

Welcome!

October 2024 HMIS Part 2 Training



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- 1. Introductions and Policies
- 2. Searching and Creating a Client Profile
- 3. Creating and Managing Household Members
- 4. Enrolling Clients Into a Project
- 5. Services and Updates
- 6. Exiting a Client from a Project
- 7. HMIS Program Roster Report

Training materials and recording will be available on the OC HMIS website.







Introductions and Policies







What is HMIS Part 2 Training?

HMIS Part 2 covers the data entry process and functionality of Clarity







HMIS Policy and Privacy Forms

In order for client records to be shared in HMIS, clients must consent to share their data with other agencies participating in HMIS.

The following forms are to be shared during intake and made accessible to clients:

- Consent to Share Protected Personal Information
- Grievance Form
- Client Revocation of Consent Form

Forms to be posted at each intake location:

- Note Regarding Collection of Personal Information
- Privacy Notice

https://ochmis.org/privacy-forms/



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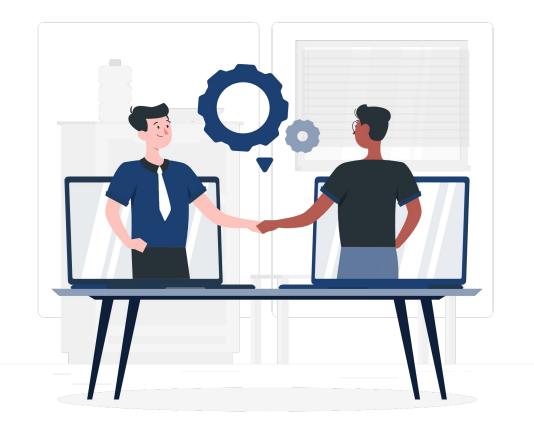
Computer Requirements

HMIS Participating Agencies must adhere to the <u>HUD</u> <u>HMIS Technical Standards</u>.

Each computer, tablet, or other device used to access HMIS must:

- Password Protected
- Locked out after **5 minutes** of inactivity
- Have virus protection software and firewall
- Be stored in a secure location, such as a locked office, when not in use.

KB: <u>HMIS Security Check Resources</u>



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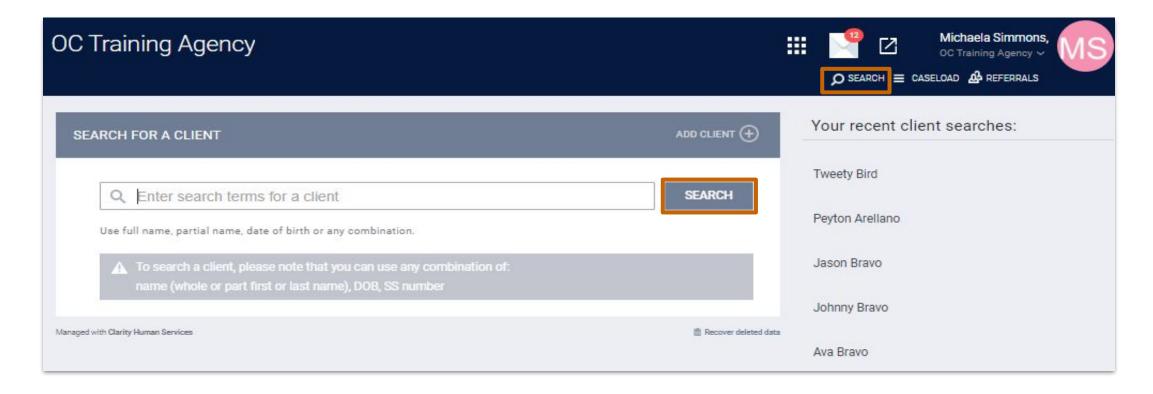
Searching/Creating a Client Profile







Client Search



Before creating a new client profile, make sure client is not already in the system by **searching** the client's **Name**, **SSN**, and/or **DOB**

*** can search by first two letters of first name and last name



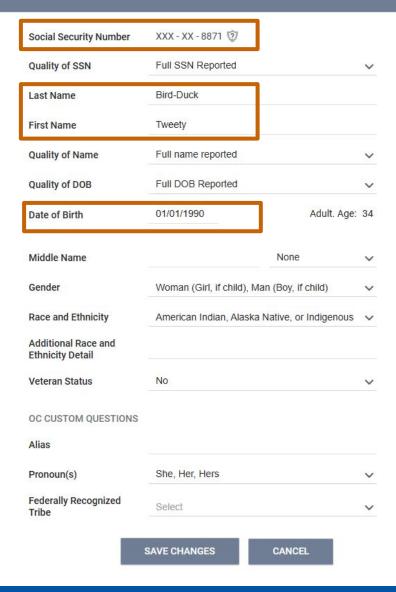


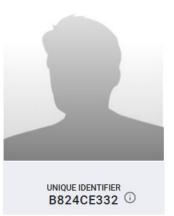
If the profile does exist...

