



Housing and Services Resource Center

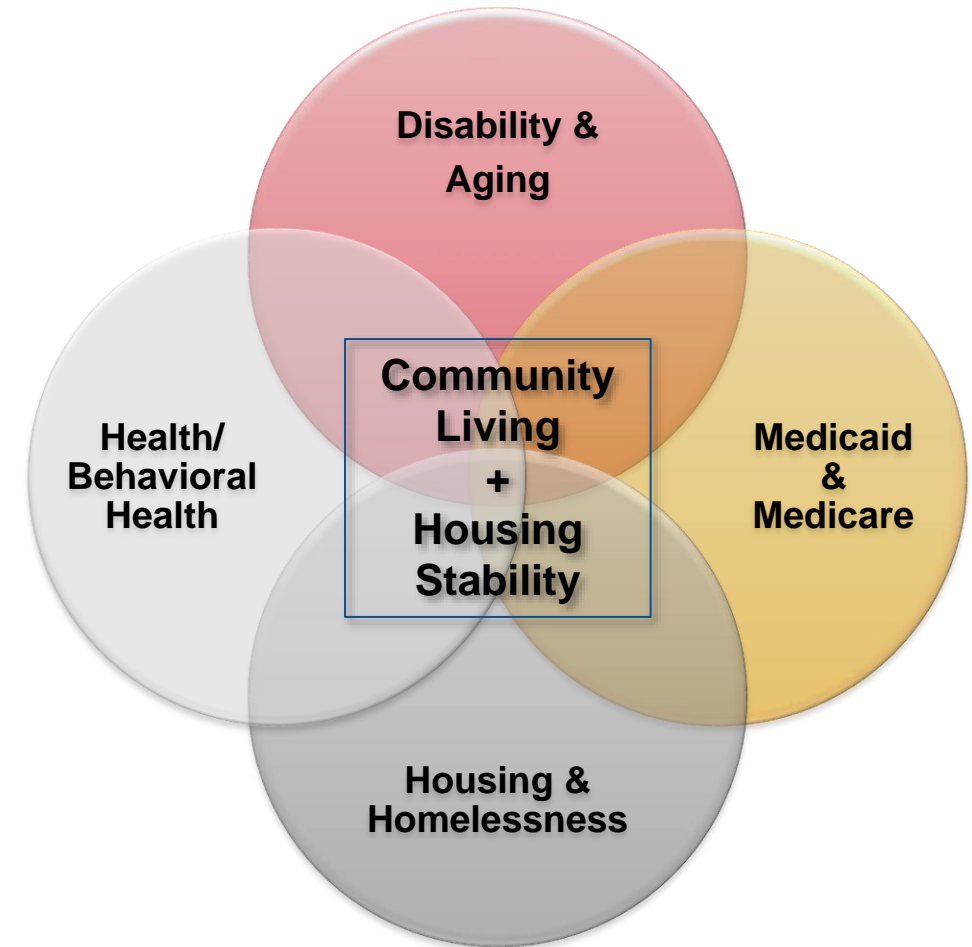
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Housing Alone Is Not Enough

- Some people experiencing or at risk of homelessness need both affordable housing and access to voluntary services to live stably and independently in the community, especially:
 - People with behavioral health needs
 - Older Adults
 - People with disabilities
- Neither the housing system nor the health care system can alone meet these people's needs
- To serve these populations, partnerships among housing, health, and social care systems are key





HSRC: Collaboration Among Federal Agencies and Our Networks

U.S. Department of Health & Human Services (HHS)

ACL - Administration for Community Living (Lead Coordinating Agency)

ACF - Administration for Children & Families

ASPE - Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning & Evaluation

CDC - Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

CMS - Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services

HRSA - Health Resources & Services Administration

SAMHSA - Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD)

U.S. Department of Agriculture, Rural Development (USDA)

U.S. Department of Energy (DOE)

U.S. Department of Labor (DOL)

U.S. Department of Veteran Affairs (VA)

U.S. Interagency Council on Homelessness (USICH)



Housing

- Continuums of Care
- Public Housing Agencies
- Homeless Assistance Programs
- Multifamily Affordable Housing Owners, Operators, Developers, & Investors
- Landlords



Aging & Disability

- Aging & Disability Resource Centers
- Area Agencies on Aging
- Centers for Independent Living
- Community Care Hubs
- Seniors Centers & Supportive Services
- Assistive Technology Programs



