

Attachment 4: Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) Self-Assessment

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Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) Self-Assessment

Instructions

Welcome and thank you for taking time to complete the Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) Self-Assessment Survey for the Evaluation of SAMHSA's CABHI program. Please answer the questions in this survey only about the CABHI project included in the invitation email you received, referred to throughout this survey as the "SAMHSA Homeless project."

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Respondent Information

We will start with questions about you and your agency's involvement with the SAMHSA Homeless project.

2. Please select your SAMHSA Homeless project from the choices below.

Homeless Project Name with ID Number

SAMHSA Grantee
Organization Name with ID
Number

3. Which of the following best describes your role(s) in the SAMHSA Homeless project (check all that apply)

	Yes	No
Project Director	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Project Coordinator	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Program Manager	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Local Evaluator	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Housing Provider	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Mental Health Counselor/Treatment Provider/Supervisor	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Substance Abuse Counselor/Treatment Provider/Supervisor	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Integrated Treatment (Mental Health & Substance Abuse) Counselor/Treatment Provider/Supervisor	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Trauma Specialist	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Case Manager	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Benefits Specialist	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Peer Specialist/Consumer	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Housing Specialist	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Vocational Specialist	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Educational Specialist	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Other (please specify)

4. Please write the name of your organization:

5. Which of the following best describes your organization's role(s) in the SAMHSA Homeless project. Please check all that apply (each row requires a "yes" or "no" response).

	Yes	No
Grantee agency	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Administrative/Project coordination/Oversight	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Research/Evaluation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Substance abuse treatment provider	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Mental health treatment provider	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Integrated treatment (mental health & substance abuse) provider	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Shelter	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Housing provider	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Case management provider	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Medical (primary/specialized) care provider	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Benefits assistance provider	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Education provider	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Employment or job training provider	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Veterans Administration (VA) services provider	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Justice/Criminal justice services provider	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Child and family services provider	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Other (please specify)

6. How long has your organization been providing permanent supportive housing?

- Less than one year
- 1-2 years
- 3-4 years
- 5-6 years
- 7-10 years
- more than 10 years
- I don't know

Grantee Project Section

Please answer the following questions based on the general practices across all PSH sites within your SAMHSA Homeless project.

7. Do project participants have a choice among various housing models (e.g. clean and sober, cooperative living, market rate housing, etc.)?

- Project participants choose the type of housing they prefer from a range of housing models.
- Project participants have a restricted choice of housing models (e.g. participants have only 2-3 options).
- Project participants are not given a choice of housing models and are assigned to one type of housing models.
- I don't know
- Other (please specify)

8. Do project participants have a choice of housing units?

- Project participants choose from 10 or more units.
- Project participants choose from 4-9 units.
- Project participants choose from 2-3 units
- Project participants are assigned to one unit only.
- I don't know.

9. Do project participants have a choice of the neighborhood where their apartment is located?

- Yes
- No
- I don't know

10. When project participants first join the project, can they wait for the unit of their choice without penalty?

- Yes, project participants can wait for the unit of their choice without risking discharge from the project or losing priority for services or units.
- Yes, project participants can wait for the unit of their choice, but they are allowed a set number of choices or a certain period of time before they lose priority on the list for units (e.g. 3 choices and then go to the bottom of the list).
- No, project participants must accept the unit offered; no waiting for units is allowed. Prospective project participants who refuse the unit offered are not discharged from the project but go to the end of the waiting list.
- No, project participants must accept the unit offered or be discharged from the project.
- I don't know.

11. Can project participants control the composition of their households?

- Yes, project participants choose the members of their household or can choose to live alone.
- Yes, but project participants have limited choice of the members of their household.
- No, project participants must accept a predetermined household not of their choosing or only have the option to live alone.
- I don't know.

12. Please indicate the percentage of project participants that live in the following types of housing arrangements

	None	1-30%	31-60%	61-100%
live in their own independent apartment/duplex/house	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
live in a private bedroom but share other common areas (bathroom, kitchen, etc) with other project participants	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
share a bedroom with other project participants	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
live in other arrangements	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Grantee Project Section

13. Social and clinical services can be provided on-site (in project office space) or off-site (in participant homes or other locations in the community). Which of the following best describes where your project's social and clinical services are provided?

- Primarily off-site
- Equally off-site and on-site
- Primarily on-site
- I don't know

14. Is the project capable of delivering services at locations of participants' choosing?

- The project cannot deliver any services at locations of participants' choosing.
- The project can deliver some services at locations of participants' choosing.
- The project can deliver all services at locations of participants' choosing.
- I don't know.

