

El Paso HMIS
Steering Committee Meeting
“The More You Know”



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What Will Be Covered?

- Clarity Update: Currently Enrolled Label
- Auto Exits & Re-Opening Client Program
- Exit Screens & Destinations Focus
- Conclusion/Questions



Clarity Update-NOW LIVE

NEW
UPDATE
NOW LIVE!

Updated — “Currently Enrolled” Label

Overview: We have updated the **Include group members** list that allows you to select members of a client’s household to include in an [enrollment](#) for that client. The system will now display a **Currently Enrolled** label for other household members who are actively enrolled in the same Program (i.e., there is no enrollment end date, or the end date is after today).

The screenshot displays the 'City Shelter' interface. At the top, it shows 'Active Clients' with a circular gauge indicating 1 client. Below this, a legend shows 0% for Families and 100% for Individuals. The 'Funding Source' section indicates HUD ESG - Emergency Shelter (operating and/or essential services) with 'Full Availability'. The 'Service Categories' section shows 'Mental Health', 'Housing', and 'Food' as selected options. At the bottom, the 'Include group members' section features a red-bordered box containing a toggle switch for 'Tom Test (Currently Enrolled)', which is currently turned on.

City Shelter

Active Clients

1
CLIENT

0 % Families
100 % Individuals

Funding Source
HUD ESG - Emergency Shelter
(operating and/or essential
services)
Availability
Full Availability

Service Categories:
✓ Housing
✓ Food
✓ Mental Health

Include group members:

Tom Test (Currently Enrolled)

Currently Enrolled Label

John Wayne

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PROGRAM HISTORY

Program Name	Start Date	End Date	Type
Emergency Shelter Emergency Shelter: Night-by-Night El Paso HMIS ⓘ	06/03/2022	Active	Individual

- ✓ Currently, John Wayne is active at the El Paso HMIS Emergency Shelter and enrolled as an individual.

Currently Enrolled Label (cont.)

Josephine Wayne

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Include group members:

- Melinda Wayne
- Stephanie Wayne
- John Wayne (Currently Enrolled)
- Barbara Wayne
- John Wayne Jr
- Bruce Wayne

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- The next day, his wife Josephine Wayne & kids will be entered into the shelter.
- However, Mr. John Wayne has already been enrolled into this program.
- If they are a family and will be together in the shelter, should I enroll Mr. Wayne again under Josephine Wayne? What if they come in separate of John Wayne?


Currently Enrolled Label (cont.)

There are two ways to think about this situation:

- If Josephine Wayne and kids will be JOINING John Wayne at the shelter, then they should be added under John Wayne.

3 DAYS
ACTIVE PROGRAM

Program Type:	Individual
Program Start Date:	06/03/2022
Assigned Staff:	Denver Herald
Head of Household:	John Wayne <input type="checkbox"/>

Program Group Members 

No active members

ENROLL ADDITIONAL MEMBERS

- Josephine Wayne Wife
- Melinda Wayne Daughter
- Stephanie Wayne Daughter
- Barbara Wayne Daughter
- John Wayne Jr Son
- Bruce Wayne Brother

ENROLL

Currently Enrolled Label (cont.)

- The other situation is if Josephine Wayne and kids enter the Emergency Shelter SEPARATE from John Wayne.
- If so, continue to enroll family members, but do NOT enroll John Wayne.

Josephine Wayne

PROFILE HISTORY SERVICES **PROGRAMS** ASSESSMENTS NOTES FILES CONTACT LOCATION REFERRALS

Include group members:

- Melinda Wayne
- Stephanie Wayne
- John Wayne (**Currently Enrolled**)
- Barbara Wayne
- John Wayne Jr
- Bruce Wayne

 PRINT DIRECTIONS

ENROLL

The Currently Enrolled label is a WARNING to make sure duplicate enrollments do not happen.




Auto Exits

Auto Exits can happen for a few reasons...

