

Texas Homeless

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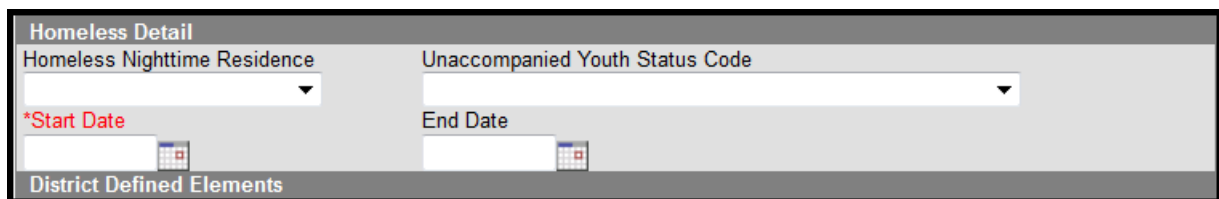
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The Homeless tab records basic homeless information as well as district-defined fields. The list of homeless records is sorted by Start Date.

Texas has defined unique Homeless Nighttime Residence Statuses and Unaccompanied Youth Status Codes. Further information on these fields is described below. For information on all other fields, please see the [Homeless](#) article.

Homeless Detail Fields



The screenshot shows a form titled "Homeless Detail". It contains two main sections: "Homeless Nighttime Residence" and "Unaccompanied Youth Status Code". The "Homeless Nighttime Residence" section has a dropdown menu and a date field labeled "*Start Date" with a calendar icon. The "Unaccompanied Youth Status Code" section has a dropdown menu and a date field labeled "End Date" with a calendar icon. At the bottom of the form, there is a section labeled "District Defined Elements".

Homeless Detail Editor

Homeless Nighttime Residence

In Texas, a homeless student is defined as a student who lacks a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence; and 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 adequate accommodations; are living in emergency or transitional shelters; or 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
- migratory children who qualify as homeless

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Unaccompanied Youth Status Code

Unaccompanied youth indicates a youth not in the physical custody of a parent or guardian. If a student is an unaccompanied youth, the district must indicate whether or not the student received

direct services under the McKinney-Vento Homeless Education Program. This program is also known as the TEXSHEP program.

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