15. To what degree is there separation between service providers and housing management functions?

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	I Don't Know
Service providers have the authority to collect rents, enforce lease requirements, initiate evictions, etc.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Service providers regularly provide services that overlap with housing management.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Housing management staff have the authority to provide social services.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Housing management staff regularly provide services that overlap with social service providers.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The same staff members perform both social service roles and housing management roles.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

16. Which of the following best describes the actions your project takes the first time participants lose their housing?

- Participants are discharged from project services.
- Participants are discharged from services, and there are explicit criteria outlining options for re-enrollment.
- Participants continue to receive project services but may be discharged if they do not meet certain criteria.
- Participants continue to receive project services even if they lose housing.
- I don't know.
- NA

17. Please indicate the extent to which the following statements describe actions your project takes with regard to project participants losing their housing.

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	I Don't Know
Project does not offer participants a new housing unit nor assists with finding housing outside of the project.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Project does not offer participants a new unit but assists them to find their housing outside of the project.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Project offers participants a new unit but only if they meet readiness requirements, complete a period of time in more supervised housing, or the project has set limits on the number of relocations.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Project offers participants a new unit without requiring them to demonstrate housing readiness and has no set limits on the number of possible relocations.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

18. Please indicate the extent to which the following statements describe actions your project takes when participants lose their housing more than once.

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	I Don't Know	NA (participants are exited after losing housing the first time)
Participants are discharged from project services and do not have the option to re-enroll.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Participants are discharged from services, and there are explicit criteria outlining options for re-enrollment.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Participants continue to receive project services but may be discharged if they do not meet certain criteria.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Participants continue to receive project services even if they lose housing.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

19. Please indicate the extent to which the following statements describe participants' status on eligibility lists when they lose housing.

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	I Don't Know	N/A (participants are not re-housed)
Project participants can wait for another unit of their choice without risking discharge from the project or losing priority for services or housing.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Project participants can wait for another unit of their choice, but they are allowed a set number of choices or a certain period of time before they lose priority for services or housing.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Project participants must accept the first unit offered; no waiting for alternative units is allowed. Participants who refuse the unit offered are not discharged from the project but lose priority for services or housing.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Project participants must accept the unit offered or be discharged from the project.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Grantee Project Section

20. Please indicate the percentage of project participants living in a building where...

	None	1-30%	31-60%	61-100%
fewer than 1/4 of units are for people with special needs.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
between 1/4 and 1/2 of all units are for people with special needs.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
between 1/2 and 3/4 of all units are for people with special needs.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
3/4 or more of all units are for people with special needs.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I don't know.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

21. Please indicate the percentage of project participants...

	None	1-30%	31-60%	61-100%
Living in private market housing.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Living in housing units owned by mental health, behavioral health, or non-profit agencies.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Living in housing units owned by local public housing authorities.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Living in other settings.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I don't know.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

22. How many distinct neighborhoods do you utilize to house project participants?

- 1 neighborhood.
- 2-4 neighborhoods.
- 5-10 neighborhoods.
- 11-15 neighborhoods.
- 16 or more neighborhoods.
- I don't know.

23. Are project participants the primary authors of their service plans at project entry?

- Yes
- No
- I don't know

24. Are project participants offered the opportunity to modify their service plans (i.e. selection of services) on an ongoing basis?

- Yes
- No
- I don't know

25. Which of the following best describes the choice of services project participants have on an ongoing basis (excluding case management)?

- Project participants may choose from an array of services including the option of no services.
- Project participants may choose from an array of services, but choosing no services is not an option.
- Project participants must participate in services selected by staff.
- I don't know.

26. Which of the following best describes the array of available services (i.e. service mix) to meet project participants' changing needs and preferences?

- Service mix is highly flexible and the type, location, intensity, and frequency can be adapted.
- Service mix is somewhat flexible and variations can occur at project participant request.
- Service mix cannot be adapted to meet project participants' changing needs and preferences.
- I don't know.

27. Which of the following best describes participants' involvement in the design and provision of project services?

- Significant participant control of services exists.
- Some participant input into services exists (e.g. participant advisory board).
- No participant input; project is staff-controlled.
- I don't know.

