

Heading Home Ramsey

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Federal Funding Sources



The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Continuum of Care (CoC) Program is a competitive but dependable grant program, usually annual, for CoC projects.
These funds cannot be used for emergency shelter. Heading Home Ramsey applies through a collaborative application for project-specific grant agreements between HUD and individual providers.

HUD Continuum of Care Program, FY2023			
Activity Type	Projects	Total Funding	
Coordinated Entry	4	\$513,535	
Domestic Violence	1	\$64,416	
Homeless Management Information System	1	\$259,947	
Permanent Supportive Housing	16	\$4,512,501	
Rapid Re-Housing	3	\$1,129,935	
Transitional Housing	2	\$188,103	
Transitional Housing / Rapid Re-Housing	1	\$274,952	
TOTAL HUD GOC	28	\$6,943,405	



The HUD Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) is formula funding allocated to the City of Saint Paul and currently administered by Ramsey County Housing Stability through a joint powers agreement between the City and County, in coordination with Heading Home Ramsey. Up to 60% of these funds can be used on Street Outreach and Shelter Operations.

Activity Type	Projects	Total Funding
Street Outreach	2	\$88,795
Shelter Operations	4	\$241,840
Prevention	2	\$81,309
Rapid Re-Housing	2	\$117,019
Homeless Management Information System	1	\$14,693
Administration	1	\$44,080
TOTAL ESG	8	\$587,737



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State Funding Sources



The Minnesota Department of Human Services (DHS) Office of Economic Opportunity (OEO) recently merged into a new Homelessness, Housing, and Support Services Administration (HHSSA). HHSSA administers multiple grant programs through a biennial request for proposals. These, are listed below along with total funding granted directly to providers in Ramsey County.

DHS OEO Grant Programs, SFY 24-25, 7/1/23 - 6/30/25			
Program	Projects	Total Funding	
Emergency Services Program	10	\$7,825,000	
Transitional Housing Program	8	\$3,076,937	
Homeless Youth Act	6	\$9,282,542	
Safe Harbor Grants	4	\$2,081,600	
Shelter-Linked Mental Health Grant Program	1	\$1,100,000	
TOTAL OEO	29	\$23,366,079	



Direct Emergency Services (DES) grants are the directly appropriated funds that resulted from Heading Home Ramsey's 2023 legislative advocacy. They are administered by OEO/HHSSA.

DHS OEO Grants, SFY 24-25, 7/1/23 - 6/30/25			
Program	Total Funding	Program	Total Funding
Catholic Charities	\$2,286,000	MN One-Stop	\$1,498,000
Ramsey County	\$2,248,000	RADIAS Health	\$689,000
City of Saint Paul	\$1,972,000	Face to Face	\$512,000
Interfaith Action	\$1,734,000	Listening House	\$493,000
TOTAL DES	\$11,432,000		.341



MN Housing's Family Homeless Prevention and Assistance Program (FHPAP) is granted primarily to counties and tribal nations on a formula basis for the program categories below and is administered by Ramsey County Housing Stability in coordination with Heading Home Ramsey. This biennium's funding was allocated in four tranches that must be managed and tracked separately.

MN Housing FHPAP, SFY 24-25, 10/1/23 - 9/30/25			
Activity Type	Total Funding	Activity Type	Total Funding
Coordinated Entry	\$367,417	Rapid Re-Housing	\$1,621,011
Street Outreach	\$301,517	Grantee Admin	\$359,517
Prevention	\$8,446,617	TOTAL FHPAP	\$11,096,078

An additional \$3,838,027 was granted directly to provider organizations from MN Housing.