- Client has been enrolled in a program, but have no services provided.
- The services provided have expired and no NEW updated services have been applied.
- ✓ This can have an effect on reporting and attendance for programs.

Is My Client Auto Exited?

- Services entered for the client have expired and have not been updated.

Service Name	Start Date	End Date	
Case Management:Case Management El Paso HMIS ⓘ	04/01/2022	04/30/2022	
Emergency Shelter - EPCH:Emergency Shelter - EPCH El Paso HMIS ⓘ	04/01/2022	04/30/2022	 

- Exit screen shows “Data Not Collected” for all answers & Exit date is end date of last service provided.

End Program for client John Wayne

Project Exit Date

04/30/2022



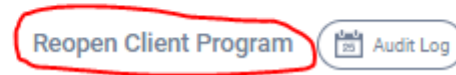
Destination

Data not collected

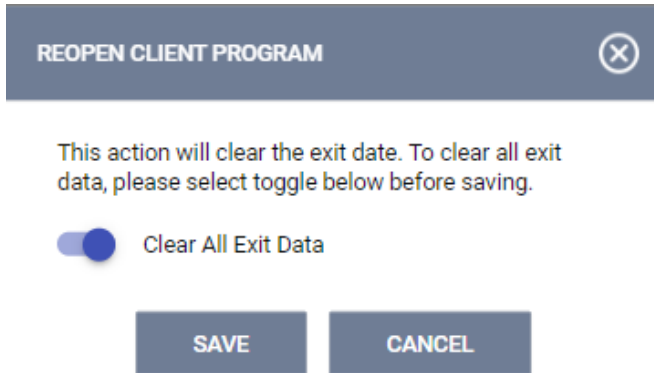


How to Reopen Client Program

1. Go to client EXIT screen, scroll down and click on “Reopen Client Program”.



2. Box will appear asking if you want to clear ALL exit data. If so, toggle switch on. To save exit data, leave switch off. Confirm after.



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By confirming, all exit data for this client will be removed. This action will not modify any client service end dates.



Your Not Done Yet!

To make sure client stays active....

- Update or extend client services already provided.
- If you do NOT do this, the system will look at the last date service was provided and Auto Exit client again.
- Provide additional services.
- You can always add case management service to the clients program to keep them active.

Exit Screens & Destinations

- Recently looking at last years data, one major concern is the information on Exit Screens, especially Destinations.
- We always focus on the enrollment screen when we first encounter a client & enter them into our program.
- However, when clients leave our program, we sometimes don't follow up with where they went.

End Program for client John Wayne

Project Exit Date

04/30/2022



Destination

Rental by client, no ongoing housing subsidy



Make The Effort!!

Here are a few tips to help gather Exit information:

- Keep in contact with clients often.
- If client mentions leaving soon, ask more detailed questions to find out where and when. This may help if client leaves unexpectedly.
- If client leave unexpectedly, try to contact client (Cell number, work number etc.). Try to complete Exit screen as best as possible.
- Emergency Shelter data is the hardest to capture due to clients coming and going, but if you get any information of departure, enter it in notes.
- RRH & HP programs should always have exit information including destination. (Rental by client answers)

Conclusion

- Keep an eye out for Currently Enrolled label!
- Look for key clues of Auto Exit. If you need help with reopening client program, go to the EPCH website, under Resources and El Paso HMIS and look under HMIS How-To Guides.(How Do I Remove a Program Exit)
- Exit screens and Destinations are just as important as enrollment screens. Information entered into the exit screen helps with analysis and program outcomes.

Any Questions?

EPCH HMIS “Eyes on the Fries!”

HMIS Zoom Lunch Meeting!

- **Open to anyone who needs help or has questions with HMIS!**
- **Zoom meeting will be from 11:30am-1:30pm**
- **Next meeting is on Friday 6/17/22!**
- **Bring your questions, concerns and lunch!**
- **Hosted by Denver Herald (HMIS Tech)**

Hope To See You There!



Thank you!



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WE ARE HERE TO HELP!