Housing Inventory Usage Guide

The following guide should allow users with residential programs to become more familiar with the inventory usage functions, which relate to placing clients into beds and vouchers, within the PA HMIS system. This guide will walk users through the main steps involved in the usage processes, called Check-Ins and Check-Outs in the system, from both a Housing Facility and Voucher basis.

As previously mentioned in the Inventory Setup Guide, the system has two fundamental types of Housing Inventory, the first is called "Facility" or "Facility-Based" and includes Emergency Shelters and Transitional and Permanent Housing programs that hold and maintain a set physical inventory and relates to on-site Rooms and Beds. The second is called "Housing Voucher" or "Voucher-Based" and includes those programs that do not hold and maintain a set physical inventory but instead rely on program funding for rental and hotel/motel assistance to place persons into on-demand housing. While the main Check-In and Check-Out processes between the two inventory types are very similar they do affect your inventory in different ways and each type will be detailed below.

Housing Inventory Background:

Prior to getting into the specifics of setting up each Inventory type, a few background notes, all Housing Inventory in terms of setup and review occur with the **Housing** tab of the system. This is available when logged into the HMIS Programs Workgroup.

When loading this tab the system will display the current Facility (Inventory) that is loaded for your Organization near the top of the screen (directly under the Housing tab). If your organization has more than 1 residential program you will have more than 1 facility and can switch between them by using the "**View Housing Facilities**" option located on the top left hand side of the screen.

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Housing Profile	Transitional Housing Housing Facility
HOUSING MANAGEMENT	Displayed below are the rooms/units within the selected facility along with the occu a client into the room, make a reservation for a room, or select the room to view the

When selecting the "View Housing Facilities" option the system will automatically display all of the facilities available within your organization and selecting a specific facility will load its inventory information. <u>When performing Check-In or Check-Out functions or reviewing Current or Previous</u> <u>Housing Residents please ensure you are in the proper facility, as each facility contains its own set of inventory information.</u>

Once loading a Facility, the system will display folders that contain options specific to that facility and a <u>Management</u> folder (Housing or Voucher) will appear that will be used for day to day oversight of the

facility's usage (Check-Ins and Check-Outs). There is also a <u>Housing Reports</u> folder that contains facility reports.



Depending on the type of Housing Inventory you have defined (Facility-Based or Voucher-Based) the names of the folders and the options contained therein will slightly change and this guide will be focusing on the Setup folders for managerial users.

Before moving into the actual Inventory Usage functions, please note for reference purposes, the PA HMIS system uses the term **"Check-In"** to refer to the placing of a client into a specific Bed or Voucher in the system, which includes a Check-In Date, which is the date the client started using or starts residing within the housing item. The term **"Check-Out"** refers to the removing of a client from a specific Bed or Voucher in the system and is accompanied with a Check-Out Date, which is the date the client stopped using or stopped residing within the housing item (in terms of being a program participant).

Facility-Based Inventory:

Facility-Based Inventory uses the standard model of predefining a set number of Rooms and a set number of Beds within each of those rooms and then placing program participants into and out of those same beds. This inventory configuration once entered into the system most likely does not change much during the year and users will be placing clients into and out of the same Rooms and Beds that have been previously defined. Within the Housing tab, all of the Inventory usage functionality exists within the Housing Management folder, which will be detailed below.

Housing Management:

The functions within this folder allow users to create new check-ins, review current and previously checked in residents, perform check-outs and oversee the status of the entire Facility. The Housing Management folder also allows for the recording and tracking of facility incidents as well as keeping a log, but these are optional functions and will not be covered in detail.

Check-In Functions-

The first two options of importance are the Check-In functions, which allow users to place enrolled clients directly into predefined Rooms and Beds within the facility. The system contains two versions for Facility-Based Inventory, a **Client Check-In** which can place a single client into a Bed and the **Household Check-In** which can place each person in an entire household into a Bed. These Check-Ins functions are the backbone of the Housing Inventory Usage process.



We will begin by covering the <u>Household Check-In</u> process, and explain the general elements that are required to be entered to complete the placement of a client into a room and bed.

