

HOUSING FORWARD

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MISSION

Housing Forward (formerly the Metro Dallas Homeless Alliance) leads in the development and implementation of an effective homeless response system to make homelessness rare, brief, and non-recurring in Dallas and Collin counties.



ROLE

We work alongside the All Neighbors Coalition, a collaborative made up of more than 135 partners across Collin and Dallas Counties that provides resources and support directly to individuals, veterans, youth, and families experiencing homelessness.



HOUSING FORWARD AND THE ALL NEIGHBORS COALITION





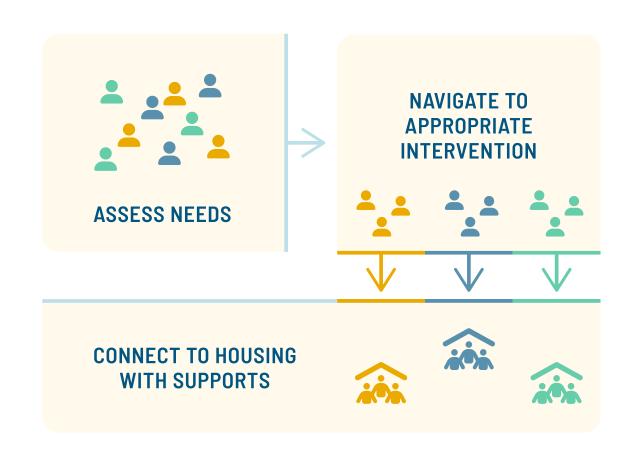


COORDINATED ACCESS SYSTEM (CAS)

Unhoused neighbors are identified, assessed for their needs, referred to resources, and connected to housing in a standardized and centralized fashion across the system.

This allows our community to streamline and coordinate services from providers across the system, which helps our system work more efficiently for those who need it.

People access CAS through their providers or through Housing Forward's Homeless Crisis Helpline.







[DALLAS] R.E.A.L. TIME [RAPID] REHOUSING INITIATIVE

DRTRR aimed to rehouse over 2,700 individuals and families experiencing homelessness by the end of September 2023. It has been transformed into R.E.A.L. Time which aims to rehouse 6,000 by the end of 2025.

This initiative brings together public and private partners to significantly reduce homelessness across Dallas and Collin Counties.







SPECIAL RECOGNITION

The Federal Government has recognized our exceptional performance:

- \$22.8 million special grant to rehouse our unsheltered neighbors
- ANC regular annual HUD funding increased from \$19 million to \$27 million
- Special \$9.4 million grant to address youth homelessness
- White House selected our community to be one of only six communities to participate in ALL INside







OUR COMMUNITY GOALS

EFFECTIVELY
END VETERAN
HOMELESSNESS

SIGNIFICANTLY REDUCE CHRONIC UNSHELTERED HOMELESSNESS

SIGNIFICANTLY REDUCE FAMILY AND YOUTH HOMELESSNESS



