



## COORDINATED ENTRY

When encountering someone who is experiencing a housing crisis please refer them to one of the Access Points listed below:

Access Point	Site Location	Services Offered	Hours of Operation
Shesler Hall (ES) 712.258.8059	1308 Nebraska St Sioux City IA, 51105	Emergency shelter for single women with chronic mental illness	M - F 9 AM - 4 PM
Crossroads (TH 24m) 712.293.0283	1307 Court St Sioux City, IA 51105	Transitional housing for	M - F 8 AM - 6 PM
Welcome Home (TH 3m) 712.898.4096	1414 Casselman St Sioux City, IA 51103	Transitional housing for families	M - F 8:30 AM - 5 PM
Homeless Prevention 712.274.1610	2700 Leech Ave Sioux City, IA 51106	Assistance to prevent homelessness	M - F 8:30 AM - 5 PM
*Rapid Re-housing (RRH) 712.274.1610	2700 Leech Ave Sioux City, IA 51106	Rapidly rehouse those who are homeless	M - F 8:30 AM - 5 PM
*Crittenton Center (PSH) 712.255.4321	814 Pierce St Sioux City, IA 51101	Housing for individuals or families with a disability and are chronically homeless	M - F 8 AM - 5 PM
Bridges West (TH 24m) 712.224.2545	225 Bluff St Sioux City, IA 51103	Transitional housing for families and individuals	M - F 8 AM - 5 PM
*Center For Siouxland 712.252.1861	715 Douglas St Sioux City, IA 51101	Parent agency of Bridges West	M - F 8 AM - 5 PM
*Council on Sexual Assault & Domestic Violence (ES & RRH) 712.258.7233 1.800.982.7233		Emergency shelter for individuals and families experiencing domestic violence, sexual assault, or human trafficking	24 hours a day/ 365 day a year
*Heartland Counseling Services 402.494.3337	917 W. 21 <sup>st</sup> St South Sioux City, NE 68776	Day Rehabilitation/Day Support	M - TH 9:30 AM - 3:30 PM Fridays 9:30 AM - 2:30 PM

\*denotes interpreter line available

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Once the individual has been connected to the Access Point, the individual is triaged, which produces a score. The score is used to suggest an appropriate housing intervention. Using a prioritization method, helps ensure individuals with the most barriers return to housing for the most cost- and service- intensive interventions. Weekly meetings, driven by client choice, allocate limited resources in the community to those who need it most.

Coordinated Entry is considered one of the many interventions in a community's united effort to end and prevent homelessness. The process works best and provides the greatest value if it is driven by "What does the individual need" rather than by provider eligibility. Coordinated entry refers to the process used to assess and assist in meeting the housing needs of people at-risk of homelessness and people experiencing homelessness. Key elements of coordinated entry include:

- A designated set of coordinated entry locations and staff members;
- The use of standardized assessment tools to assess individual needs;
- Referrals, based on the results of the assessment tools, to homelessness assistance programs (and other related programs when appropriate);
- Capturing and managing data related to assessment and referrals in a HMIS; and
- Prioritization of individuals with the most barriers to returning to housing for the most cost-and service-intensive interventions.