

# DQ Monitoring and Corrections Training

How to Submit a Clean A020 report



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# Presentation Agenda

By the end, attendees will be able to:

- ✓ Run and submit the A020 Data Quality Report
  - ✓ Know how the report was impacted by Data Standards Changes
- ✓ Locate the submission links
- ✓ Complete and correct Annual Assessments
- ✓ Complete and correct Income





# A020 Data Quality Monitoring: Submitting the Report

# A020 Data Quality Monitoring

## What to Submit

- One report per HMIS Project
- All HMIS Projects operating between 10/1/2022 and 09/30/2023 (including Supportive Services Only, Coordinated Entry, Prevention and Diversion)
- Format should be Microsoft Excel - Reports



# Submitting the Report!

- In the [A020 Data Quality Monitoring Report](#) ZenGuide article
- Or Programs > Data Center > HMIS@NCCEH > Administrative Documents > Data Quality > [HMIS@NCCEH Data Quality Report Submission Form \[October 2023\]](#)



# REMINDER!

There are resources developed to help guide you:

## ZenGuides:

- *Guides to learn how to use BusinessObjects:*
  - ✓ [Using BusinessObjects 101](#)
  - ✓ [How to Schedule BusinessObjects Reports](#)
- *Guides specific for this clean-up process:*
  - ✓ [A020 – Data Quality Monitoring Report](#)
  - ✓ [Data Quality Plan: Monitoring and Reporting Process](#)

All are available here: <https://ncceh.zendesk.com/hc/en-us>

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# A020 Data Quality Monitoring: Running the Report

# A020 Data Quality Monitoring Report

Step 1: Reporting Licensed Users will need to schedule the report in BusinessObjects

The screenshot shows the SAP BusinessObjects Explorer interface. The left sidebar displays a folder tree with 'Public Folders' expanded and 'HMIS@NCCEH Gallery' selected. The main pane shows a list of reports under the path 'Public Folders / hmisnceh\_live\_folder / HMIS@NCCEH Gallery /'. The table below lists the reports, with the 'A020 - Data Quality Mo...' report selected. A context menu is open over this report, and the 'Schedule' option is highlighted with a red box.

Title	Favorites	Type	Description	Last Updated	
<input type="checkbox"/> A020 - Data Quality Mo...		Web Intelligence	Copied from DEV...	May 8, 2023 5:02 ...	...
<input type="checkbox"/> B002 - VI SPDAT Repor...		Web Intelligence	Modified - 11-6-20...	De	View
<input type="checkbox"/> B003 - VI SPDAT Repor...		Web Intelligence	Modified - 11-6-20...	Ap	Properties
<input type="checkbox"/> B004 - Chronic Verificat...		Web Intelligence	This Report is desi...	Oc	Copy Opendoc Link
<input type="checkbox"/> B005 - Unsheltered Co...		Web Intelligence	Clients are includ...	Ma	Mobile Properties
<input type="checkbox"/> B006 - Client Contact I...		Web Intelligence	HoH are included i...	De	<b>Schedule</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> C001 - Discharge Desti...		Web Intelligence	Updated 10/18/17...	Ma	History
<input type="checkbox"/> C002 - VETERAN_Disc...		Web Intelligence	Revised 4-20-17 I...	Ma	Categories
<input type="checkbox"/> C003 - Emergency Shel...		Web Intelligence	Created: 12/14/20...	De	Mark As Favorite
<input type="checkbox"/> C004 - Avg LOS and Ti...		Web Intelligence	Updated: 1/26/20...	Ma	Details
<input type="checkbox"/> C005 - Client Income A...		Web Intelligence	Updated: 10-11-1...	Ju	Organize
<input type="checkbox"/> C007 - Returns to Shelt...		Web Intelligence	9-4-15 The selects...	Oct 19, 2022 7:01 ...	...
<input type="checkbox"/> C008 - Exit Income Out...		Web Intelligence	Updated - 8-3-18 ...	May 16, 2022 3:0...	...
<input type="checkbox"/> C009 - 0551 - Exit Rea...		Web Intelligence	Want to see the v...	May 16, 2022 3:0...	...