Government

- Federal Agencies
- State Medicaid
- State Unit on Aging
- Housing Finance Agencies
- Municipal & County Government Housing Agencies
- Single State Agency for Substance Abuse Services
- Public Health Agencies
- Cities and Towns



Community

- Community-based Organizations
- Community Action Networks
- Veterans Organizations
- Faith-based Organizations
- Employers & Job Training
- Advocacy Organizations



Health & Behavioral

- Managed Care Organizations
- Health Systems
- Hospitals
- Providers
- Federally Qualified Health Centers
- Certified Behavioral Health Clinics
- Behavioral Health Providers

Housing and Services

Connecting

the housing sector and the
community living networks



Focus Areas

Explore accessible, affordable, fair housing; homelessness; supportive services; tribal housing; and transitions



Models

Use these guides, examples, practices, and more to help you build, adapt, and grow partnerships across sectors



Tools

Find tools to support action, including data, reports, directories, training, toolkits, and funding information



What's New

Check this page regularly for our latest news and updates on webinars, tools, and technical assistance





Examples of HSRC TA and Resources

■ Webinars

- Expanding Access to Service Coordination: Two Models of Braiding Funding
- Independent Living and Assistive Technology Programs to Address Homelessness & Housing Stability
- Enhancing Housing Stability for People with TBI at Risk of Homelessness

■ Issue Briefs, Case Studies, & Tools

- [Federal Resources to Support Housing-Related Services for People Experiencing Homelessness](#)
- [Eviction Prevention: A Toolkit for Tenants and Service Providers](#)
- [AAA's Homelessness Prevention Programs and Partnership Case Examples](#)



Housing & Services Partnership Accelerator

Advancing Housing Stability and Community Living – 12-month Learning Collaborative

Goal: Support states & communities to **accelerate partnerships to implement innovative strategies** to coordinate housing-related activities and supports to people experiencing/at risk of homelessness.

Why? Coordination of housing assistance and wrap-around supportive services is a **proven, cost-effective approach** to assisting people with disabilities and chronic/complex health conditions transition from homelessness, exit or avoid institutional settings, and live in the community.

Components

- Cross-sector Teams: Medicaid, Aging, Disability, Housing, Homelessness, & Health
- State Needs Assessment
- 1:1 state coaching
- In-person Convening
- Peer-to-Peer Learning Tracks
- Peer-to-Peer Online Technical Assistance Community
- Technical Briefs & Resource Development
- National Webinars