Review and verify the following:

- Social Security Number (SSN)
- Name
- Date of Birth (DOB)

CLIENT PROFILE









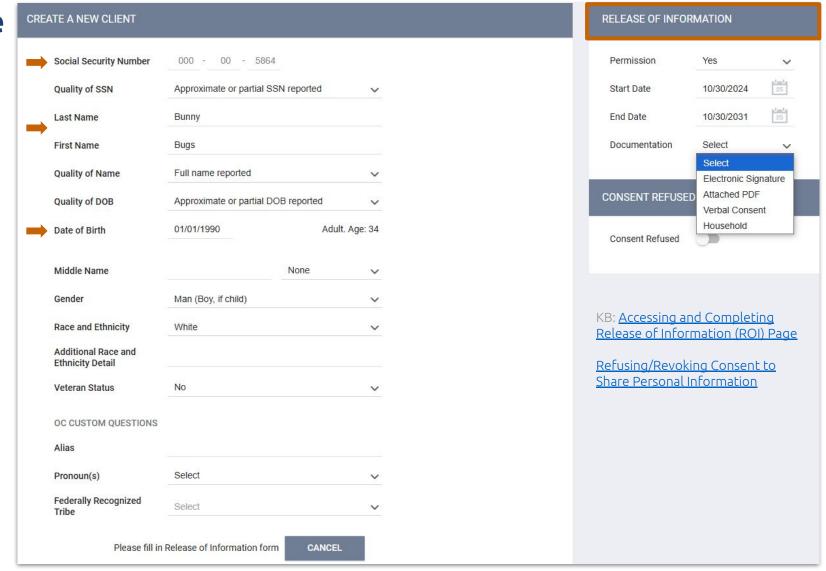


Creating a New Client Profile

Profile page will ask you for:

- SSN
- Name
- DOB
- Gender
- Race/Ethnicity
- Veteran Status
- Client Doesn't Know: client does not know their Name, DOB, and/or their SSN
- Client Prefers Not to Answer: client prefers not to give their Name, DOB, and/or their SSN
- Data Not Collected: Didn't ask client for their Name, DOB, and/or their SSN

KB: Adding Client Profiles to HMIS









Demo: Searching/Creating a Client Profile







Creating and Managing Households







What is a Household?

A household is a **single individual** or a **group of people** enrolling in a project together.







Household Management

Tweety Bird-Duck

Head of Household (HoH) (Client 1)









The Duck Household

Melissa Duck

Head of Household's Child (Client 2)



Tweety Bird-Duck

Head of Household (HoH) (Client 1)



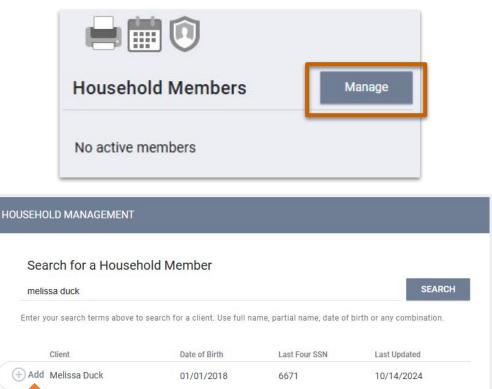




Global Household

The <u>Global Household</u> is the household composition for client profiles.

- Navigate to Head of Household's profile, click
 Manage next to Household Members
- Search the additional household members
- Click Add to include them into a Global Household
- Assign the household member's relationship to the Head of Household



Daughter

09/30/2024

SAVE





ADD TO HOUSEHOLD

Member Type

Start Date



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The Duck Household

Melissa Duck

Head of Household's Child (Client 2)



Tweety Bird-Duck

Head of Household (HoH) (Client 1)



Daffy Duck

Head of Household's other relation member (Client 3)



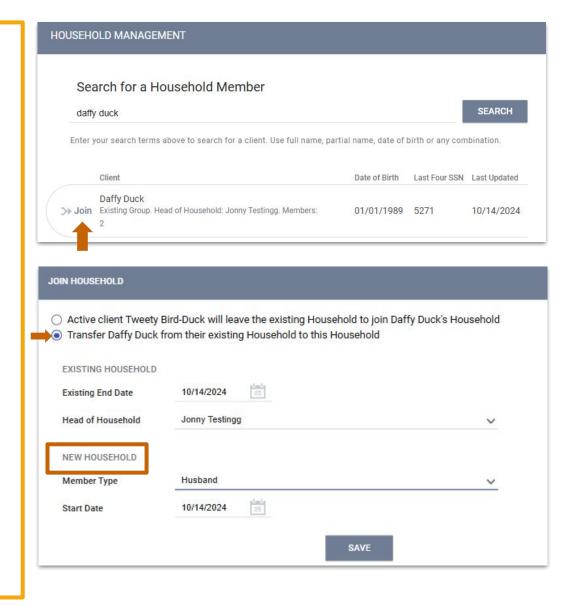






Global Household Cont

- Navigate to Head of Household's profile, click
 Manage next to Household Members
- Search the additional household members
- Click Join to include them into a Global Household
- Assign the household member's relationship to the Head of Household









