

SAMHSA Homeless and Housing Resource Center (HHRC) Training and Resources

Mission and Vision

HHRC provides training on housing and treatment models focused on adults, children, and families who are experiencing or at risk of homelessness and have a serious mental illness (SMI) and/or serious emotional disturbance (SED), substance use disorders (SUD), and/or co-occurring disorders (COD). We are a centralized hub of easily accessible, no-cost training for health and housing professionals in evidence-based practices that contributes to housing stability, recovery, and an end to homelessness.

Online Courses

HHRC [online courses](#) are free, self-paced, and cover foundational-level information about evidence-based practices in housing and health. Courses include reflective activities that support trainees in identifying how they will put the training into practice. All courses are accredited for continuing education units (CEUs) through the National Association of Social Workers (NASW).

Currently available:

- [Introduction to Housing Models, Housing Navigation, and Engagement](#) (4 CEUs)
- [Introduction to Treatment Models and Engagement](#) (3 CEUs)
- [Serious Mental Illness and Homelessness](#) (1.5 CEUs)
- [Whole-Person Care for Opioid Use Disorder](#) (3 CEUs)

Webinars

All [HHRC webinars](#) are available at no cost, and recordings are available on the HHRC website. HHRC webinars cover various topical areas that promote best practices for serving individuals experiencing homelessness with behavioral health condition(s). All webinar recordings have captions available in English and Spanish and American Sign Language (ASL) interpretation.

Additional Resources: Toolkits and Practice Briefs

All resources can be found on the [Knowledge and Resources](#) page of the HHRC website and are available in both English and Spanish. Resources include toolkits, practice briefs, fact sheets, and videos. Toolkits currently available cover topics including helping obtain identification documents, whole-person care for people with SUD, funding for supportive housing, engaging with property managers, motivational interviewing, resiliency for supervisors, and disaster planning.

Learning Communities

HHRC Learning Communities are free and available to a national audience. Recordings of all sessions are archived on the HHRC website.

- [Supportive Housing Models that Work](#) (February-April 2022): three-part webinar series
- [Trauma-Informed Outreach and Engagement](#) (June-August 2022): four-part webinar series

Contact Information

We invite you to visit our website: <https://hhrctraining.org/>. Sign up for the [HHRC Listserv](#) to learn about upcoming trainings and resources. If you have any questions, please get in touch with us at info@hhrctraining.org or 518-439-7415 x 4.