

Coordinated Point of Entry

ANNUAL FUNDRAISING GOAL

\$100,000 annually

OVERVIEW

In 2014 The Coordinated Entry System (CES) was adopted. The CES is a shared and standardized method for connecting people experiencing homelessness to the resources available in our community. MAP (Multi-Agency Access Program) Point was launched in 2015 and is an integrated intake process that connects individuals facing housing, substance abuse, physical health and/or mental health challenges to supportive services. MAP Point at the POV was the first physical intake location for the community homeless population. If a family or individual needs other immediate services, they are referred to the appropriate agency partner. In 2017, MAP Point is expanding to 4 additional permanent locations throughout Fresno County as well as a mobile location, utilizing the Poverello House Food Truck, which will be out 3 times a week in rural areas of the county.

SERVICES

- Assessing clients for eligibility in existing programs and services
- Ensuring clients are assessed and entered into HMIS for better coordination among service providers
- Assistance with immediate/emergency needs for clients and their dependents
- Assigning clients a navigator who stays with them through the entire process until the client is housed
- Working with clients to get them "document ready" to receive housing services



Ending the cycle of homelessness

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