The Duck Household

Melissa DuckHead of Household's Child



Tweety Bird-Duck

Head of Household (HoH)



Daffy Duck

Head of Household's other relation member

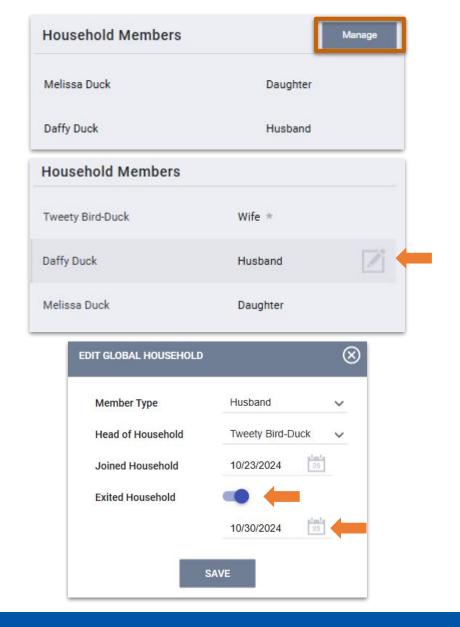






Exiting a Client from the Global Household

- Navigate to Head of Household's profile, click
 Manage next to Household Members
- Click Edit next to the household member's name that you need to remove from the Global Household
- Push the toggle forward for Exited Household
- Add the date the household member is exiting the Global Household









Demo: Creating and Managing Households







Enrolling Clients Into a Project



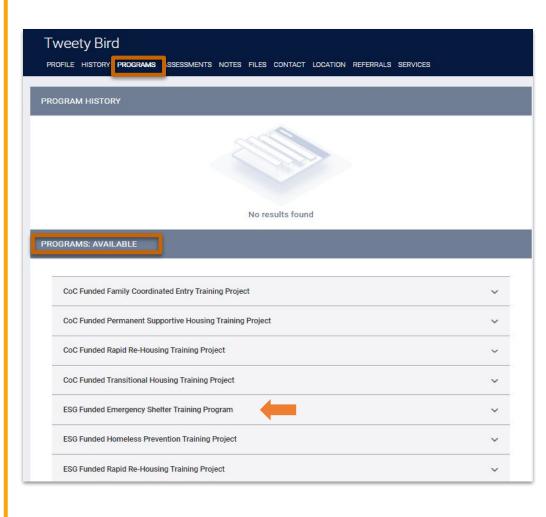




Enrolling Household into a New Project

- Navigate to Head of Household's profile and select *Programs*
- A list of active programs will be listed under the *Program Available* section
- Select program to enroll household in to

KB: Enrolling Clients in a Project





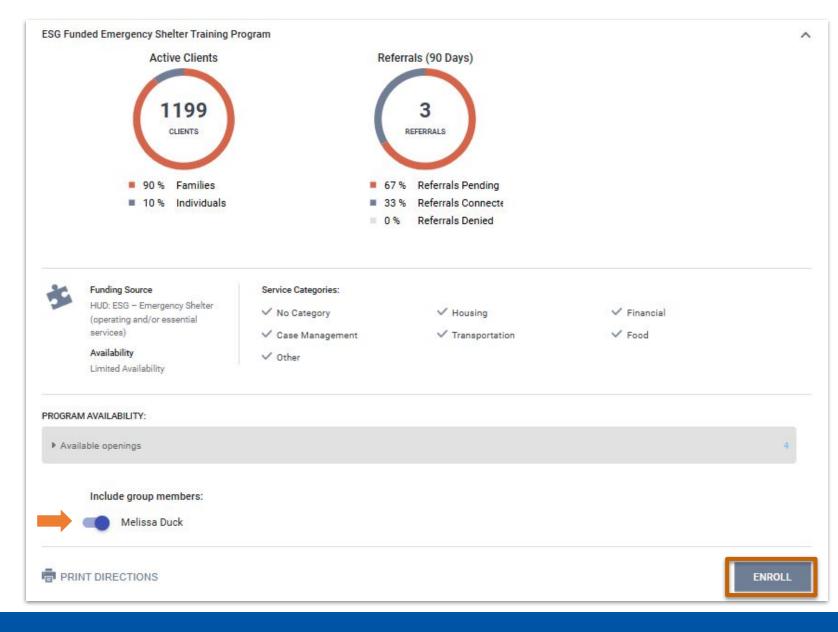




Enrolling Household into a New Project

Expand to see details of the Project

Include group members in Project Enrollment by pushing the toggle forward for household member that is participating in the program