# A020 Data Quality Monitoring Report

## Step 2: Reporting Licensed Users will need to complete the prompts

*For submitting the report:*

- **Select Reporting Group:** *leave as -(all values)-*
- **Select Provider(s):** *select a specific Project*
- **Select CoC Code(s):** *leave as -None Selected-*
- **Enter Start Date:** *leave as Federal Fiscal Year start date*
- **Select Program Type Code(s):** *leave as - (all values)-*
- **EDA Provider:** *match the Project in Select Provider*
- **Enter End Date (PLUS 1 Day):** *leave as day after end of Federal Fiscal Year*
- **Enter effective date:** *leave as day after end of Federal Fiscal Year*

Select Reporting Group(s): (All values)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Select Provider(s): (1) Heading Home - Rowan County - Emergency Shelter(7389)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Select CoC Code(s): (1) None Selected
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enter Start Date: (1) 10/1/2022 12:00:00 AM
Select Program Type Code(s): (All values)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EDA Provider (1) Heading Home - Rowan County - Emergency Shelter(7389)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enter effective date (1) 9/30/2023 12:00:00 AM
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enter End Date (PLUS 1 Day): (1) 9/30/2023 12:00:00 AM
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# A020 Data Quality Monitoring Report

**Step 2: Reporting Licensed Users will need download & distribute report to HMIS users for correction!**

The screenshot shows the SAP My Inbox interface. The top navigation bar includes the SAP logo, 'My Inbox', and search, notification, and help icons. Below the navigation bar, there are tabs for 'All', 'Alerts', and 'Documents'. A search bar is present with the text 'Showing 43 items'. A list of documents is displayed on the left, with the top item 'A020 - Data Quality Monitoring R...' highlighted with a red box. The main content area shows the details of the selected document, including its title 'A020 - Data Quality Monitoring Report v2 : 7508699', the date and time 'May 12, 2023 1:01 PM', and a 'View' button highlighted in red. Below the document details, there is a 'General Info' section with the following information:

Description :	Copied from DEV_D003 LSA Client Data Clean Up_v20230508_SAMPLE[1]
Created On :	May 12, 2023 1:01 PM
Document Type :	Microsoft Excel
Owner :	hmisncceh_live:dshanks
Keyword :	None
Sender :	hmisncceh_live:dshanks

**Step 3: All HMIS user can should review & correct the reports**

**Step 4: Reporting licensed users need to run the report the following day to confirm it is accurate.**





# A020 Data Quality Monitoring: Data Standards Impact

# Data Standards Changes

## **FY 2024 Data Standards went into effect October 1, 2023**

- This changed elements in big and small ways
  - Race and Ethnicity were combined (big)
  - Apostrophe in Staying with family member's place (small)

## **FY 2022 Data Standards still apply through September 30, 2023**

- Full SSN was expected for all clients enrolled during the period
- A020 benchmarks reflect the standards active during the reporting time



# A020 Data Quality Monitoring Report: Working Data Elements

## ☐ Use Tab 1 Summary to help prioritize issues

- Name
- SSN
- Race and Ethnicity
- Gender
- Date of Birth
- Relation to HOH
- Project Start/Exit
- Vet Status
- Enrollment CoC
- Housing Move-In Date (HMID)
- Exit Destination
- Chronic Homelessness Calculability
- Prior Living Situation
- Length of Stay in Previous Place
- Night before Location
- Approx Date of Most Recent Episode of Homelessness
- Number of Times Client Has been Homeless in the Past 3 Years
- Total Number of Months Homeless
- Annual Assessment
- NC County of Service
- Domestic Violence History
- ~~Income~~
- Timeliness



# A020 Data Quality Monitoring Report: Not Quite Working Data Elements

The Data Center is working diligently to get these aspects corrected:

- Entry/Exit type: PATH
- Income (summary and detail errors)



## A020 Data Quality Monitoring Report: **Tips for making corrections**

- ✓ Set Enter Data As before editing data
- ✓ Set Back Date Mode
  - For Tab 1: corrections will be at Project Start
  - For Tab 3: corrections will be at Project Start
- ✓ Client Doesn't Know or Client Refused is “allowable” but must be confirmed as accurate when reports are submitted

