



COLORADO
Department of Education

McKinney-Vento- November 2022

Important Reminder: Required Report due Tomorrow

Please check your inbox and spam folder for your district's individualized link and instructions to complete the 2021-22 **U.S. Department of Education Survey**. Surveys must be completed by all districts by tomorrow, **November 10th**. Even if your district did not identify students experiencing homelessness during the 2021-22 school year, the survey must be completed and submitted per federal requirements. If you did not receive your link, please reach out to Susanna Spear, spear_s@cde.state.co.us.

November is Homeless Youth Awareness Month

November is National Homeless Youth Awareness Month, a public awareness opportunity to "shine a light" on the experiences of homeless youth that too often remain invisible. To learn more about the activities related to homeless youth awareness month happening across the state, the following [toolkit](#) outlines ways to get involved!

Register for November 10th Peer-to-Peer Discussion

The Highly Mobile Youth Professionals: Peer to Peer Conversation webinar will take place tomorrow, November 10th from 3:30-4:30pm. [Please register](#) to participate in learning and discussion with our presenters from the Colorado Rural Collaborative, the Division of Housing and Centennial BOCES on the topic of housing.

The Highly Mobile Youth Professionals: Peer to Peer Conversation webinars will continue to be held the second Thursday of the month from 3:30 -4:30pm through January. Starting in February will move them to earlier in the day in order to accommodate more participation.

Upcoming NCHE Webinars

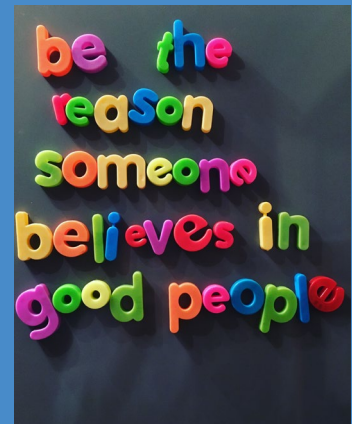
If your schedule allows, please consider attending a no-cost webinar on the basics of McKinney-Vento offered through the National Center for Homeless Education. NCHE repeats these webinars on a monthly basis. Please see the full list on their website: <https://nche.ed.gov/group-training/>

UNDERSTANDING DOUBLED UP

Wednesday, November 30, 2022 | 2:00PM-2:45PM ET

Register: https://uncg.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_SUIQyMcuRDS15Sw67CtYRg

In this 45-minute NCHE webinar, presenters explore the issue of doubling-up. Doubled-up is the informal wording used to describe a concept included in the McKinney-Vento Act's definition of homeless. It refers to shared living arrangements, some of which may be considered homeless, while others may not be, depending on various factors. In this session, attendees will explore some of these factors in greater detail. Attendees also will have the opportunity to interact with presenters and fellow attendees through polls and Q&A/discussion periods.



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MCKINNEY-VENTO SCHOOL SELECTION RIGHTS

Thursday, December 8, 2022 | 2:00PM-3:00PM ET

Register: https://uncg.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_QtAISo2PS9S9Hig6rxKyOw

Description: In this interactive NCHE webinar, presenters will review important changes related to school selection for homeless children and youth under the McKinney-Vento Act, as amended by the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA).

SUPPORTING THE EDUCATION OF UNACCOMPANIED STUDENTS EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS

Tuesday, December 20, 2022 | 2:00PM-3:00PM ET

Register: https://uncg.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_Je61VhgoSFa99q7vjCDdNA

Description: In this interactive webinar, presenters will review key concepts related to the education of unaccompanied youth experiencing homelessness included in the McKinney-Vento Act.