



ATR 4 Definition of Homelessness

For Idaho ATR 4, the term “homeless individuals and families” are:

- (A) Those who lack a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence; and
- (B) Includes—
 - (i) Those who are sharing the housing of other persons due to loss of housing, economic hardship, or a similar reason; are living in motels, hotels, trailer parks, or camping grounds due to the lack of alternative accommodations; are living in shelters, Permanent Supportive Housing, or Transitional Housing; or are awaiting foster care placement;
 - (ii) Those who have a primary nighttime residence that is a public or private place not designed for or ordinarily used as a regular sleeping accommodation for human beings
 - (a) Those who are living in cars, parks, public spaces, abandoned buildings, substandard housing, bus or train stations, or similar settings; and
 - (iii) Migratory individuals or families who qualify as homeless for the purposes of this subtitle because they are living in circumstances described in clauses (i) and (ii).
 - (iv) Any individual or family who is fleeing, or is attempting to flee, domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, stalking, or other dangerous or life threatening conditions in the individual's or family's current housing situation, including where the health and safety of children are jeopardized, and who have no other residence and lack the resources or support networks to obtain other permanent housing.
 - (v) Those who are being released from an institutional setting into one of the categories above.

Common examples Client currently resides in:	Eligible under:
Car, park, abandoned building	(B)(ii) - Individuals and families who have a primary nighttime residence that is a public or private place not designed for or ordinarily used as a regular sleeping accommodation for human beings
Shelters, Permanent Supportive Housing, Transitional Housing	(B)(i) - Individuals and families who are living in shelters, Permanent Supportive Housing, or Transitional Housing
Motels, hotels, or campground	(B)(i) - Individuals and families who are living in motels, hotels, or camping grounds due to the lack of alternative adequate accommodations

Common examples Client currently resides in:	Eligible under:
Staying with Others ("Doubled-Up")	(B)(i) - Individuals and families doubling-up due to due to loss of housing, economic hardship, or a similar reason.
Victims of Domestic Violence	(B)(iv) - Any individual or family who is fleeing, or is attempting to flee, domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, stalking, or other dangerous or life threatening conditions in the individual's or family's current housing situation, including where the health and safety of children are jeopardized, and who have no other residence and lack the resources or support networks to obtain other permanent housing
Being released from jail or hospital and has lost their primary residence while institutionalized	(B)(v) Those who are being released from an institutional setting into one of the categories above.