

Haywood County Schools Homeless Education

To identify a student who may qualify for McKinney-Vento services – or for information – please contact the School Social Worker at your child's school

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WHO QUALIFIES?

The term “homeless children and youth”—

(A) means individuals who lack a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence; and,

(B) includes—

- children and youths 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 emergency or transitional shelters; are abandoned in hospitals;
- children and youths 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
- children and youths who are living in cars, parks, public spaces, abandoned buildings, substandard housing, bus or train stations, or similar settings; and,
- migratory children who qualify as homeless for the purposes of this subtitle because the children are living in circumstances described above.

INFORMATIONAL WEBSITES:

- North Carolina Homeless Education Program
<http://center.serve.org/hepnc/>
- Mc-Kinney Vento Law and Guidance
<http://center.serve.org/hepnc/mv.php>
- North Carolina Policies and Contacts
http://center.serve.org/hepnc/nc_pol.php
- Educational Rights of Children and Youth Experiencing Homelessness
<https://nche.ed.gov/nche/rights.html>
- NCHE Parent resources
https://nche.ed.gov/ibt/parent_res.php
- National Center for Homeless Education
<https://nche.ed.gov/index.php>
- National Association for the Education of Homeless Children and Youth
<http://www.naehcy.org/>