

# **OneHome Inactive Status Management Guide**

# This guide will review each of the following:

Understanding the importance of using HMIS to keep clients active



When your clients will be moved to an inactive status



Take action to ensure your active clients do not become inactive



Properly reactivate clients who have been inactivated





## The Importance of Using HMIS to Keep Clients Active





If it's not in HMIS, the OneHome Coordinators and the rest of the community don't know if the client is still in need of housing, still in the area, or actively engaging in services.



to track, prioritize and house people eligible for housing resources through the coordinated entry system

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Follow up with clients + consistent data entry & updated information leads to clients being housed faster and vacancies filled faster.

### But what if my organization has prioritized using a system that is not HMIS?

- Use of HMIS and OneHome are <u>required</u> by HUD, regardless of your organization's other system(s). HMIS is a cross community system, the more we use it, the better information for everyone.
- Not using HMIS properly <u>adversely impacts your client's ability to get housing</u> through OneHome. If you need assistance, please reach out to the OneHome team and we will problem solve with you.



#### When Clients are Moved to an Inactive Status



#### **Inactive Policy**

A household who is inactive for 90 days without communication is deemed inactive in the Community Queue. Providers must make three attempts to outreach that household in order to connect them to OneHome. Any inactive household that reconnects with a provider at any time will not lose their place on the Community Queue, but can be immediately placed back on it for a match to housing as long as their circumstances have not changed related to their prioritization.

#### Clients are moved to Inactive status when:

Clients have no activity documented in HMIS within the last 90 days

**AND** 

It is after the 15<sup>th</sup> of

the month

- Clients will be <u>removed from the Community Queue at 91+ days</u> of inactivity
- Clients will be <u>removed from the OneHome Program at 120+ days</u> of inactivity



#### **Actions to Ensure Your Active Clients Do Not Become Inactive**



It is critical that you continue to document either the "Current Living Situation" Assessment in OneHome, or some service within your agency program for active clients, every 60 days.

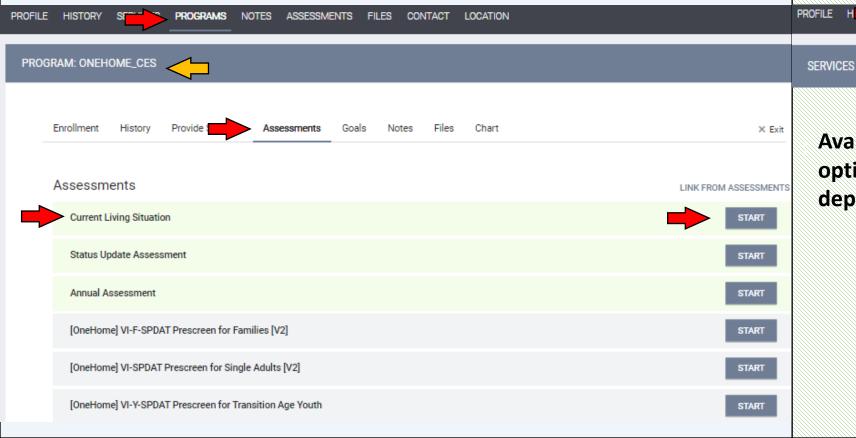
#### To complete the Current Living Situation Assessment:

You must be in the OneHome Agency (top right, under your name), search for the client, click on the client's OneHome Program enrollment and go to Assessments under the program. ALSO! You can skip the "Living Situation Verified By" Question.

#### To Add a Service:

Click on the Services Tab and select an action.

SERVICES



Available services vary by program so the options of services to add to client's profile depend on what services your program offers.

ASSESSMENTS



#### **Reactivate Clients Who Have Been Deactivated**