28. What is the average caseload of the project's case managers who provide support services?

- No more than 15 project participants to each full-time equivalent (FTE) case manager.
- 16-25 project participants to each FTE case manager.
- 26-35 project participants to each FTE case manager.
- 36 or more project participants to each FTE case manager.
- I don't know.
- NA

29. What is the participant/staff ratio the project typically maintains for doctors and/or nurse practitioners?

- No doctors and/or nurse practitioners are available within the project
- 150 or more participants per 1 FTE staff
- 100-149 participants per 1 FTE staff
- 76-99 participants per 1 FTE staff
- 75 or fewer participants per 1 FTE staff
- I don't know

30. When a participant first enrolls in the project, is there a policy regarding the minimum number of face-to-face contacts the participant is required to have with project staff?

- No minimum requirement
- Yes, there is a minimum requirement.
- I don't know

31. What is the average number of monthly face-to-face contacts participants have with project staff?

- Fewer than 1
- 1
- 2-3
- 4-5
- 6+
- I don't know

32. How often do project staff meet to plan and review services for participants?

- Less than one day per month
- 1 day per month
- 2-3 days per month
- 1 day per week
- 2-3 days per week
- At least 4 days per week
- I don't know

Grantee Project Section

Please indicate whether the following types of input into project operations and policies are available to participants.

33. The project has a formal grievance process for participants to express concerns or dissatisfaction.

- Agree
- Disagree
- I don't know

34. The project routinely offers opportunities for participant feedback (e.g. in a community meeting, survey, etc.).

- Agree
- Disagree
- I don't know

35. The project routinely includes participants on planning and implementation committees.

- Agree
- Disagree
- I don't know

36. The project employs persons with experiences of substance abuse and/or mental health issues in regular staff positions.

- Agree
- Disagree
- I don't know

37. The project employs persons with experiences of substance abuse and/or mental health issues as peer specialists.

- Agree
- Disagree
- I don't know

38. Participants are included on a governing body.

- Agree
- Disagree
- I don't know

39. Which of the following statements best reflect the times that services are available to project participants?

- Services are available 24/7.
- Services are available on flexible schedules, but not 24/7.
- Services are available during regular business hours Monday-Friday, with some weekend availability.
- Services are available during regular business hours Monday through Friday with no weekend availability.
- I don't know

40. Are behavioral health services team-based?

- Yes - all behavioral health services, including psychiatric services, are provided through a team within the project.
- Mostly - all behavioral health services except psychiatric services are provided through a team within the project.
- No - individual service providers are primarily responsible for behavioral health services, but specialists are routinely consulted.
- No - the primary responsibility for behavioral health services falls to one provider.
- I don't know.

Behavioral Health Team Module

The following questions are about the team-based behavioral health services your SAMHSA Homeless project provides. These questions are based on the ACT model philosophy and standards.

41. What percentage of participants have had face-to-face contact with at least 3 different project staff members in the last month?

- Less than 20%
- 20-49%
- 50-79%
- 80% or more
- I don't know

Behavioral Health Team Module

Please indicate whether or not the project uses its organizational project or team meetings for the following:

42. Conduct a clinically-relevant review of participants with whom you've had contact in the past 24 hours.

- Yes
- No
- I don't know
- NA - the project does not hold organizational project (or team) meetings.

43. Conduct a review of participants' long-term goals of all participants on a regularly scheduled basis.

- Yes
- No
- I don't know
- NA - the project does not hold organizational project (or team) meetings.

44. Develop a staff schedule based on participant schedules and emerging needs.

- Yes
- No
- I don't know
- NA - the project does not hold organizational project or team meetings.

45. Discuss the need for proactive contact with participants to prevent future crises.

- Yes
- No
- I don't know
- NA - the project does not hold organizational project (or team) meetings.

46. Review previous staff assignments for follow-through.

- Yes
- No
- I don't know
- NA - the project does not hold organizational project (or team) meetings.

Service Philosophy Module

The following questions are about your organization's service philosophy. If your project includes more than one PSH site, please answer based on the site used by most participants in the past year or the typical housing placement.

47. For participants with psychiatric disabilities, which of the following best describes the requirements to take medication or participate in psychiatric treatment?

- All participants with psychiatric disabilities are required to take medication and/or participate in psychiatric treatment.
- Most participants with psychiatric disabilities are required to take medication and/or participate in psychiatric treatment but exceptions are made.
- Participants with psychiatric disabilities who have not achieved symptom stability are required to take medication and/or participate in psychiatric treatment.
- Participants with psychiatric disabilities are not required to take medication and/or participate in treatment.
- I don't know.
- NA

48. For project participants with substance use disorders, which of the following best describes the requirement to participate in substance use treatment?