Once selecting this option the system loads a screen that allows users to select the client they are looking to Check-In to a bed. With the household check-in you only need to start with a client that exists in the household you are looking to check-in.

t a Household Client using the Name search field below, once se	lected the system will prompt you to select an associat	Client Search – search for a member of the household
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Household:		
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enrollment to associate to this check-in. Once a project enrollm	ent and check-in date is entered the system will genera	date the client(s) entered
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hold members associated with the selected project enrollment a ntory elements, select the "Check-In" option to complete the pro		Room – select the Room to place the client(s)
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Room:*	SELECT 🖌 🗸	

Please note that when searching for a client, enter into the field with the following format (Last Name, First Name), or you can directly click on the magnifying glass on the client field to open up a search window.

Once the client is selected the system will display all program enrollments associated to the client that are relevant at this facility. Each facility is tied directly to a program and only clients enrolled into the associated program can be checked into the facility; only enrolled clients can be checked into facilities.

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Age:	20
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Project Enrollment:*	HMIS Service - Transitional Housing Program 05/18/2015 - 🗸 🧐

Once the enrollment is selected, the system will populate the Housing Member Check-In area with all of the household members that are also enrolled into that program. This will allow the user to check all of the enrolled household members into the facility at the same time.

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The Room element will list all of the available rooms at the facility, once one is selected the Bed field for each household member will populate with Beds that are available within that Room. To complete the process, assign a Bed to each household member that you want to be checked in, ensure the Check In Date is properly set and then click the "Check In" button on the bottom of the page.

Please note that the Check In Date does default to the current date, so please ensure you set this to the day the clients actual began residing at the facility, which is usually the program enrollment date.

In terms of the <u>Client Check-In</u>, the same basic elements are required; the main difference is you are only selecting a single client for which to perform the Check-In. The only other difference is cosmetic as with the single check-in form you select the Room and Bed prior to selecting the client and enrollment.

Facility:* Checked in from:* Room:* Bed:* Chore: Storage/Locker:	HMIS Service - Transitional Housing Facility
ent you wish to check into this Facility, along with the ap	ppropriate project enrollment. Please note that only currently enrolled clients can check-in to this Housing
Client:* Birth Date:	Woodruff, Woody 9/25/1994
Gender: Project Enrollment:*	HMIS Service - Transitional Housing Program 05/18/2015 - V
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The Check-In process can be accomplished in two ways, the first way, which was explained above, is once a client(s) is enrolled into a program, you can use the Check-In functions within the Housing Management folder of the Housing tab to place them into your inventory. The second way, which is easiest and recommended way, is to perform Check-In functions at the end of the program enrollment process.

When performing a program enrollment, once the initial enrollment data elements are collected the system determines whether or not this program has associated inventory. If the system identifies that inventory exists, it will prompt the user to perform a Check-In of those enrolled clients at the end of the process.



Selecting "Yes" will allow you to Check-In the client(s) into your Facility, selecting "No" will skip the Check-In process and end the enrollment. For those programs that maintain their inventory and intend to collect and track inventory usage data, we highly recommend using this function to perform all Check-Ins. It provides a single process in which to complete both the enrollment and the check-in functions without having to go back and perform additional actions. However, the stand-alone options are always available to use when clients were not originally checked in during enrollment, if clients are moving beds during the same enrollment or other reasons.

Please note that when selecting "Yes", the system will provide the user with either the Client Check-In or the Household Check-In form depending on the number of clients that were enrolled.

Check-In Review Functions-

Once clients have been checked into your Facility, we have two options to allow for the review of active and previous client bed stays, called <u>Housing Residents</u> for current Check-Ins and <u>Previous Housing</u> <u>Residents</u> for historical Check-Ins.



These options work in an identical fashion, with the only difference being which bed stays are displayed. These functions provided an easy-to-use tool to quickly view all of your current and past bed stays and can be displayed by date and by specific room, if desired.

This function also allows users to quickly Check-Out clients from their current bed assignments or update Check-Out Dates for past bed assignments. To perform a Check-Out for a bed stay, enter in the appropriate Check-Out date and hit "Save".