**Remember:** *Corrections made TODAY in HMIS will not appear until TOMORROW when a new BusinessObjects report is run!*

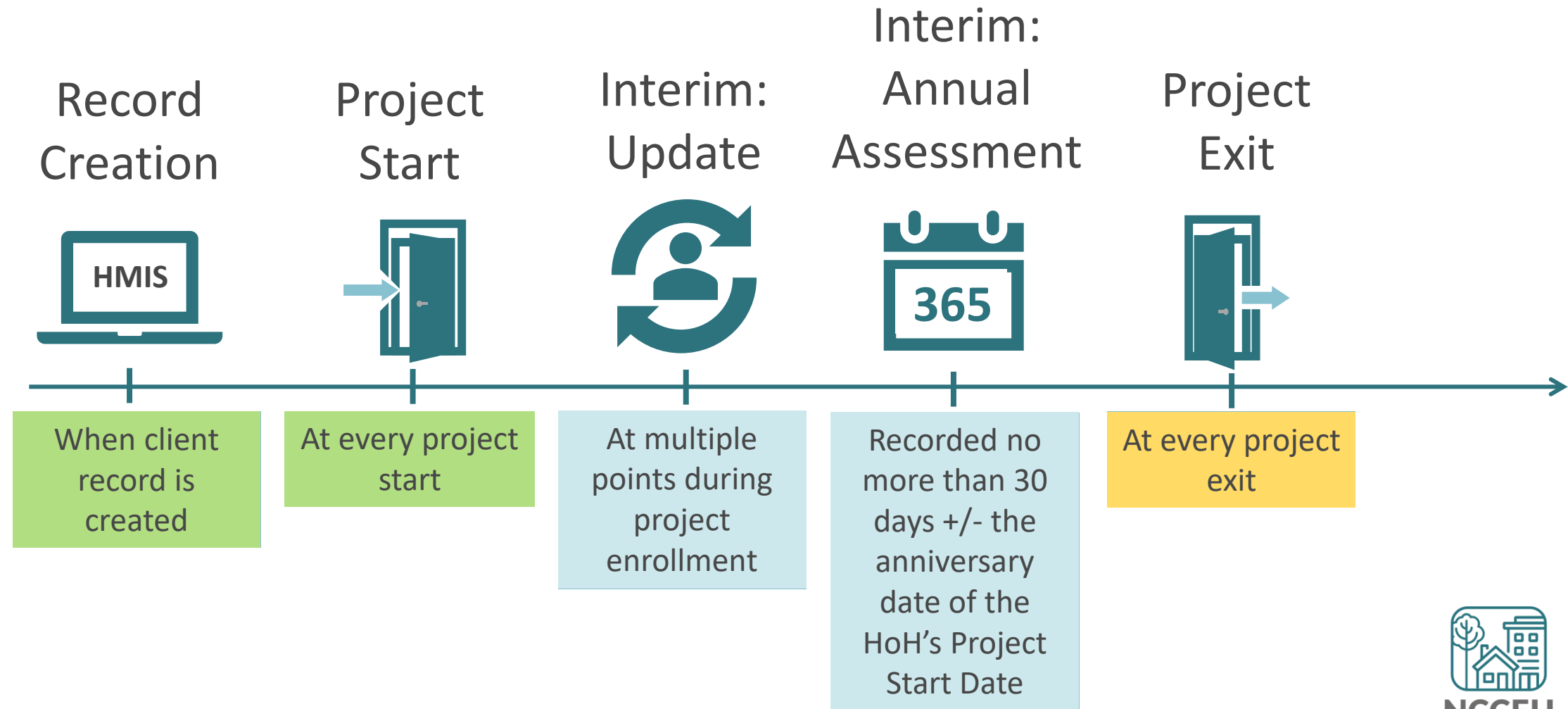




# Annual Assessments



# Data Collection Stages



# Annual Assessment is now based on Head of Household Start Date

Conducted no more than 30 days before or 30 days after the anniversary of the **Head of Household's Project Start Date**.



Name	R-H	Project Start	Anniversary
Henrietta	HoH	04/17/20	04/17/23
Sarah	Adult	07/01/20	04/17/23
Anna	Child	09/20/20	04/17/23

Annual assessments are based **solely** on the head of household's anniversary date.

The annual assessment must include updating both the head of household's record and any other family members' at the same time



# When to complete an Annual Assessment

Date Type	Date
Head of Household Entry Date	7/17/2022
Head of Household Anniversary Date	7/17/2023
30 days before Anniversary Date	05/17/2023
30 days after Anniversary Date	9/16/2023

When is the Annual Assessment recorded?  
Within 05/17/2023 – 9/16/2023

# How to Enter Annual Assessments

Information must be accurate as of the Review date








Use Interim Review Type: **Annual Assessment**

**Client Information** | **Service Transactions**

Summary | Client Profile | Households | ROI | **Entry / Exit** | Case Managers | Case Plans | Assessments

*i* Reminder: Household members must be established on Households tab before creating Entry / Exits