- All participants with substance use disorders, regardless of current use or abstinence, are required to participate in substance use treatment.
- Participants with substance use disorders who have not achieved a specified period of abstinence must participate in substance use treatment.
- Participants who are currently using substances must participate in substance use treatment.
- Participants with substance use disorders are not required to participate in substance use treatment.
- I don't know.
- NA

49. Does the project utilize a harm reduction approach to substance use?

- Participants are required to abstain from alcohol and/or drugs at all times.
- Participants are required to abstain from alcohol and/or drugs while they are in their residence.
- Participants are not required to abstain from alcohol and/or drugs, but staff work with participants to achieve abstinence.
- Participants are not required to abstain from alcohol and/or drugs and staff work with participants to reduce the negative consequences of use and/or utilize appropriate stage-matched interventions.
- I don't know.
- NA

Service Philosophy Module

Please indicate whether the following actions are used with participants who are difficult to engage in services.

50. The project pursues discharge after a certain number of attempts.

- Yes
- Sometimes
- No
- I don't know

51. The project withdraws contact for a period of time, then attempts re-engagement.

- Yes
- Sometimes
- No
- I don't know

52. The project uses therapeutic limit-setting as necessary.

- Yes
- Sometimes
- No
- I don't know

53. The project uses motivational intervention to build rapport as necessary (e.g. taking the participant out for lunch without pressure to engage in treatment).

- Yes
- Sometimes
- No
- I don't know

Service Philosophy Module

Please indicate whether the following activities are used to promote adherence to a treatment plan.

54. Requiring urine screening

- Yes
- Sometimes
- No
- I don't know
- NA

55. Paying participants to take medication

- Yes
- Sometimes
- No
- I don't know
- NA

56. Requiring daily visits with project staff

- Yes
- Sometimes
- No
- I don't know
- NA

57. Withholding of participants' income/allowance

- Yes
- Sometimes
- No
- I don't know
- NA

58. Withholding participants' services

- Yes
- Sometimes
- No
- I don't know
- NA

59. Withholding participants' housing

- Yes
- Sometimes
- No
- I don't know
- NA

60. Engaging in bargaining or quid pro quo (e.g. "I'll help you find furniture if you can show me one week of sobriety")

- Yes
- Sometimes
- No
- I don't know
- NA

Service Philosophy Module

Please indicate whether the following components are included in a participant's treatment plan and follow-up.

61. Goals that are chosen by staff or set by the project

- Yes
- Sometimes
- No
- I don't know
- NA

62. Goals that are chosen by staff with input from the participant

- Yes
- Sometimes
- No
- I don't know
- NA

63. Goals that are chosen by the participant with input from staff

- Yes
- Sometimes
- No
- I don't know
- NA

64. Goals related to participant strengths

- Yes
- Sometimes
- No
- I don't know
- NA

65. Strategies for overcoming barriers to successful goal attainment

- Yes
- Sometimes
- No
- I don't know
- NA

66. Actions that both participants and project staff will take to meet goals

- Yes
- Sometimes
- No
- I don't know
- NA

Service Philosophy Module

67. Does the project adjust or provide a step-down approach to services with the intention of fostering independence and self-determination?

- No
- Yes
- I don't know

68. Does your project primarily offer single-site apartments (e.g. 2 or more apartments within a building reserved for the target population) or scattered-site apartments (e.g. apartments that are located in different buildings and/or neighborhoods)?

- 80% or more of housing offered is single-site
- More than 50% but less than 80% of housing offered is single-site
- Housing is about 50% single-site and 50% scattered-site
- More than 50% but less than 80% of housing offered is scattered-site
- 80% or more of housing offered is scattered-site
- I don't know

Permanent Supportive Housing Sites: Scattered-Site Housing

Please answer the following questions about the typical scattered-site housing placements within your SAMHSA Homeless project.

69. On average, how much of their income do project participants pay for housing?

- 30% or less.
- 31-40%.
- 41-50%.
- More than 50%.
- I don't know.
- NA - project participants do not pay for housing.

70. What percentage of housing units rented by project participants meet the Department of Housing and Urban Development's Housing Quality Standards (HQS)?

- 76-100%
- 50-75%
- Fewer than 50%
- Housing does not meet HQS.
- Housing is not assessed for HQS.
- I don't know.

71. Do project participants have full legal rights to tenancy?

- Yes
- No
- I don't know

Permanent Supportive Housing Sites: Scattered-Site Housing

Please answer the following questions about requirements project participants must meet to GAIN ACCESS to permanent housing.