Enrolling Household into a New Project

Project Start Date

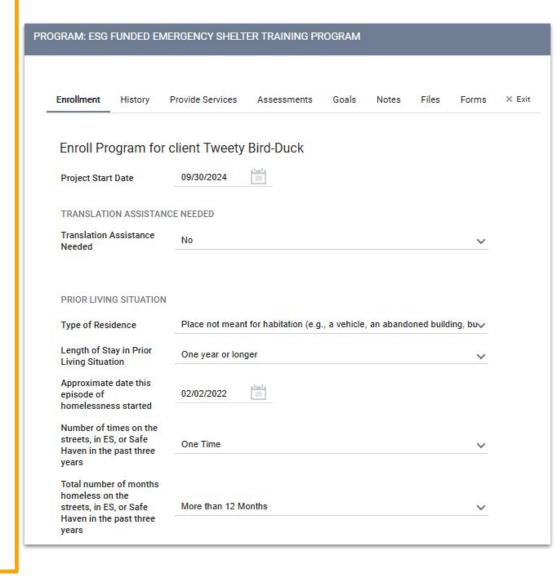
• When did they begin working with the project (which can vary depending on the project type)?

Transitional Assistance Needed

• This data element is used to understand how many clients need access to translation services, and if so, which languages are most often cited as needing translation

Prior Living Situation

- This information is used to help determine if the household is chronically homeless.
- **Type of Residence**: Where was the client just before the project start?
- Length of Stay in Prior Living Situation: How long did the client start staying in that place?
- <u>Approximate Date this Episode of Homelessness Started</u>: How long has the client been in a "literal homeless" situation?
- Number of times on the streets, in ES, or Safe Haven in the past 3 years: How many times has the client been in "literal homeless" situations in the past 3 years?
- Total number of months homelessness on the street, in ES, or Safe Haven in the past 3 years: How many cumulative months has the client been in "literal homeless" situations in the past 3 years?



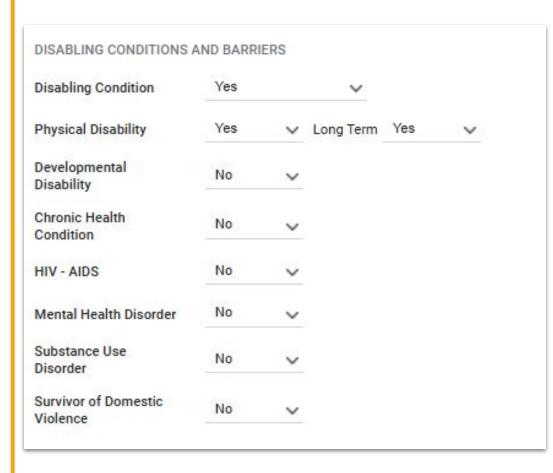




Enrolling Household into a New Project Cont

Disabling Condition

- Does the client have a disabling condition? Helps to determine client's Chronic Homelessness Status
- It is important that if the client does have a disabling condition you select Yes and then Yes for the type of disability they have:
 - Physical
 - Developmental
 - HIV/Alds
 - Chronic Health Conditions
 - Mental Health
 - Substance Use Disorder



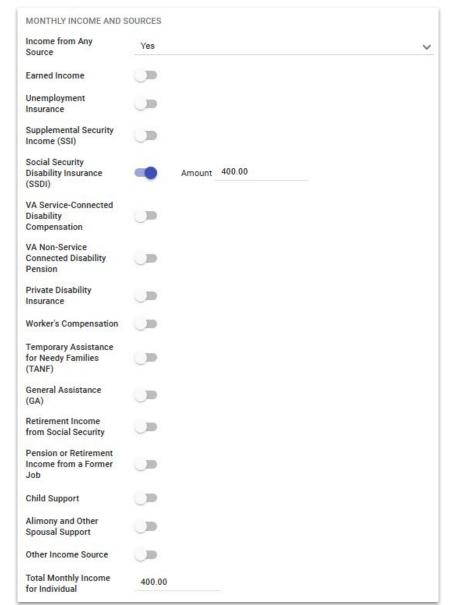




Enrolling Household into a New Project Cont

Monthly Income/Sources and Non Cash Benefits

• To determine whether households are accessing all income sources/mainstream program benefits for which they are eligible at the time of project start and to allow for analyzing changes in income between project start, annual assessment, and exit.



