agenda

- Attending Roll-Call
- HMIS Training/Updates
- PATH Program Updates
- Roles and Responsibilities
- Site Visits/Monitoring Tool
- National and Regional Meeting Updates
- FOA Q&A
- WebBGAS
- Quarterly/YTD Reporting
Homeless Management Information Systems for PATH Projects for Assistance in Transition from Homelessness
Logistics

- Questions
- PPT
- Audio
- Recording
Goals

• To have increased understanding of HMIS and PATH

• To discuss and address questions/concerns

• To unify data collection standards across the state
HMIS

- What is the Homeless Management Information System (HMIS)?
Why is HMIS important in PATH?

- HMIS provides a platform
- HMIS data generates PATH data report and Create PATH Annual Report
- Tracks clients
- Goals of the PATH program is linking clients to resources in the community
- Provide services
Terms

- Contact
- Engagement
- Enrollment
Terms

- Reengagement
- Referral
- Services
Gathering HMIS

- Acknowledgement of data collection
- Identify Street outreach Vs. Support Services Only
PATH Projects

• Street Outreach

• Supportive Services
Street Outreach

- Place not meant for habitation
  - vehicle, an abandoned building, a bus/train/subway station, airport, or anywhere outside)
Support Services Only

Has a place to stay including:
• Emergency shelter
• Own/renting home
• Staying with family friends
• Hotel
If Unknown

- Do not enter if unknown
- Be mindful of data quality
Question....
Project Entry Record

• Create HMIS Entry record for PATH.
## HMIS at Enrollment

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Enrollment

• Determination
  – Yes or No

• At enrollment is the start of recording referral and services

• Any service and Referrals after date of enrollment should be in your PATH annual report
Question....
Services

- Reengagement
- Screening
- Clinical assessment:
  - Habilitation/rehabilitation:
  - Community mental health
  - Substance use treatment
- Case management
Services

• Housing moving assistance
• Residential supportive services
• Minor home repairs or modifications
• Housing eligibility determination
• Security deposits
• One-time rent for eviction prevention
Referrals

- Community mental health referral
- Substance use treatment referral
- Primary health/dental care referral
- Job training referral
- Employment assistance referral
- Educational services referral
Referrals

- Income assistance referral
- Medical insurance referral
- Housing services referral
- Temporary housing referral
- Permanent housing referral
Connection with SOAR

- Identify persons who are connected or have been connected to SOAR (SSI/SSDI Outreach, Access, and Recovery) program.
- Choose one response category to indicate whether the client has been connected to the SOAR program.
- Ohio’s SOAR program is through the SSI Ohio project.
Exit Types

• Leave the program voluntarily
• Found Stable Permanent Housing
  – After-care Exit
• Transitioned to Other Housing Resource (RRH, PSH, TLP)
  – After-care Exit
• Disappeared
  – After 60 Days no contact
Workflow Overview

PATH Data Collection Workflow

1. Project Entry
   - First contact
   - Contacts collected throughout entire process
   - Engagement
     - An interactive client relationship results in a deliberate client assessment.*

2. Engagement
   - UDEs & PSDEs**
   - PATH-eligible determination

3. Enrollment
   - PATH-funded services and referrals
   - Client found to be PATH-eligible and agrees to engage in services.*

4. Project Exit
   - Stable permanent housing; or
   - Transitioned to mainstream resources; or
   - Client leaves the program; or
   - No contact with client for set period of time (determined by state)

*The Date of Engagement and date of PATH enrollment may occur on the same date.
**UDEs=Universal Data Elements
PSDEs=Program Specific Data Elements

Experiencing homelessness + Serious mental illness
Keeping Track

- Non-identifiable Data
- Data Quality Report
Resources


https://www.samhsa.gov/homelessness-programs-resources/grant-programs-services/path
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