



Montgomery County HMIS- Reason for Leaving Guidelines

As of 10/29/24

Reason for Leaving	Explanation	Possible Example(s)
Completed program	Client no longer requires services by current program	Client found housing, client completed transitional housing program
Left for housing opportunity before completing program	Client chose to leave program prior to completion because of another housing opportunity	Client transferred from one PSH program to another, client transferred from RRH to PSH, client left to live with family in another state
Disagreement with rules/persons	Client chose to leave on their own because they didn't agree with rules/policies	Client had a disagreement with a member of their household and chose to leave
Reached maximum time allowed	Client reached maximum time allowed set by program policies/operating schedule	Client staying at seasonal shelter must exit, client reached RRH time limit and are not necessarily independent yet
Needs could not be met	Client's needs are beyond the parameters of the current program	Client exits to a nursing home, client delivered child and exits to family shelter
Criminal activity/violence	Client can no longer work with program due to prolonged incarceration	Client has been held for more than ninety days and cannot continue working with program
Client opted out/declines to participate	Client declines to participate in program/declines treatment	Client decides they do not want to participate in program because they are not ready for treatment, client wishes to participate in a different program
Lease violation/termination	Lease is voided either due to client violation of lease or landlord termination of lease.	Client violated their lease and there is no other unit available to transfer them to, landlord does not wish to continue working with program and ends client's lease
Death	Client passed away while in the program	Client passed away while in the program
Unknown/Disappeared	Client left the program without informing anyone as to why they were leaving and are unable to be reached	Client has not been seen and cannot be reached to determine their whereabouts or reason for leaving