The form also allows users to select the **Edit Check In** to view more detailed bed stay information, which also allows for entry of a Check-Out date or you can delete a bed stay using the **Delete Check In** option. When using the Delete option the system will remove the client from the current bed and set the bed back to an open and available state; however the bed itself will remain unchanged.

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.0	Watson, Paul	1/27/2015	3	Room 1 #1	Bed 3 #3

Please note that by selecting a bed stay, if the client is not currently checked out, the system will default the Check-Out date to today. If you plan to Check-Out a client using this form please ensure that the date entered is for when the client stopped residing in the specified bed.

While the Housing tab provides options in which to view current and past bed stays, there is also an area within the Client tab that allow users to view client's bed stay information. To view a specific client's facility stay information, click on the Project Enrollments option and then select the <u>Check In History</u>

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The **Check in History** option provides a listing of a client's function listed underneath. This option will list each of your client's bed stay records form both a current and historical standpoint.

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Referrals 🧲	Check In History					

Each bed stay record allow users to **Edit Check-In** and **Delete Check-In**, which works the same as in the Housing tab, Housing Residents options described earlier.

As with the Check-In process, the Check-Out process can be accomplished in two ways, the first way, which was explained above, is to manually go to a client's bed stay record either within Check In History option or within Housing Residents options and enter in a Check-Out date. The second way, which is easiest and recommended way, is to perform Check-Out functions at the end of the program exit process.

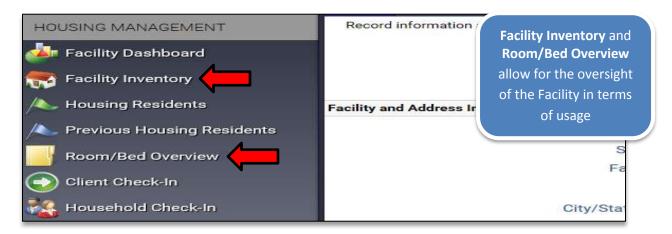
When performing a program exit, once the initial exit data elements are collected the system determines whether or not this exiting client is still checked into a facility bed. If the system identifies that the client is still checked into a facility bed then the exit process will prompt the user to enter in a check-out date and Check-Out the client form their current bed. Since no client can remain in a bed after they have exited a residential program the system will require the client be checked out before the process is considered complete.

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v the following information and enter the Check-Out date for the selected client. Facility: Check-ini Date: Check-out Date: Room: Bed: Chore:	5/18/2015 Room 1 #1	any client still checked into a bed will be required to be checked out prior to completing the process
and Enrollment Selection - Select the client you wish to check into this Facility, along with the a	appropriate project enrollment. Please note that only currently	enrolled clients can check-in t
Client-	Woodruff, Woody	
Birth Date:	9/25/1994	
Gender		
Project Enrollment.*	MMIS Service - Transitional Housing Program 05/18/2015 -	05/20/2015 👽

With the Check-Out function within the program exit process being fully automated we recommend performing this action through the exit as much as possible. Users will not have to worry about manually checking clients out of beds prior to performing an exit and the system will ensure their data quality remains intact.

Room and Bed Review Functions-

There are two Room and Bed overview functions that provide users with an overall look at their facility in terms of both setup and usage. The <u>Room/Bed Overview</u> function displays information in grid format, while the <u>Facility Inventory</u> function displays information in a graphical interface.



The <u>Room/Bed Overview</u> option provides all information in a read-only style format and only shows currently active and available for use Rooms and Beds. This option when initially selected displays all of the active Rooms within the Facility, along with the number of active or available Beds and the number of currently occupied Beds within each Room.

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	()	Details	0	Room 4	Households with at least one adult and one child	False	False	False		
vC	View/	Edit Beds	0	Room 5	Households with at least one adult and one child	False	False	False		

Each Room record has two options, **Room Details** which shows an expanded Room profile that includes setup information, the **View/Edit Beds** option shows the individual Beds associated to the Room. These options are accessible within the action menu of each Room.

The View/Edit Beds option displays each Bed within the selected Room, along with its description, capacity and whether it is currently vacant or occupied. Each Bed has a **Bed Usage History** option available that allows for the review of the entire client occupancy history of that Bed.