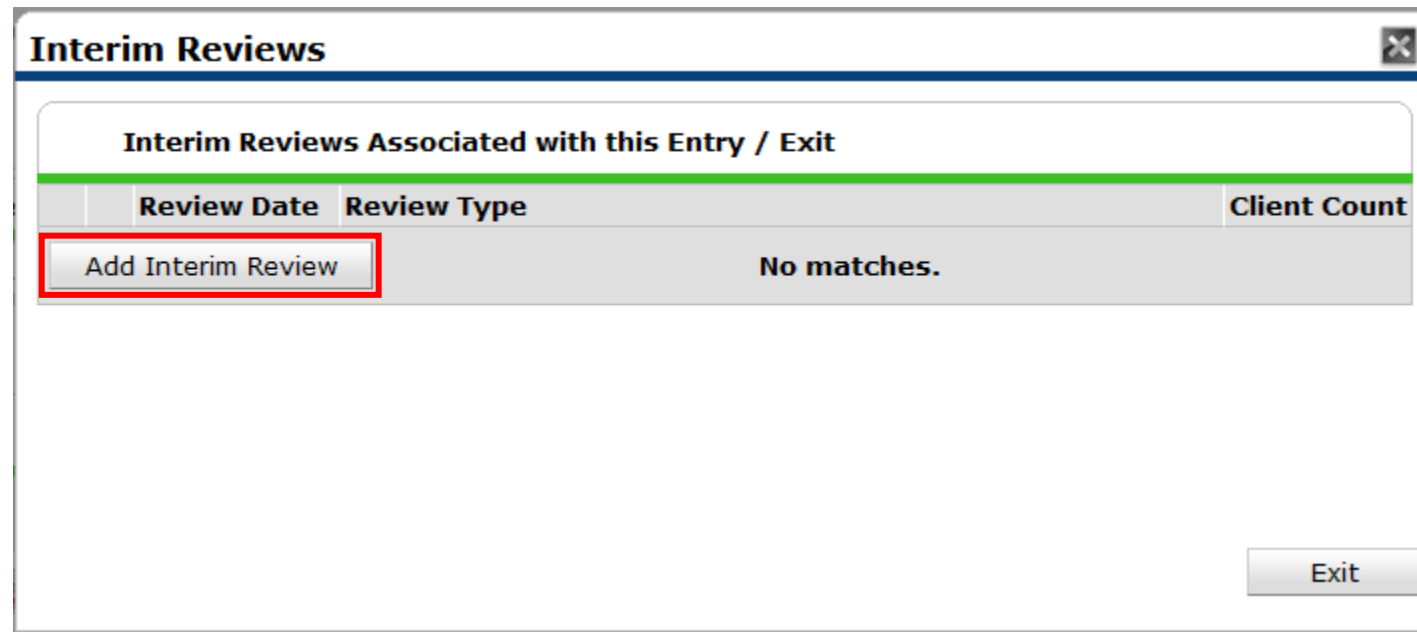
**Entry / Exit**

Program	Type	Project Start Date	Exit Date	Interims	Follow Ups	Client Count
 Heading Home - Rowan County - Emergency Shelter (7389)	HUD	 11/24/2020				 

# How to Enter Annual Assessments

Information must be accurate as of the Review date

Use Interim Review Type: **Annual Assessment**



**Interim Reviews**

Interim Reviews Associated with this Entry / Exit

Review Date	Review Type	Client Count
No matches.		




**Add Interim Review**

Exit

# How to Enter Annual Assessments

Information must be accurate as of the Review date

Use Interim Review Type: **Annual Assessment**

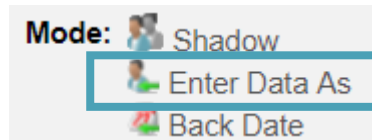
Interim Review Data	
Entry / Exit Provider	Heading Home Housing - Rowan County - Emergency Shelter - State ESG (7124)
Entry / Exit Type	HUD
Interim Review Type *	Annual Assessment ▼
Review Date *	03 / 13 / 2017    5 ▼ : 09 ▼ : 23 ▼ PM ▼



