



MISSOULA

COORDINATED ENTRY SYSTEM

Missoula's CES Mission

TO RAPIDLY RESPOND TO PEOPLE EXPERIENCING LITERAL HOMELESSNESS BY WORKING COLLABORATIVELY AS A COMMUNITY TO COORDINATE HOUSING AND SERVICE OPTIONS AND ENSURE HOMELESSNESS IS RARE, BRIEF, AND NON-RECURRING IN MISSOULA COUNTY.

Why Coordinated Entry?



CONNECTS PEOPLE TO THE MOST APPROPRIATE HOUSING OPTIONS



PLACES PEOPLE EFFECTIVELY AND EFFICIENTLY INTO HOUSING PROGRAMS



REDUCES HOMELESSNESS BY OFFERING PREVENTION AND DIVERSION SERVICES



EMPOWERS DATA-DRIVEN, COLLABORATIVE DECISION MAKING



PROVIDES INFORMATION ON WHAT ASSISTANCE PEOPLE NEED

Missoula's CES Goal

TO HOUSE ALL PEOPLE EXPERIENCING LITERAL HOMELESSNESS WITHIN 90 DAYS FROM ACCESSING THE MISSOULA COORDINATED ENTRY SYSTEM.

THE FOUR ORGANIZATIONS LISTED BELOW ARE THE COORDINATED ENTRY ACCESS POINTS OF MISSOULA

PEOPLE EXPERIENCING LITERAL HOMELESSNESS SHOULD BE REFERRED DIRECTLY TO THESE ORGANIZATIONS

STAFF MEMBERS OF THESE ORGANIZATIONS OFFER THE SAME APPROACH AT ALL ACCESS POINTS AND ARE TRAINED IN TRIAGE, DIVERSION AND ASSESSMENT SERVICES

IF A HOUSING ASSESSMENT IS NECESSARY, THE ORGANIZATION WILL DO SO AND THEN IMMEDIATELY REFER TO AN APPROPRIATE EMERGENCY SHELTER

BASED ON THE HOUSING ASSESSMENT RESULTS, THE HOUSEHOLD WILL BE REFERRED TO THE MOST APPROPRIATE COMMUNITY RESOURCES, WHICH MAY INCLUDE A RAPID RE-HOUSING OR PERMANENT SUPPORTIVE HOUSING PROGRAM.

COORDINATED ENTRY IS NOT A HOUSING PROGRAM OR GUARANTEE OF SHELTER OR HOUSING, BUT WORKS TO COORDINATE ALL COMMUNITY RESOURCES AND MAKE THE PROCESS QUICKER AND EASIER FOR THOSE EXPERIENCING LITERAL HOMELESSNESS.



COORDINATED ENTRY ACCESS POINTS



Poverello Center

1110 W Broadway

(406) 728-1809

6am-8:15pm, DAILY

BUS ROUTE: 2, 14

YWCA

1130 W Broadway

(406) 543-6691

9am-5pm, M-F

BUS ROUTE: 2, 14

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24/7

Dial 2-1-1 or 549-5555
from any phone

*Ask to speak with an
operator about your
housing situation

Salvation Army

355 S Russell

(406) 549-0710

9am-3pm (any), M-F

3pm-7pm (youth only), M-TH

BUS ROUTE: 1, 2, 9

HOMELESS OUTREACH TEAM

(406) 493-7955

8am-5pm, M-F