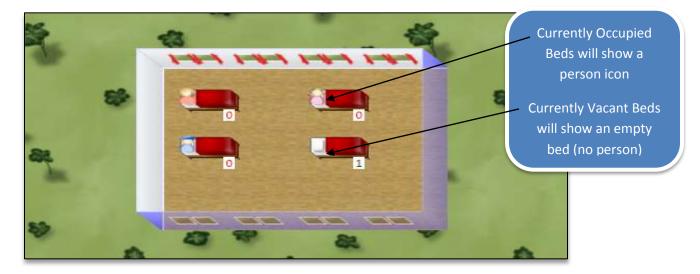
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2	2 - Room 2	Occupied	1	Bed 1	Single	Single	1		
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2	2 - Room 2	Occupied	3	Bottom Bunk 3		Bottom Bunk	1		
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The <u>Facility Inventory</u> provides the same Room and Bed information within an interactive graphical interface, with a main difference being, this function also allows usage functions to be performed. The initial view provides a listing of all available Rooms at the Facility, selecting the <u>Room Icon or Room</u> <u>Name</u> will load the room in a visual floor layout which provides its Beds and its <u>current</u> occupancy.

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North 11	4 of 5 Bed(s) Available Check In
Soom 2 2	1 of 5 Bed(s) Available Check In
Section 15	2 of 2 Bed(s) Available Check In

The Room listing screen also displays information about the total number of Beds and the total number of Beds still available for usage.

When selecting a Room, the system will display a floor plan, which includes all active Beds, along with their current status. Vacant Beds will show an empty Bed, while occupied Beds will show a person within the Bed itself.



Hovering over each Bed will show it basic information, hovering over an occupied person will show information about the current client that is placed in that Bed.

The right side of the Facility Inventory Room screen will show information about the current residents, and the status of the current beds. Selecting Residents will show the location in the Room and load their current family information. The functionality exist within the bed section, with beds highlighted in Red being occupied, those in Black are vacant.



The Facility Inventory Room view also provides some interactive functionality and allows for actions to be performed on empty beds (New Check In) and on occupied persons (Edit Check In/Delete Check In). These functions are the same as described earlier in the non-graphical Housing Residents screens and allows users to choose which type of interface best fit their Inventory Usage needs.

Voucher-Based Inventory:

Voucher-Based Inventory type allows for the entering and tracking of Rooms and Beds for programs that do not have a predefined set of Inventory and includes a number of housing voucher types, like Leasing/Rental Assistance, Section 8 (Housing Choice), VASH and Hotel/Motel. One of the main differences between the Facility-Based model and the Voucher-Based model is that the system builds your inventory as you use it in the system based on your household makeup. This will require programs to use our Check-In/Check-Out functions to take full advantage of this new inventory type and be able to report accurate information.

Within the Housing tab, all of the Voucher usage functionality exists within the Voucher Management folder, which will be detailed below.

Voucher Management:

The functions within this folder allow users to create new check-ins, and review active and closed vouchers to oversee the status of the entire Facility. As mentioned previously, while the general usage

functions for Check-In and Check-Out remain the same as Housing Facilities, the Voucher processes relate more to creation of Beds than to the using of predefined ones.

Check-In Functions-

There is a single function for which to place enrolled clients into a Voucher, called <u>Voucher Check-In</u>, which allows for the selection of existing vouchers or the creation of new voucher during the process.

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Facility Dashboard Active Voucher Review Closed Voucher Review Voucher Check-In Facility Incidents	Facility and Address Informatic	Voucher Check-In allows for the placement of enrolled clients into Vouchers, which can be predefined or created on-the-fly when needed

The <u>Voucher Check-In</u> function allows for the placement of a single client or multiple household clients into a voucher and this same function will be used in all situations and for all voucher types. With the voucher check-in you only need to start with the single client or a client that exists in the household you are looking to check-in.

Find a Client in the Household - select a Household Client usir enrollment in the next section.		Client Search – search for a
Client:*		member of the household
Gender	- SELECT -	
Birthdate:		Project Enrollment – select
Age:	0	the enrollment relevant to
Household:		this facility
Project Enrollment - select the project enrollment to associate household members		date the client(s) entered
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Housing Voucher:*	- SELECT -	

Please note that when searching for a client, enter into the field with the following format (Last Name, First Name), or you can directly click on the magnifying glass on the client field to open up a search window.