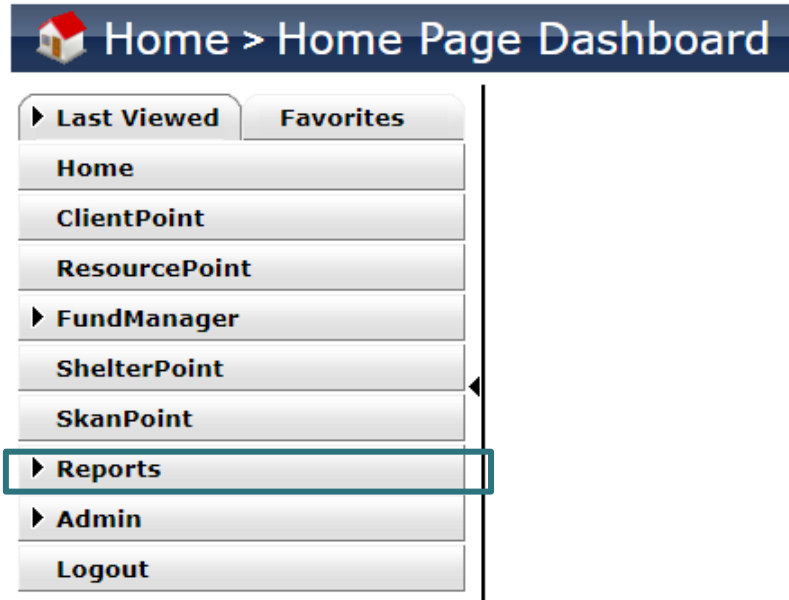
# Reports for Any User

# How to Run APR and CAPER Reports

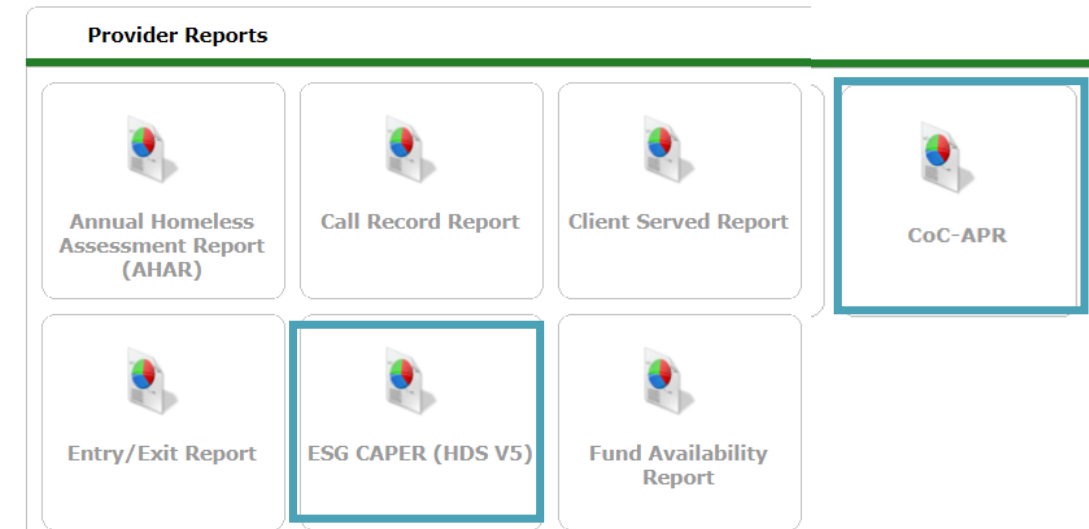
- 1 Confirm your default or select Enter Data As for the ESG project.



- 2 Click "Reports" on the left side of the Home Page Dashboard



- 3





# How to Run APR and CAPER Reports

Prompt	Description
Provider Type*	Select "Provider"
Provider	Automatically selected based on EDA mode. Select "This provider ONLY"
Program Date Range	For Sage submission, use the grant year. For DQ or outcome checks, use appropriate range.
Entry/Exit Types	Select "HUD" or appropriate type

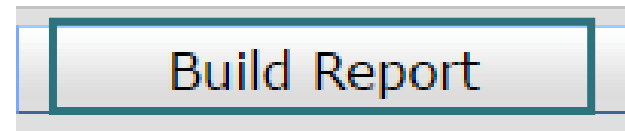
*\*Special Note:* If you have consolidated grants that are separate projects in HMIS, contact us ASAP for a reporting group

### Report Options

<b>Provider Type</b>	<input checked="" type="radio"/> <a href="#">Provider</a> <input type="radio"/> <a href="#">Reporting Group</a>
<b>Provider *</b>	<div style="border: 1px solid #ccc; padding: 2px; display: inline-block;">Heading Home - Rowan County - Rapid Re-Housing - HUD (7441) ▼</div> <input type="radio"/> <a href="#">This provider AND its subordinates</a> <input checked="" type="radio"/> <a href="#">This provider ONLY</a>
<b>Program Date Range *</b>	<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div style="margin-right: 5px;">01 / 01 / 2017</div> <div style="margin-right: 5px; text-align: center;">↻</div> <div style="margin-right: 5px;">to</div> <div style="margin-right: 5px;">12 / 31 / 2017</div> <div style="margin-right: 5px; text-align: center;">↻</div> </div>
<b>Entry/Exit Types *</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Basic</a> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Basic Center Program Entry/Exit</a> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">HUD</a> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">PATH</a> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Quick Call</a> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">RHY</a> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Standard</a> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Transitional Living Program Entry/Exit</a> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">VA</a> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">HPRP (Retired)</a>
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: center; gap: 10px;"> <span>Build Report</span> <span>Download</span> <span>Clear</span> </div>	

# How to Run APR and CAPER Reports

- Check your prompts
- Select the Build Report button to run!



## Report Options







Provider Type

[Provider](#)  [Reporting Group](#)

Provider \*

[This provider AND its subordinates](#)  [This provider ONLY](#)

Program Date Range \*

/  /     to  /  /    

Entry/Exit Types \*

[Basic](#)  [Basic Center Program Entry/Exit](#)  [HUD](#)  [PATH](#)  [Quick Call](#)  [RHY](#)  [Standard](#)  [Transitional Living Program Entry/Exit](#)  [VA](#)  [HPRP \(Retired\)](#)

Build Report

Download

Clear



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# How to Read APR and CAPER Reports

- Select the **blue** numbers in the Don't Know/Refused and Data Not Collected columns to view a list of clients who are missing HMIS data.

