# Information About the Proposed Ending of Housing Stabilization Services for Participants

On August 21, 2025, The Minnesota Department of Human Services Minnesota submitted a request to the federal government to end the Housing Stabilization Services (HSS) program.

HSS cannot end until Minnesota receives approval from the federal government to do this. **Because of this, Housing Stabilization Services continues to operate as normal until this approval is received.**Program termination will be effective **no earlier** than October 20, 2025.

You can submit formal comments about the process for ending the program to dhs.spa.comments@state.mn.us. These comments must be received by September 20, 2025.

You can find DHS FAQs on the proposed ending of the HSS program here at <a href="https://mn.gov/dhs/housing-stabilization-services-termination/">https://mn.gov/dhs/housing-stabilization-services-termination/</a>.

### What does this mean for people receiving HSS services?

If you are currently receiving Housing Stabilization Services, you should:

- Connect with your provider as soon as possible, and
- Ask for help planning for when services end.

#### If you:

- Have lost touch with your provider and have not heard from them in a while,
- Were working with a provider that has closed and is no longer providing services,
- Are not sure who your provider is, or
- Are concerned that your provider is not providing the services as expected, you can:
- Contact your Medical Assistance administrator (MCO)'s customer service to request information about your HSS eligibility and provider status. This information can be found on your health insurance card.
- Connect with your county worker or other social worker or healthcare provider to request assistance.
- Contact another Housing Stabilization Services provider to have your case transferred. A searchable list of our providers may be found at <a href="https://mn.gov/adresources/">https://mn.gov/adresources/</a>. In the "How can we help?" box, type "Housing Stabilization Services." Please be aware that many providers are no longer accepting new clients.

# Additional resources for help with housing services

If you are currently housed and worried about losing your housing: Contact your local homeless prevention program. A list of providers is available at http://bit.ly/4lIBMaf.

If you are currently homeless or unhoused and need help finding a place to live: Connect with your local Coordinated Entry System. You can find your access point here: <a href="https://mn.hb101.org/i/map/homeless\_map.htm">https://mn.hb101.org/i/map/homeless\_map.htm</a>.

If you have a certified disability (through Social Security or Medical Assistance), you may qualify for in-home services. You can request a MnCHOICES assessment through your county or tribe by starting with the phone number below.

If you have a mental illness, you may qualify for mental health services. Contact your county or tribe at the phone number below or search for a provider at https://fasttrackermn.org/.

Homeless veterans and their families can call <u>1-888-546-5838</u> (LinkVet) or Community Resource and Referral Centers (CRRCs) - VA Homeless Programs at 612-313-3240.

Domestic violence victims: Day One Services may be able to help find a safe place for families while fleeing abuse. Call 1-866-223-1111.

#### Tribal nations housing resources

Bois Forte Band of Chippewa, 1-218-757-3261

Fond du Lac Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Housing Division, 1-218-878-8050

Grand Portage Chippewa Housing Authority, 1-218-475-2552

Ho-Chunk Nation of Wisconsin (has a Minneapolis office) Department of Housing, 1-608-374-1225

Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe Housing Authority, 1-218-335-8280 or 1-866-223-2233

Lower Sioux Indian Community, 1-507-697-6185

Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe Housing Department, 1-320-532-4181

Prairie Island Community, 1-651-385-4124

Red Lake Nation Housing Authority, 1-218-679-3368

Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community of Minnesota, 1-952-445-8900

Upper Sioux Community Housing, 1-320-564-6300

White Earth Reservation Housing Authority, 1-218-473-4663

## For help from your local county social services (https://bit.ly/3UQzhrA):

County	Phone number	County	Phone number
Aitkin	218-927-7200	Marshall	218-745-5124
Anoka	763-422-7200	Martin	507-238-4757
Becker	218-847-5628	Meeker	320-693-5300
Beltrami	218-333-8300	Mille Lacs	320-983-8208
Benton	320-968-5087	Morrison	320-631-3599
Big Stone	320-839-2555 x28	Mower	507-437-9701
Blue Earth	507-304-4335	Murray	507-637-4050
Brown	507-359-6500	Nicollet	507-934-8559
Carlton	218-879-4583	Nobles	507-295-5213
Carver	952-361-1721	Norman	218-784-5400
Cass	218-547-1340	Olmsted	507-328-6500
Chippewa	320-269-6401	Otter Tail	218-998-8230
Chisago	651-213-5214	Pennington	218-681-2880
Clay	218-291-5200	Pine	320-591-1570
Clearwater	218-694-6164	Pipestone	507-637-4050
Cook	218-387-3620	Polk	218-281-3127
Cottonwood	507-831-1891	Pope	320-634-7755
Crow Wing	218-824-1250	Ramsey	651-266-2170
Dakota	651-554-5611	Red Lake	218-253-4131
Dodge	507-923-2900	Redwood	507-637-4050
Douglas	320-762-2302	Renville	320-523-2202
Faribault	507-238-4757	Rice	507-332-6115
Fillmore	507-765-2175	Rock	507-637-4050
Freeborn	507-377-5400	Roseau	218-463-2411
Goodhue	651-385-3200	St. Louis	218-726-2400
Grant	218-685-8200	Scott	952-496-8686
Hennepin	612-348-5937	Sherburne	763-765-4100
Houston	507-725-5811	Sibley	507-237-4000
Hubbard	218-732-1451	Stearns	320-656-6000
Isanti	763-689-1711	Steele	507-923-2900
Itasca	218-327-2941	Stevens	320-208-6600
Jackson	507-847-4000	Swift	320-843-3160
Kanabec	320-679-6350	Todd	320-732-4500
Kandiyohi	320-231-7800	Traverse	320-422-7777
Kittson	218-843-2689	Wabasha	651-565-3351
Koochiching	218-283-7000	Wadena	218-631-7505
Lac qui Parle	320-598-7594	Waseca	507-923-2900
Lake	218-834-8400	Washington	651-430-6455
Lake of the Woods	218-634-2642	Watonwan	507-375-3294
Le Seuer	507-357-8288	Wilkin	218-643-7161
Lincoln	507-637-4050	Winona	507-457-6500
Lyon	507-637-4050	Wright	763-682-7412
McLeod	320-864-3144	Yellow Medicine	320-564-2211
Mahnomen	218-935-2568		