NON-CASH BENEFITS		
Receiving Non-Cash Benefits	Yes	~
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)		
Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)	(D)	
TANF Childcare Services	<u>_</u>	
TANF Transportation Services	<u></u>	
Other TANF-Funded Services	>	
Other Non-Cash Benefit		



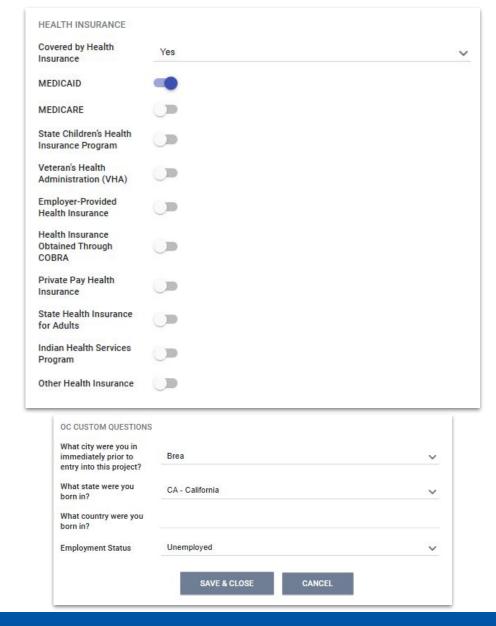
Enrolling Household into a New Project Cont

Health Insurance

 To determine whether clients are accessing all mainstream medical assistance benefits for which they may be eligible, and to ascertain a more complete picture of changes to economic circumstances between project start and exit.

OC Custom Questions

 To collect additional information for reporting and may be used in program eligibility review





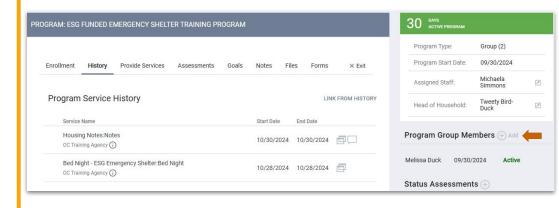




Enrolling Additional Household Members

If you want to enroll an additional client into a project where the household members are already enrolled, you would need to enroll the client from the Programs page of any of the household members that were originally enrolled.

- Navigate to Program Enrollment and select Add next to Program Group Members
- Push the toggle forward and click Enroll
- Complete program enrollment for additional household member





KB: Enrolling Additional Household Members

& <u>Understanding Individual Enrollments and</u> <u>Group Enrollments</u>







Demo: Enrolling Clients Into a Project







Services, Notes and Assessments







Adding Services



On Tweety's profile, click on the **Programs** tab and the **Edit** icon next to the project you want to add services to





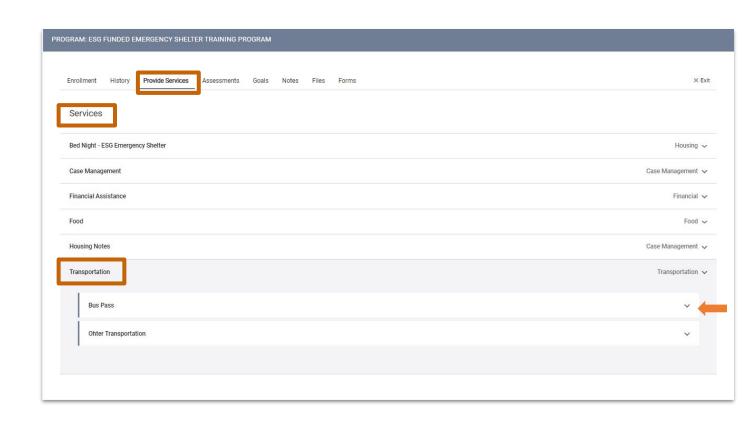
Example: Add Transportation Service

Click on...

Provide Services tab

Select from list of **Services**

And select **Service Item**









Example: Finalize Transportation Service

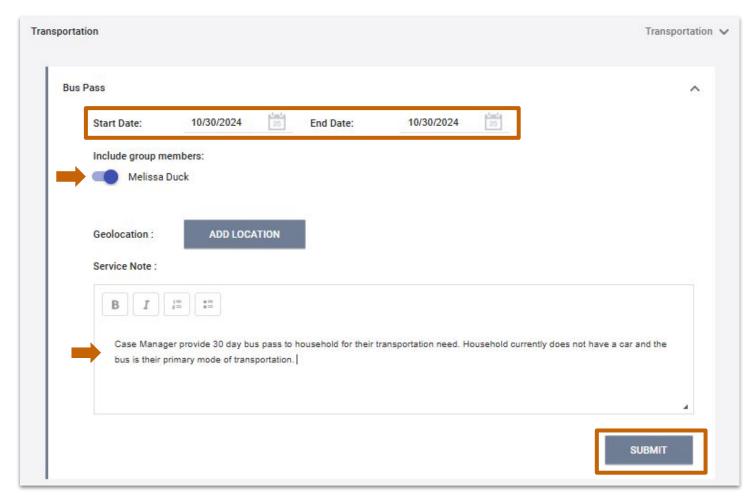
Add in...

Start & End Date

Include **Group Members** if necessary

Provide Service Note

Save!