check all report sections



6a - Data Quality: Personally Identifiable Information				
Data Element	Client Doesn't Know/Client Refused	Information Missing	Data Issues	% of Error Rate
Name (3.1)	0	0	0	0%
SSN (3.2)	3	2	4	6%
Date of Birth (3.3)	0	1	2	2%
Race (3.4)	0	0		0%
Ethnicity (3.5)	1	0		1%
Gender (3.6)	0	0		0%
<b>Overall Score</b>				<b>8%</b>



# How to Read APR and CAPER Reports

- Or select the **blue** numbers in Don't Know/Refused and Data Not Collected rows to view a list of clients who are missing HMIS data.

check all report sections




21 - Health Insurance			
	At Start	At Annual Assessment for Stayers	At Exit for Leavers
MEDICAID	189	0	149
MEDICARE	89	0	62
State Children's Health Insurance Program	0	0	0
Veteran's Administration (VA) Medical Services	76	0	56
Employer-Provided Health Insurance	10	0	5
Client doesn't know/Client refused	6	0	5
Data not collected	40	4	23
Number of stayers not yet required to have an annual assessment		212	
1 Source of Health Insurance	287	0	209
More than 1 Source of Health Insurance	50	0	42



# How to Read APR and CAPER Reports

- The **blue** numbers open a list of the client IDs and full names will appear. Review this list to identify which clients are included in that row or download the to export the list.

**Clients in answer cell** 

6e - Data Quality: Timeliness  
Number of Project Start Records

ID	Client
157	Doe, Baby
238	Froman, Abe
91	Xavier, Charles

Showing 1-3 of 3

[Download Results](#) [Exit](#)



Protect client data with Personally Identifying information



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# How to Read APR and CAPER Reports

- Use Question 6c as a quick proxy.
  - If Annuals Assessments are not entered, it's impossible to track Income!

6c - Data Quality: Income and Housing Data Quality		
Data Element	Error Count	% of Error Rate
Destination (3.12)	0	0%
Income and Sources (4.2) at Start	1	13%
Income and Sources (4.2) at Annual Assessment	0	0%
Income and Sources (4.2) at Exit	0	0%

# How to Read APR and CAPER Reports

- Annuals are also found in Q21 about Health Insurance

21 - Health Insurance			
	At Start	At Annual Assessment for Stayers	At Exit for Leavers
MEDICAID	20	0	0
MEDICARE	0	0	0
State Children's Health Insurance Program	0	0	0
Veteran's Administration (VA) Medical Services	0	0	0
Employer-Provided Health Insurance	2	0	0
Health Insurance obtained through COBRA	0	0	0
Private Pay Health Insurance	1	0	0
State Health Insurance for Adults	0	0	0
Indian Health Services Program	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0
No Health Insurance	3	0	0
Client doesn't know/Client refused	0	0	0
Data not collected	4	0	0
Number of stayers not yet required to have an annual assessment		30	
1 Source of Health Insurance	23	0	0
More than 1 Source of Health Insurance	0	0	0



# How to Read APR and CAPER Reports

- Question 20b on the APR can be confusing:
  - Data Not Collected (only on 20b) includes clients who are not yet required to have an Annual Assessment.
  - Use Income and Health Insurance questions that reference Annuals to check for errors – not 20b on Non-Cash Benefits

20b - Number of Non-Cash Benefit Sources			
	Benefit at Start	Benefit at Latest Annual Assessment for Stayers	Benefit at Exit for Leavers
No Sources	9	0	6
1 + Source(s)	15	1	12
Client Doesn't Know/Client Refused	0	0	0
Data not collected	0	5	0
Total	24	6	18

These clients may not have an Annual Assessment error







# Reports for Agency Admins

# How to Run ART Report

Use the **A007 – Annual Review Audit Report V5** for a comprehensive review of upcoming and overdue Annual Assessments