Once the client is selected the system will display all program enrollments associated to the client that are relevant at this facility. Each facility is tied directly to a program and only clients enrolled into the associated program can be checked into the facility; only enrolled clients can be checked into facilities.

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Birthdate:	9/25/1994
Age:	20
Household:	Woodruff, Woody Household
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Once the enrollment is selected, the system will populate the Housing Member Check-In area with all of the household members that are also enrolled into that program. This will allow the user to check all of the enrolled household members into the facility at the same time.

The Housing Voucher element allows for the selection of the Voucher in which to place or Check-In the selected clients. The system will list any predefined vouchers available and will also allow users to create a new voucher for this client(s) using the "**Create New Housing Voucher**" option.

		Select a predefined
Checked in from:*	05/20/2015 a	voucher or create a
Housing Voucher:*	SELECT	new voucher
-	#1000 New (Open) Voucher (0 current occupants)	
	Create New Housing Voucher	

In many cases, especially with Hotel/Motel Vouchers users will be creating a new voucher for use with the select client(s). To create a new voucher, select that option from the list and a new window will appear that allows for new voucher information to be recorded. Enter in the **Voucher Number**, **Voucher Description**, **Expected Capacity** and **Household Type**, along with any additional optional information preferred, and hit "Save" at the bottom of the window.

Voucher Number: * Voucher Description: * Expected Capacity: * Monthly Amount:	1012 Woodruff Family Vouche	Each voucher requires the #, Description,
ss of the room below.		Expected Capacity
Address: City/State/Zip Code: Fair Market Rent Area:	City , State Zip Code	and Household Type to be recorded
characteristics that apply for the specified room.		
Household Type: " Designated for Chronically Homeless: Designated for Veterans: Designated for Youth: Bedrooms: Features:	Households without children	

The system will create the new voucher for the facility and will close the window and refresh the Housing Voucher list, which will allow for its selection and use with the current client(s).

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Housing Voucher:*	-SELECT - #1000 New (Open) Voucher (0 current occupants) #1012 Woodruff Family Voucher (0 current occupants)	
	Create New Housing Voucher	

Once a voucher is selected from the list, the system will display a voucher information section that contains the Voucher Description, Voucher Address and a Voucher Amount. This will allow for additional configurations or updates to be made the voucher prior to its use.

Checked in from:*	05/20/2015 ☐ ☐
Housing Voucher:*	#1012 Woodruff Family Voucher (0 current occupants) ✓
Is Voucher Full?:	✓ ④
Voucher Desc:	Woodruff Family Voucher
Address:	West Haven Apts. # 102
City/State/Zip Code:	Carlisle, PA 17013
Monthly Voucher Amount:	\$875.00

While newly added vouchers will most likely have this information added during creation, this provides an opportunity to customize a predefined voucher that was originally created with generic or default information. When using a Voucher, it default to a full status, indicated with the checked "Is Voucher Full" option. This signifies that the voucher is closed to additional persons, to keep this voucher open for the additional of extra clients uncheck this option.

Once a voucher is selected and supplemental information is completed as desired, the selected client and client's household members will be listed and selected to be assigned or checked into the voucher at the bottom of the screen. To complete the process hit "Check In" on the bottom of the form.

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Please note that with housing vouchers, unlike housing facilities, no Beds need to be selected or assigned as the system will automatically build a Bed for each client assigned to the Voucher. The client's ID will be the Bed Id and the client's name will be the Bed Description. This process allows the actual usage of the voucher to determine the actual Bed inventory and provides an accurate record of the Rooms (Vouchers) and Beds (Persons) served by the facility and the program.

The Check-In process can be accomplished in two ways, the first way, which was explained above, is once a client(s) is enrolled into a program, you can use the Voucher Check-In function within the Voucher Management folder of the Housing tab to place them into your inventory. The second way, which is the easiest and recommended way, is to perform the Check-In function at the end of the program enrollment process.

