

# Memorandum



DATE April 12, 2017

TO Housing Committee Members: Scott Griggs, Chair, Carolyn King Arnold, Vice-Chair, Mayor Pro-Tem Monica R. Alonzo, Tiffinni A. Young, Mark Clayton, and Casey Thomas, II

SUBJECT Homeless Management Information System (HMIS)

On Monday, April 17, 2017, the Housing Committee will receive a briefing on Homeless Management Information System (HMIS) by Bernadette Mitchell, Director of Housing and Neighborhood Revitalization. A copy of the briefing is attached.

Please let me know if you have any questions.



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# Homeless Management Information System

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# Presentation Overview

- Review the City of Dallas' participation in HMIS
- Discuss next steps



# City of Dallas Participation

- The following programs are responsible for entering client data into the HMIS System:
  - **HIV/AIDS Tenant-Based Rental Assistance** (Housing Opportunities with HIV/AIDS)
  - **HIV/AIDS Homeless Outreach** (Housing Opportunities for Persons with HIV/AIDS)
  - **Homelessness Prevention** (Emergency Solutions Grant & Housing Opportunities for Persons with HIV/AIDS)
  - **Intake & Other Essential Services** (Emergency Solutions Grant)
  - **Permanent Supportive Housing** (Continuum of Care)
  - **Rapid ReHousing** (HOME Investment Partnerships Program, Emergency Solutions Grant & Continuum of Care)
  - **Street Outreach** (Emergency Solutions Grant & General Funds)

# City of Dallas Contractor Participation

- All homeless services providers under contract with the City are required to enter client service data into HMIS
- Providers include:
  - AIDS Services of Dallas
  - Association of Persons Affected by Addiction
  - Austin Street Center
  - The Bridge
  - CitySquare
  - Dallas County Health & Human Services
  - Family Gateway
  - The Family Place
  - Health Services of North Texas
  - Legacy Counseling Center
  - Legal Aid of Northwest Texas
  - My Second Chance
  - Open Arms (Bryan's House)
  - Operation Relief Center, Inc.
  - Shared Housing Center
  - Wilkinson Center



# Discuss Next Steps

- On April 26, 2017, City Council will consider the following:
  - Authorization of a memorandum of understanding with Metro Dallas Homeless Alliance (MDHA) for our continued participation in the local HMIS system
  - Authorization of a Subscription Services agreement with Pieces Technology, Inc., for use of the Pieces Iris™ software solution being implemented by MDHA as the new HMIS system

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