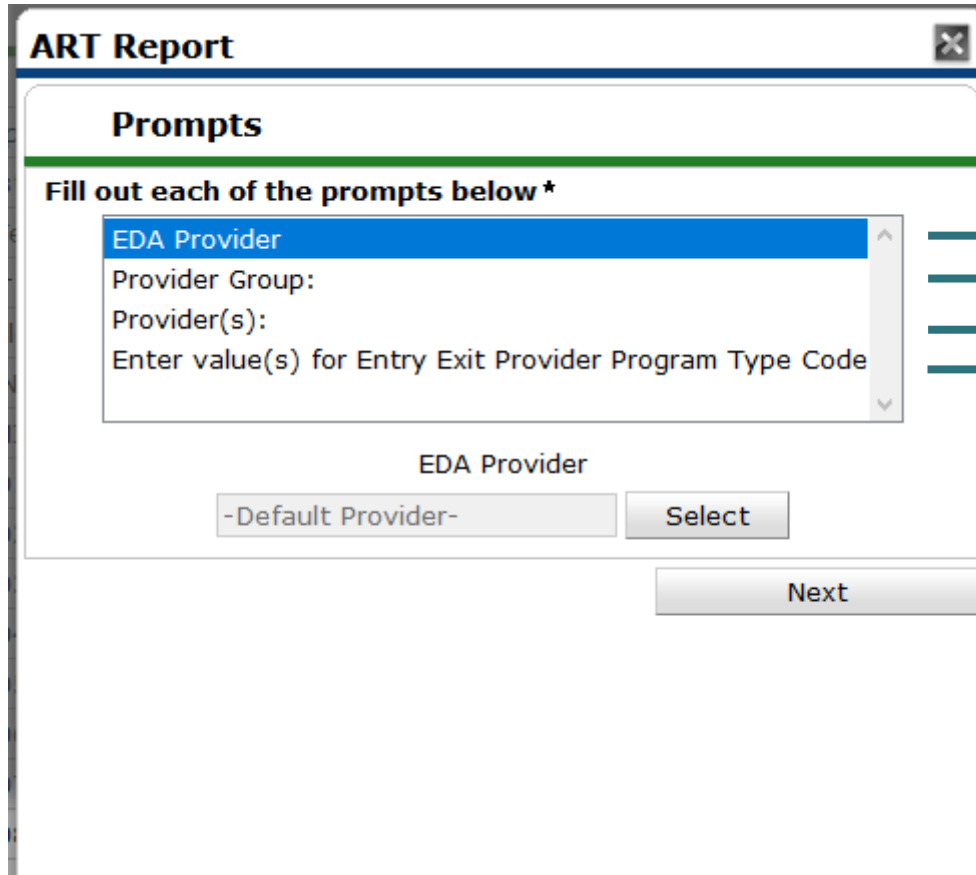
Public Folder

- ART Gallery Reports and Resources
- HMIS@NCCEH Gallery
  - !HMIS@NCCEH Gallery Naming Convention .pdf
  - A001 - All Clients Demographics Report -Additional County Tabs - Provider
  - A002 - Homeless Demographics Report v10- Provider
  - A003 - Chronic Homeless Count Report v4- Provider
  - A004 - Enrolled Clients Count with Time in Program v C1.2
  - A005 - Program Exit (Enrolled) Previous Year
  - A006 - Unexited Clients w Summary Tab- By Provider Page (With Max Exit Date)
  - A007 - Annual Review Audit Report V5 (BETA TEST) 9-9-16**
  - A008 - Client Location Audit Report
  - A009 - Destination Client Level Audit Report (for LSA Use)
  - A011 - Disability DQ Report -v2

Click here to Schedule your report

# How to Run ART Report

Use the prompts to run for your projects. You must have access to a **Reporting Group** for this report.



The screenshot shows a dialog box titled "ART Report" with a "Prompts" section. The prompts are:

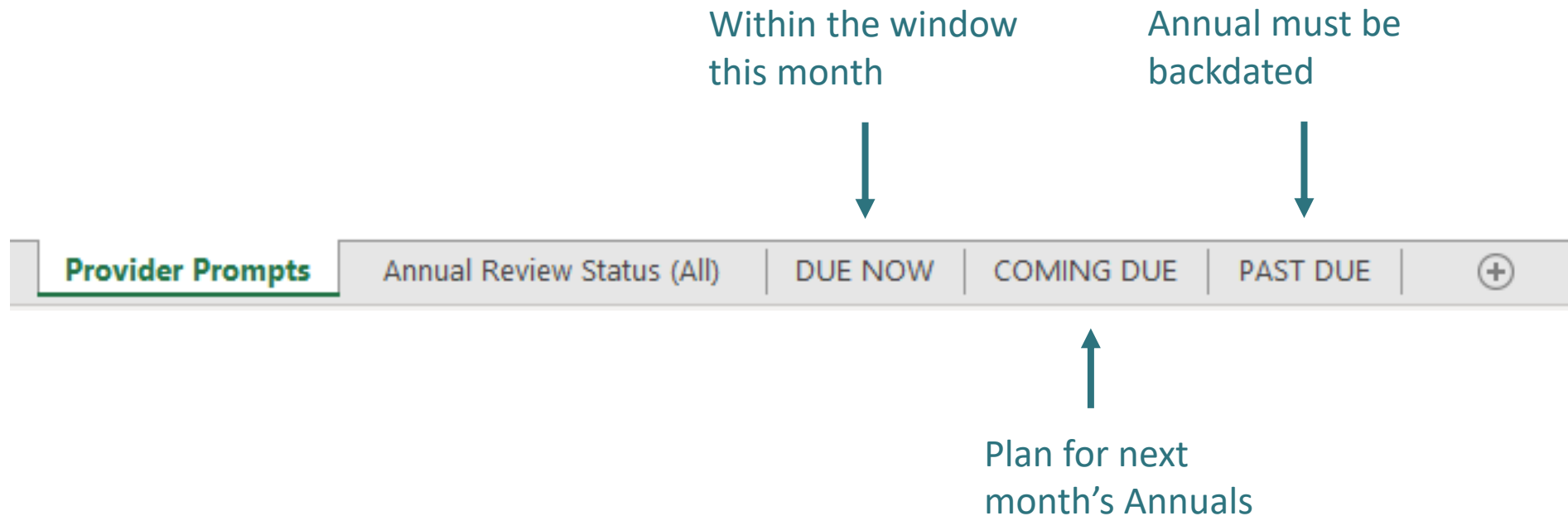
- EDA Provider (highlighted in blue)
- Provider Group:
- Provider(s):
- Enter value(s) for Entry Exit Provider Program Type Code

