

## Chronic Severity of Need Index

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This tool is designed to guide the prioritization of those individuals who meet the criteria of chronically homeless. Each item equals 1 point unless otherwise noted. In addition to the resulting total score, the specific needs and barriers of each individual will be considered.

Client Name:	HMIS #
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<b>MENTAL HEALTH &amp; AOD</b>	
SPMI DX	
SUBSTANCE DEPENDENCE DX	
CO-OCCURRING D/O	
NOT LINKED W/TREATMENT PROVIDER	
LINKED BUT NOT ENGAGED/NON-ADHERENT/AT RISK OF BEING D/C	
HISTORY OF COMMUNITY PSYCHIATRIC HOSPITALIZATIONS (in the past 12 months, 1-2 admissions = 1pt. 3 or more admissions = 2 pts.)	
ANY HISTORY OF STATE PSYCHIATRIC HOSPITALIZATIONS	
OUTPATIENT/COMMUNITY COMMITMENT (in the past 12 months)	
ANY HISTORY OF SUICIDE ATTEMPTS	
ANY HISTORY OF OVERDOSE (accidental or intentional)	
ACT/IDDT TEAM (in the past 2 years)	
RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT (any history, any type, including as a youth)	
SUB TOTAL	

<b>HOUSING/HOMELESSNESS</b>	
LOSS OF PRIOR SUBSIDY	
EVICTION HISTORY	
ANY PRIOR SAFE HAVEN/FACILITY BASED PSH PLACEMENT	
ANY PRIOR GROUP HOME PLACEMENT	
SUB TOTAL	

<b>LEGAL ISSUES/CRIMINAL JUSTICE INVOLVMENT</b>	
HISTORY OF JAIL STAYS (5 or more in the past year)	
HISTORY OF SERVING TIME IN PRISON	
MISDEMEANOR ARRESTS/CHARGES/CONVICTIONS (4 or more in the past year)	
FELONY CONVICTIONS	
NGRI HISTORY	
HISTORY OF VIOLENT CRIMES	
CURRENT PROBATION	
CURRENT PAROLE	
PENDING CHARGES	
SUB TOTAL	

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<b>AGE &amp; INFIRMITY</b>	
55 OR OLDER	
AIDS/HIV/HEP C	
OTHER CHRONIC HEALTH CONDITION	
MOBILITY ISSUES/REQUIRES ASSISTIVE DEVICE	
HOME HEALTH CARE SERVICES/NEED	
HOSPITALIZATIONS (any medical admissions in the past 2 years)	
NURSING HOME OR OTHER PHYSICAL REHAB STAY (in the past year)	
BLIND, DEAF, OTHER IMPAIRMENT	
SUB TOTAL	

<b>VULNERABILITY TO EXPLOITATION/OTHER SAFETY/RISK FACTORS</b>	
VICTIM OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE (Any history of DV = 1pt. 2 or more abusive relationships = 2pts)	
VICTIM OF HUMAN TRAFFICKING	
HAS OR NEEDS A GUARDIAN	
INABILITY TO READ, WRITE, COMMUNICATE (BLIND, DEAF, NON-ENGLISH SPEAKING, ETC)	
COGNITIVE IMPAIRMENT (includes documented developmental disability or Alzheimer's/dementia)	
18-24 YEAR OLD LACKING INDEPENDENT LIVING SKILLS	
18-24 YEAR OLD WITH COMPLEX TRAUMA	
TRESPASSED OR RESTRICTED FROM COMMUNITY RESOURCES (2pts if restricted from shelter)	
SUB TOTAL	

<b>SCORING</b>	
<b>MENTAL HEALTH &amp; AOD DISORDERS</b>	
<b>HOUSING/HOMELESSNESS</b>	
<b>LEGAL ISSUES/CRIMINAL JUSTICE INVOLVMENT</b>	
<b>AGE &amp; INFIRMITY</b>	
<b>VULNERABILITY TO EXPLOITATION/OTHER SAFETY/RISK FACTORS</b>	
<b>TOTAL</b>	

Provide additional information/justification to be considered: