

After Hours Plan Northeast Coalition

This local plan is for connection of individuals and families experiencing homelessness to Emergency Shelter and the Coordinated Entry System after business hours of 5pm to 8am. We would like to ensure individuals and families in our communities have reasonable access to shelter 24 hours a day.

- If someone needs shelter after hours, they are referred to the shelter appropriate for their demographic.
 - Emergency Shelters with 24 hour shelter intake include:
 - Safe Haven, Shawano WI
 - Maehnowsekiyah Domestic Violence Shelter, Menominee, WI
 - Eagles Nest, Menominee, WI
 - Rainbow House Domestic Violence Shelter, Marinette, WI
 - SAM25 Homeless Shelter (November-April), Shawano, WI
 - Staff will discuss natural supports for housing to divert from shelter.
 - If Diversion is not possible and bed is available, an intake is completed and they are sheltered.
 - The individual or family will be connected to the Coordinated Entry System the next business day by a referral to Newcap or Forward Service for CE Intake.
- If someone doesn't meet shelter criteria, the individual/family is referred to agencies with motel voucher funding until funding is depleted, which maybe the local police department.
- In Shawano County, if someone doesn't meet shelter criteria, between the months of November and April, they will be referred to SAM25 for shelter. May to October Salvation Army vouchers will be used to shelter homeless clients up to 3 nights, by law enforcement.
 - An informational sheet will be provided to the individual/family to connect them to the Coordinated Entry System the next business day. The informational sheet includes contact information for the agencies that are able to make a referral to the Coordinated Entry System.
- If the individual or family refuses shelter options, they are given an informational sheet to connect them to the Coordinated Entry System the next business day.
- This After Hours plan will be reviewed and approved annually by the Northeast Coalition.
- This After Hours plan will be communicated and shared to the entire coalition through email and at Northeast's quarterly meetings. Information will be emailed and faxed to local police departments.