Below the prompts, there is a text input field containing "EDA Provider", a dropdown menu with "-Default Provider-", and a "Select" button. A "Next" button is located at the bottom right of the dialog box.

- Leave as Default
- Required: Select a Reporting Group
- Optional: specify projects
- Leave all included

# How to Read ART Report

Use report tabs to find the status of individual clients as of today's date.





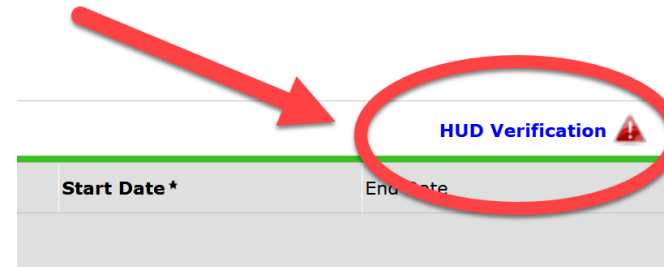
# Income and other Sub-Assessments

# HUD Sub-Assessment Errors

1. HUD Verifications Incomplete
2. Yes Response to Disability is missing the follow up long term verification.
3. Incongruent Responses

## Where to Start

1. Review the oldest assessment first!  
*If the error is appearing on Project Start, Annual Assessment, and Project Exit, review the Project Start Assessment first as it may resolve all the following assessment errors!*
2. Check to see if the HUD Verification is Incomplete



# HUD Sub-Assessment Errors

## Special note:

For disabling conditions, there is an additional required question that must also be answered if the condition is marked YES!

**Disabilities**

Disability Type \* Physical (HUD)

Disability determination \* Yes (HUD)

If Yes, Expected to be of long-continued and indefinite duration and substantially impairs ability to live independently

Start Date \* 12 / 28 / 2021

End Date

Note on Disability

Print Recordset Save Cancel

## Where to Start

3. Check to see if the Gateway response matches the HUD Verification responses

**Health Insurance**

Covered by Health Insurance No (HUD)

**HUD Verification: Health Insurance for 05/01/2022**

Per Health Insurance Type, the current records for Health Insurance as of 05/01/2022 are displayed below. Any previous records for Health Insurance not overlapping as of this date are not displayed. In the event that multiple records exist per Health Insurance Type as of 05/01/2022, records containing "Yes" values will be displayed and take precedence for reporting purposes.

Health Insurance Type	Covered?			
	Yes	No	Data Not Collected	Incomplete
MEDICAID	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
MEDICARE	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
State Children's Health Insurance Program	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Veteran's Administration (VA) Medical Services	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Employer - Provided Health Insurance	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Health Insurance obtained through COBRA	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Private Pay Health Insurance	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
State Health Insurance for Adults	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Indian Health Services Program	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Other	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Save Save & Exit Exit

# HUD Sub-Assessment Errors

1. HUD Verifications Incomplete
2. Yes Response to Disability is missing the follow up long term verification.
3. Incongruent Responses

## Incongruent Responses

4. Check to see if there are overlapping/conflicting responses for the same source items (*i.e. two records for earned income during the same time period*)
5. Check to see if there are gaps in responses for any source items ***during the time the client was in your project's service.***

**HOT TIP:** *The magnifying glass in front of each HUD Sub-Assessment will allow for you to review the entire history of the client responses. This will provide you a better picture of the client's history overtime and to identify any gaps &/or overlaps in responses!*





## Let's see some examples!


### Client 276

- Disability Example
- Missing Details

### Client 17

- Wrong at Start
- Date overlap on interim
- Let's walk through how to correctly record an update

## Recap of steps to take

1. Determine which assessment to review
  - ✓ Is the project row included within your reporting period?
  - ✓ Start with the oldest assessment with the error
2. Are all the HUD Verifications complete? **HUD Verification** 
3. Does the gateway (y/n) question match the responses listed in the HUD Verification sub-assessment table?
4. Do any of the source types have answers that overlap in dates or have conflicting answers on the same date(s)?
5. Are there any gaps in answers during the service time?





Questions?