

Your Info. Your Rights. Your Choice.

A guide to HMIS, privacy, and your options



What Is HMIS?

The Homeless Management Information System is a database that helps agencies connect you to housing and supportive services — faster and more effectively. It also helps the community see what’s needed to improve services and keep or expand funding.



How Your Information Is Protected

We keep your data safe using:

- Secure digital connection
- Passwords and limited access
- Agreements so only trusted people can see it



You Have Options

Your privacy matters. You deserve support that respects your choices. You can decide to:

- 1 Lock your basic information that prevents profile duplications
- 2 Lock your service history from local partners in nearby counties
- 3 Block your name, date of birth, and other identifying information from being entered