72. Are project participants required to complete a period of time in transitional housing or outpatient, inpatient, or residential treatment to gain access to permanent housing?

- Yes
- No
- I don't know

73. Are project participants required to attain sobriety or abstinence from alcohol and/or drugs to gain access to permanent housing?

- Yes
- No
- I don't know
- NA

74. Are project participants required to comply with medication to gain access to permanent housing?

- Yes
- No
- I don't know
- NA

75. Are project participants required to demonstrate psychiatric symptom stability to gain access to permanent housing?

- Yes
- No
- I don't know
- NA

76. Are project participants required to show willingness to comply with a treatment plan that addresses sobriety, abstinence, and/or medication compliance to gain access to permanent housing?

- Yes
- No
- I don't know
- NA

77. Are project participants required to agree to face-to-face visits with staff to gain access to permanent housing?

- Yes
- No
- I don't know

78. Are project participants required to meet responsibilities of a standard lease to gain access to permanent housing?

- Yes
- No
- I don't know

79. Are project participants required to demonstrate housing readiness to gain access to permanent housing?

- No - project participants have access to housing with no requirements to demonstrate readiness (other than provisions in a standard lease).
- Somewhat - project participants have access to housing with minimal readiness requirements, such as engagement with case management.
- Yes - to qualify for housing, project participants must meet requirements such as sobriety, medication compliance, or willingness to comply with program rules; OR participants must first successfully complete a period of time in another program, such as transitional housing.
- I don't know.

Permanent Supportive Housing Sites: Scattered-Site Housing

Please answer the following questions about the requirements project participants must meet to STAY IN permanent housing.

80. Are project participants required to maintain sobriety or abstinence from alcohol and/or drugs in order to stay in permanent housing?

- Yes, this requirement is included in the lease or occupancy agreement
- Yes, but this requirement is not included in the lease or occupancy agreement
- No
- I don't know
- NA

81. Are project participants required to comply with medication in order to stay in permanent housing?

- Yes, this requirement is included in the lease or occupancy agreement
- Yes, but this requirement is not included in the lease or occupancy agreement
- No
- I don't know
- NA

82. Are project participants required to demonstrate psychiatric symptom stability in order to stay in permanent housing?

- Yes, this requirement is included in the lease or occupancy agreement
- Yes, but this requirement is not included in the lease or occupancy agreement
- No
- I don't know
- NA

83. Are project participants required to comply with treatment plan and/or participate in formal treatment activities (e.g. attend groups, see a psychiatrist, etc.) in order to stay in permanent housing?

- Yes, this requirement is included in the lease or occupancy agreement
- Yes, but this requirement is not included in the lease or occupancy agreement
- No
- I don't know
- NA

84. Are project participants required to have face-to-face visits with staff in order to stay in permanent housing?

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- Yes, but this requirement is not included in the lease or occupancy agreement
- No
- I don't know
- NA

85. Are project participants required to meet responsibilities of a standard lease in order to stay in permanent housing?

- Yes, this requirement is included in the lease or occupancy agreement
- Yes, but this requirement is not included in the lease or occupancy agreement
- No
- I don't know
- NA

Permanent Supportive Housing: Scattered-Site

86. Is ongoing tenancy/voucher issuance contingent on compliance with project provisions?

- No - not contingent in any way on compliance with project or treatment participation (e.g. sobriety or medication compliance).
- No - project rules require participating in ongoing services, but failure to comply with this requirement does not lead to eviction/revoked voucher.
- Yes - tenancy/voucher is revoked based on noncompliance with the project or failure to participate in treatment (e.g. not maintaining sobriety or keeping to a required medical regimen).
- I don't know.

87. Is housing tenure permanent with no actual or expected time limits (other than those defined under a standard lease or occupancy agreement)?

- No - there are rigid time limits on the length of stay in housing such that participants are expected to move by a certain date or time or the housing is considered emergency, short-term, or transitional.
- No - there are standardized time limits on housing tenure such that participants are expected to move when standardized criteria are met.
- Somewhat - there are individual time limits on housing tenure such that participants can stay as long as necessary but are expected to move when certain criteria are met.
- Yes - there are no expected time limits on housing tenure, although the lease agreement may need to be renewed periodically.
- I don't know.