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Voucher Review Functions-

Once clients have been checked into your Facility, we have two options to allow for the review of active and closed vouchers, called <u>Active Voucher Review</u> and <u>Closed Voucher Review</u>.



These options work in an identical fashion, with the only difference being which vouchers are displayed. These functions provided an easy-to-use tool to quickly view all of your Active and Closed vouchers.

Please note that a Closed Voucher refers to a voucher that has been used or occupied and all associated persons have been checked out or exited from voucher. Once a voucher has been used it is set to closed, it cannot be used again.

The Active Voucher function shows each voucher grouped by those that are available or open (not used) and those that are currently being occupied. Each voucher has a function set, based on whether it is available or occupied, located within its action menu.

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All Vouchers has a **Voucher Details** option, which displays a voucher profile screen and can contain additional information that what is displayed in this function. Occupied Vouchers will also have a **Voucher Occupancy** option which will display a listing of all clients associated to the voucher and a **Voucher 'Is Full' Toggle** which allows users to switch the "Full" status on and off based on need.

The Voucher Occupancy when selected shows each client assigned to the Voucher and provides users with the ability to **Edit Voucher Bed** or **Delete Voucher Bed** if desired within its action menu.

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The **Edit Voucher Bed** allows the user to view more detailed information about the voucher association or voucher bed, which does allow for the entry of a Check-Out date to end the assignment. The **Delete Voucher Bed** will not only remove the client from the voucher itself, it will completely delete the voucher bed created during the assignment process.

While the Housing tab provides options in which to view Active and Closed Vouchers for the facility, there is also an area within the Client tab that allows users to view client's voucher information. To view a specific client's facility stay information, click on the Project Enrollments option and then select the <u>Check In History</u> function listed underneath. This option will list each of your client's check in records form both a current and historical standpoint.

ASE MANAGEMENT	The list below shows the client's bed check in history.					
Client Dashboard	Facility A	Room 🔺	Bed 🔺	Check-in Date 🔻	Check-out Date 🔺	Organization
	HMIS Service - Trans. Housing Rental Assistance	Woodruff Family Voucher	Woodruff, Woody	06/20/2015	06/30/2015	HMIS Service Agency
Edit Client Profile Household Members DV Assessments	Assessments				optic	neck in History on provides a g of a client's
Project Enrollments	Enrolled Services				entire F	acility Check-Iı History

Each Voucher record allow users to **Edit Voucher Check-In** and **Delete Voucher Check-In**, which works the same as in the Housing tab, Active/Closed Voucher, Voucher Occupancy option described earlier.

As with the Check-In process, the Check-Out process can be accomplished in two ways, the first way, which was explained above, is to manually go to a client's voucher record either within Check In History option or within the Active Voucher, Voucher Occupancy option and enter in a Check-Out date. The second way, which is the easiest and recommended way, is to perform Check-Out functions at the end of the program exit process.

When performing a program exit, once the initial exit data elements are collected the system determines whether or not this exiting client is still checked into a voucher bed. If the system identifies that the client is still checked into a voucher bed then the exit process will prompt the user to enter in a check-out date and Check-Out the client from their voucher. Since no client can remain in a voucher after they have exited a residential program the system will require the client be checked out before the process is considered complete.

Please note that since vouchers are created for one time usage, once a client is checked out of a voucher bed that inventory item will be closed out along with the voucher stay. Once all of the persons associated with the voucher have been checked out, the system will automatically close out the entire voucher. Users only need to worry about each voucher person's check-out dates, the system will handle the rest.

	Woodruff Family Voucher #1012 Woodruff, Woody #85658	During a Program Exit, any client still checked into a voucher will be required to be checked out prior to completing the process
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Birth Date:	9/25/1994	
Gender:		
Project Enrollment.*	HMIS Service - Rental Assistance Housing (TH) 05/18/2013 - 🥙	
nent Voucher Address - optional address information linked to the Apartment Voucher for whi	ch this client is associated	
Voucher Dest:	Woodruff Family Voucher	

With the Check-Out function within the program exit process being fully automated we recommend performing this action through the exit as much as possible. Users will not have to worry about manually checking clients out of vouchers or manually closing out vouchers prior to performing an exit and the system will ensure their data quality remains intact.