



The Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD)'s new regulations require that all Continuums of Care (CoCs) develop and implement a coordinated entry and assessment system for all HUD-Funded programs.

Coordinated Entry is a centralized or collaborative process designed to coordinate program participant intake, assessments, and referrals to housing resources.

Coordinated Entry is not:

- A)** Immediate Placement into housing...
- B)** A program...
- C)** An increase to available housing inventory within Gila County...
- D)** Eliminating required program eligibility...

Coordinated Entry is:

- A)** The beginning steps for coordination of available services.
- B)** The entry point to determine eligibility for Permanent Supportive Housing or Rapid Rehousing.
- C)** A tool to help access the existing housing referral opportunities with more efficiency.
- D)** A tool to determining voucher eligibility. Clients must still meet housing program or landlord eligibility criteria.

The Assessment -

- A common screening tool that collects participant's homeless history, disability history, criminal background history, and an array of other data points. The goal is to learn as much as we can about the current housing situation and offer appropriate resources to build a housing action plan.
- Based on the information provided, we will offer resources to match your specific needs. Some examples include: medical care, support obtaining employment, food and hygiene resources, support obtaining vital documents, and referral into supportive services.
- The only way to access PSH or RRH pathways in our CoC is through Coordinated Entry. Completing the assessment process does not guarantee housing or vouchers.

Locations -

Gila County Public Health and Community Services

Payson, AZ.

Monday - Friday 8AM - 5PM

928-474-1210

**110 W. Main St. Suite A,
Payson, AZ 85541**

Gila County Public Health and Community Services Globe, AZ. Monday - Friday 8AM - 5PM	928-402-8695 5515 S. Apache Avenue, Suite 200, Globe, AZ 85501
Homeless Coalition of Cobre Valley - Tim G. Globe, AZ. Street Outreach Hours Vary	928-961-3141 - hccv2024@gmail.com Services the Globe, Miami, and Claypool AZ areas

How to Prepare for your Assessment -

- Confirm hours for assessment and set a time to either screen over the phone or in person.
- Ensure that all adults (18+) in the household are available for the assessment process.
- Allot the appropriate amount of time for the assessment process. The assessment can take 30 minutes or more depending on the size of the household.

Following the Assessment -

Get Identification Documents	Get two valid forms of ID. (State ID/Drivers Licenses, Birth Certificates, Social Security Cards, etc.)
Increase Income	Connect to community organizations to discuss employment opportunities or any disability/ Social Security Benefits that could supply a stable income.
Government Benefits	Get connected to benefits like Cash Assistance, SNAP, and AHCCCS Health Coverage.
Seek Housing	Look into housing and apartment listings where you want to live and that are sustainable and affordable within your budget.

Stable Income + Housing = An End to Homelessness

“How will I know if I have been referred to a Housing Program?”

- If a referral is made to a housing program, the housing provider will contact you directly. It is important to provide the correct phone numbers, email addresses and all other means of contact upfront to streamline the referral process.
- It is important to confirm any **changes** to contact information, current living situation, household members, income or benefits, etc. All updates will be added to your profile to ensure current information is referred out to providers.