88. Is participation in project services permanent with no actual or expected time limits?

- No - there are rigid time limits on the length of participation in project services such that participants are expected to exit the project by a certain date or time.
- No - there are standardized time limits on participation in project services such that participants are expected to exit the project when standardized criteria are met.
- Somewhat - there are individual time limits on participation in project services such that participants can stay as long as necessary but are expected to exit the project when certain criteria are met.
- Yes - there are no expected time limits on participation in project services.
- I don't know.

89. Please indicate which population your project serves and whether priorities are given for certain participant characteristics.

	Project will serve this population	Projects serves AND gives priority for admission	Project serves, gives priority for admission, AND participant MUST have this characteristic to enter program	Project does not serve this population	I don't know
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Participants who are actively using substances, including alcohol and/or illicit drugs	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
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90. Do project participants have control of staff entry into their units?

- Yes - service staff may not enter the unit unless project participants invite them.
- Sometimes - service staff may enter the unit uninvited only under specific circumstances agreed on in advance.
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- No - service staff has free access to housing units, including making unannounced visits.
- I don't know.

91. Participants move from project enrollment to permanent housing in the following time period:

- Within 2 weeks
- More than 2 weeks but within 1 month
- More than 1 month but within 3 months
- More than 3 months but within 6 months
- More than 6 months but within 1 year
- More than 1 year
- I don't know

92. Is at least 80% of housing offered to participants in the form of scattered-site housing?

- Yes
- No, less than 80% is scattered-site housing, and at least 20% is single-site housing

Permanent Supportive Housing Site: Single-Site Housing

The following questions are about the single-site PSH used by your SAMHSA Homeless project. If your project includes more than one PSH site, please answer based on the site used by most participants in the past year.

93. How many single-site permanent supportive housing locations are used by your project?

- 1
- 2-3
- 4-5
- 6 or more
- I don't know

94. On average, how much of their income do project participants pay for housing?

- 30% or less.
- 31-40%.
- 41-50%.
- More than 50%.
- I don't know.
- NA - project participants do not pay for housing.

95. What percentage of housing units rented by project participants meet the Department of Housing and Urban Development's Housing Quality Standards (HQS)?

- 76-100%
- 50-75%
- Fewer than 50%
- Housing does not meet HQS.
- Housing is not assessed for HQS.
- I don't know.

96. Do project participants have full legal rights to tenancy?

- Yes
- No
- I don't know
- NA

Permanent Supportive Housing Site: Single-Site Housing

Please answer the following questions about requirements project participants must meet to GAIN ACCESS to permanent housing.

97. Are project participants required to complete a period of time in transitional housing or outpatient, inpatient, or residential treatment to gain access to permanent housing?

- Yes
- No
- I don't know

98. Are project participants required to attain sobriety or abstinence from alcohol and/or drugs to gain access to permanent housing?

- Yes
- No
- I don't know
- NA

99. Are project participants required to comply with medication to gain access to permanent housing?

- Yes
- No
- I don't know
- NA

100. Are project participants required to demonstrate psychiatric symptom stability to gain access to permanent housing?

- Yes
- No
- I don't know
- NA

101. Are project participants required to show willingness to comply with a treatment plan that addresses sobriety, abstinence, and/or medication compliance to gain access to permanent housing?

- Yes
- No
- I don't know
- NA

102. Are project participants required to agree to face-to-face visits with staff to gain access to permanent housing?

- Yes
- No
- I don't know

103. Are project participants required to meet responsibilities of a standard lease to gain access to permanent housing?

- Yes
- No
- I don't know

104. Are project participants required to demonstrate housing readiness to gain access to units?

- No - project participants have access to housing with no requirements to demonstrate readiness (other than provisions in a standard lease).
- Somewhat - project participants have access to housing with minimal readiness requirements, such as engagement with case management.
- Yes - to qualify for housing, project participants must meet requirements such as sobriety, medication compliance, or willingness to comply with program rules; OR participants must first successfully complete a period of time in another program (such as transitional housing).
- I don't know.

Permanent Supportive Housing: Single-Site

Please answer the following questions about the requirements project participants must meet to STAY IN permanent housing.

105. Are project participants required to maintain sobriety or abstinence from alcohol and/or drugs to stay in permanent housing?

- Yes, this requirement is included in the lease or occupancy agreement
- Yes, but this requirement is not included in the lease or occupancy agreement
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106. Are project participants required to comply with medication in order to stay in permanent housing?

- Yes, this requirement is included in the lease or occupancy agreement
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Last Question

This is the last section of the survey and only has one question.

117. Thank you for taking time to participate in this survey! Would you like to receive a summary of results of the analysis?

Yes

No