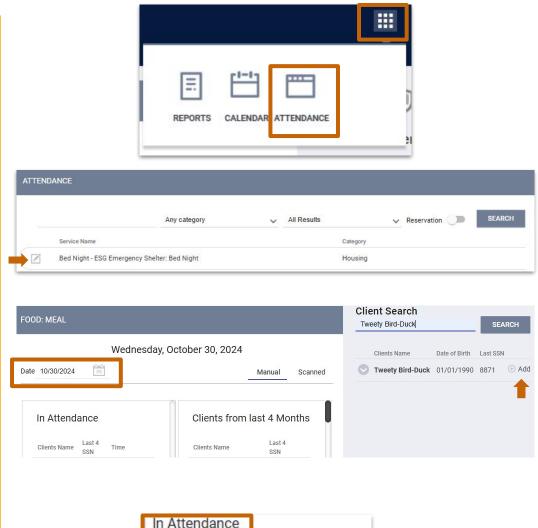






Adding Attendance Based Services

- Navigate to Launch Pad and select Attendance
- Click on the Edit button next to the Service that you would like to add an Attendance for
- Select Date
- Add Client by searching under Client Search
- Client will be listed under In Attendance when the Attendance Based Service is recorded











Demo: Services



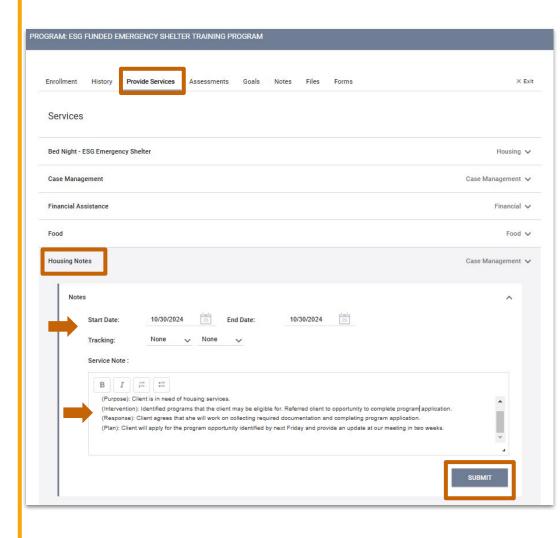




Housing Notes

- Navigate to Program Enrollment and select Provide Services
- Select *Housing Notes*
- Enter *Date* and input *Tracking* data as needed
- Enter in *Notes* in the text box and click *Submit* to record the Housing Notes updates

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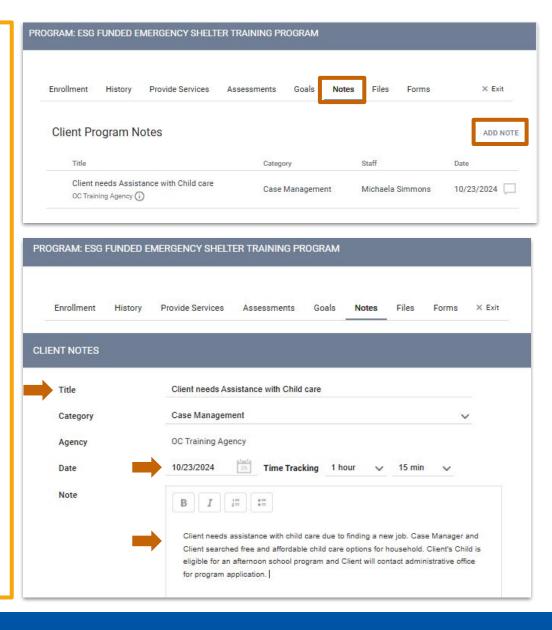




Case Notes

- Navigate to Program Enrollment and click Notes
- Click Add Notes
- Enter in the *Title* of the Note, when the note was created, enable *Time Tracking* as needed add a description of the note.

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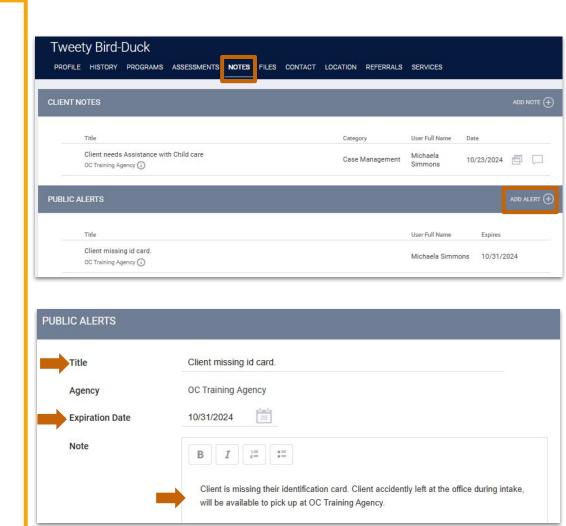
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Public Alerts