Learn More: <https://acl.gov/HousingAndServices/Accelerator>



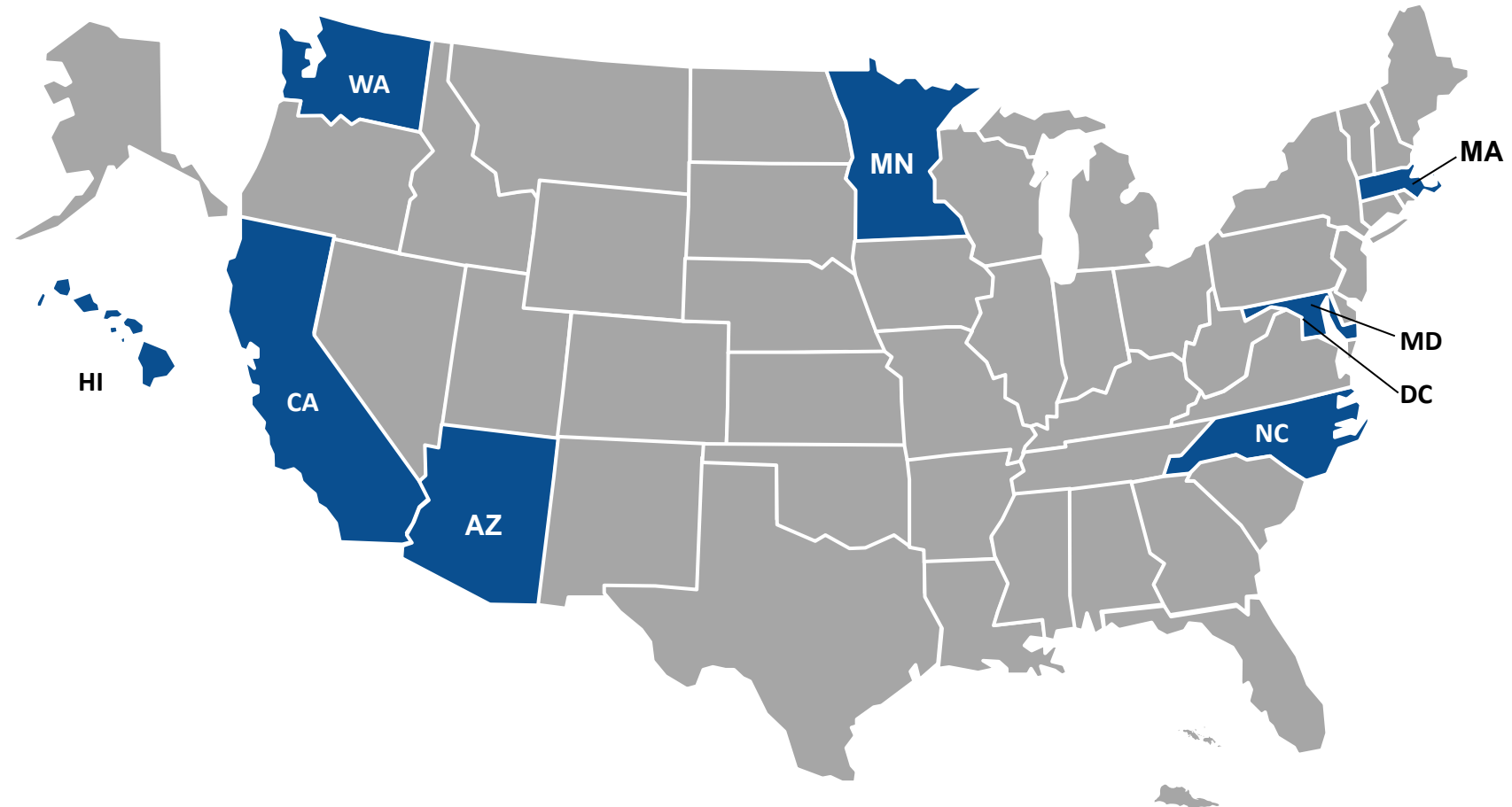
HSPA Participating States & Medicaid Authorities for Coverage of Housing-Related Services & Supports

1115 Demonstrations

- Arizona
- California [w/1915(b)]
- Hawaii
- Maryland [pilot]
- Massachusetts
- North Carolina [pilot]
- Washington

1915(i) SPAs

- Washington DC
- Minnesota





Advancing Housing, Health, and Social Care Partnerships Conference

Held June 26-27, 2024 (200 participants from across the country)

Participating Learning Collaboratives:

- [Housing and Services Partnership Accelerator](#)

Arizona, California, Hawai'i, Maryland, Massachusetts, Minnesota, North Carolina, Washington and D.C.

- [HSRA Health and Housing Institute](#)

Connecticut, New Jersey, New Mexico, and Oregon

- [USICH ALL INside initiative](#)

Chicago, Dallas, Denver, Los Angeles, Phoenix Metro, Seattle, and the State of California



Local Leadership Examples

- City of Phoenix partnering with AZ Medicaid to create an Office of Homeless Solutions
- City of Mesa Off the Streets program
- AAA's homelessness prevention programs and partnerships including in:
 - Los Angeles County, CA
 - Multnomah County, OR
 - Toledo, OH
 - Oak Park, IL
- Bay Aging in Urbana, VA, helped create Northern Neck Middle Peninsula Housing Coalition
- Seattle Housing Authority working closely with their local AAA, Aging and Disability Services



Opportunities

- Convene disability, aging, health, housing and other agencies and community organizations to work together to address affordable, accessible housing and homelessness. These partnerships are powerful change agents.
- Ensure local providers in your city understand how to receive third party payment.
- Encourage your local disability and aging organizations, CoC and PHA to align their prioritization and preference policies to sync up who is receiving community services and who is receiving housing assistance.
- Join with other mayors in your state to inform state leadership about successful examples that can be replicated in your state



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ACL is here to help you and your staff!

Email us at hsrc@acl.hhs.gov

- We want to learn about your **partnerships and innovations**
- We have **technical assistance** available
- We welcome subscribers to the **HSRC Listserv** (18,000 and growing)
- Visit the HSRC hub at acl.gov/HousingAndServices