- Click on the *Notes* tab on the *Profile Screen*
- Click Add Alert under the Public Alerts section
- Add a title, date the alert is set to expire, a description of the message

KB: <u>Creating Client Notes and Public Alerts</u>









Demo: Notes and Public Alerts



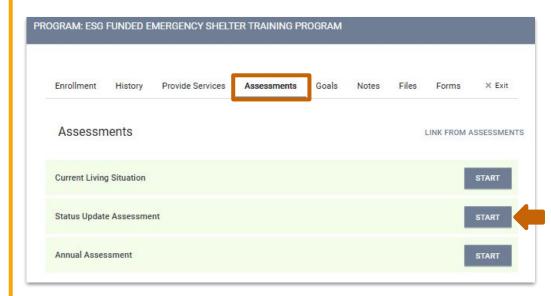




Status Assessment

- Navigate to Program Enrollment
- Select the Assessment tab and click Start next to the Status Assessment
- Record an update

KB: Status and Annual Assessments

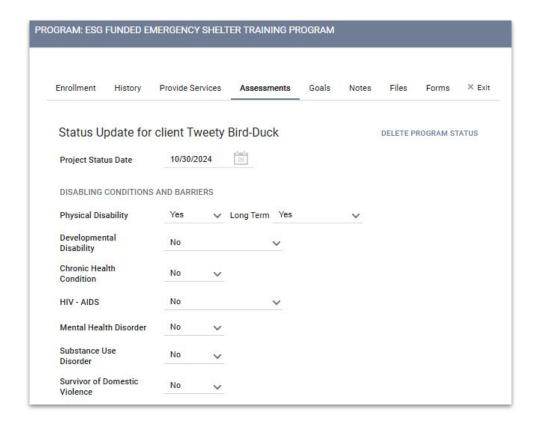


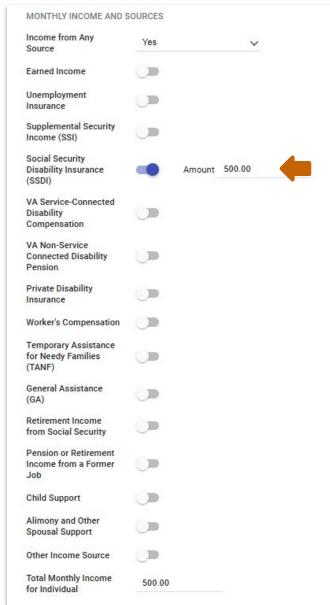


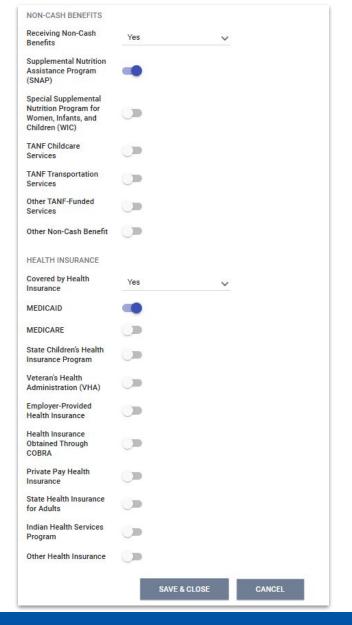




Status Assessments











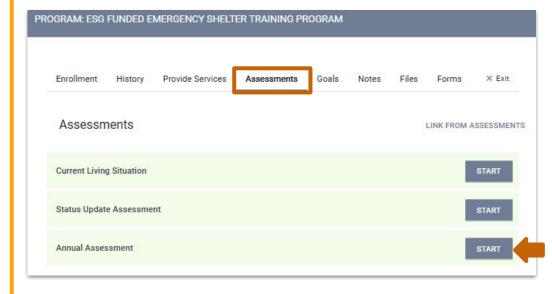


Annual Assessment

Conduct an Annual Assessment within the 30 day window before or after the client's one year anniversary of their Program Start Date, if they are still active as of one year from their Start Date.

- Navigate to Program Enrollment
- Select the Assessment tab and click Start next to the Annual Assessment
- Record the client's data at one year anniversary of their Project Start Date

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Demo: Status and Annual Assessments







Exiting a Client from a Project



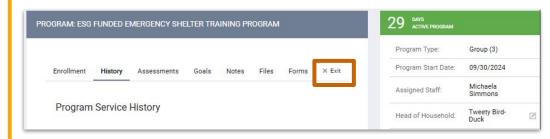


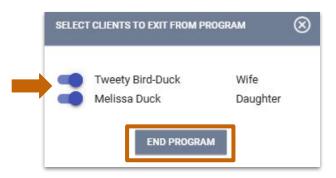


Exiting a Client from a Project

- Navigate to Program Enrollment
- Select Exit
- Push toggle forward for members who are also exiting the project as needed
- Click End Program

KB: HMIS Security Check Resources







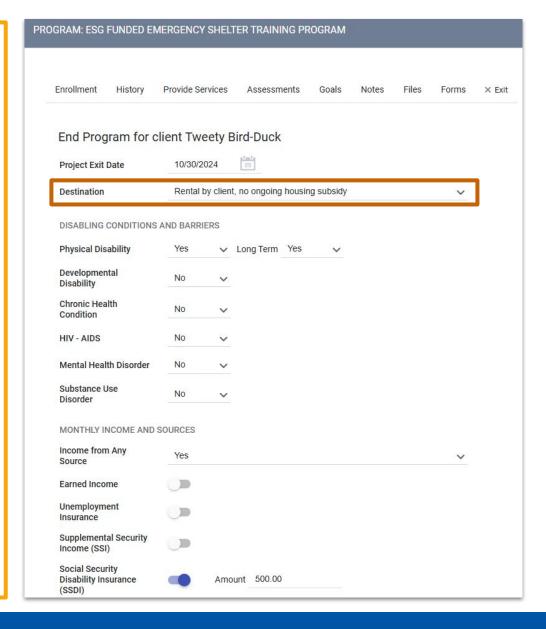




Exiting a Client from a Project

- Project Exit Date: The project exit date determine the end of a client's period of participation with a project. Record the month, day and year of last day of occupancy or service.
- <u>Destination</u>: Select the 'Destination' that most closely matches where the client will be staying after exiting the project.
- Review the Disabling Condition, Income, Non Cash Benefits, and Health Insurance and add updates as needed

KB: Exiting Clients from a Project









Demo: Exiting a Client from Project







HMIS Reports: Program Roster







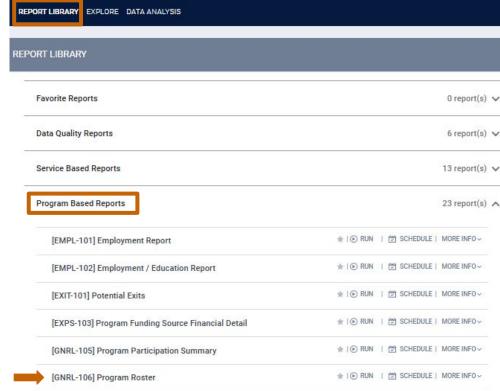
HMIS Reports

Report Library: This contains "canned reports" these are reports that are made so you will only need to adjust a few filters such as Date Range, Program Name, etc.

Explore: You will have the chance to play with Looker and create custom reports.

Data analysis: This is a library of reports that will contain any custom reports we have created specifically for your agency.







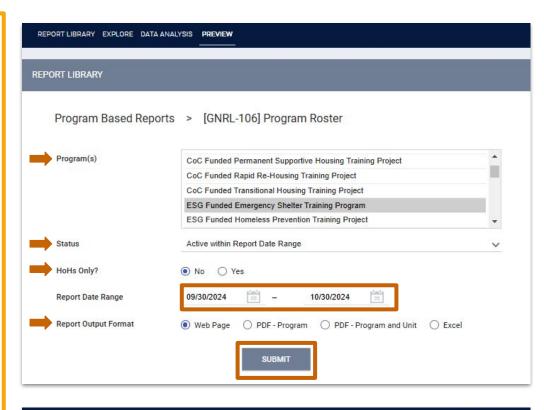


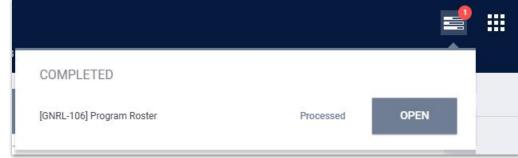


Running the Program Roster Report

- Program: ESG Funded Emergency Shelter Training Program
- **Status**: Active within Report Date Range
- **HoH Only?**: Select No to include all household members. Select Yes if you want a report with only the Head of Households.
- Report Date Range: Range in which Data is generated
- Report Output Format
 - Web Page: interactive, taken to client record
 - **PDF**: Official reports, grants, records
 - **Excel**: Organize and manipulate data

KB: Running HMIS Canned Reports & Viewing All Clients in a Program









Program Roster Report

REPORT LIBRARY EXPLORE DATA ANALYSIS **OC Training Agency Program Roster Report** Active within 09/30/2024 thru 10/30/2024 = Non PH Project, Housing Move-in: Undefined = Unknown HoH or adjusted Move-in is Null, A: Assessments. S: Services. CN: Case Notes You can find more information about adjusted Move-In Date at the Help Center Article Head of Household (HoH) Unique Identifiers are listed in bold text. Household members are grouped together with the HoH. Unique Birth Age Current Enroll Exit Housing Unit Bed Occupancy Occupancy LOS Client S CN **Assigned Staff** Identifier Date Date Date Start Date **End Date** At Entry Age Move-in Assignment Assignment Program: ESG Funded Emergency Shelter Training Program







Demo: Program Roster





Thank you Have a great day!

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