### Housing and shelter

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| To provide access to safe nights | Victim’s need for safe housing is achieved. | Number of safe nights of housing provided  
**Target will be different for emergency and long-term transitional housing programs**  
- Number of unique NEW victims (primary and secondary) provided with housing services during the reporting period  
- Number of unique CONTINUING victims (primary and secondary) provided with housing services during the reporting period  
- What is the aggregate number of nights of safe housing provided during the reporting period?  
  (Total nights of safe housing for victim 1 + total nights of safe housing for victim 2...)  
- What is the average number of safe nights of housing provided to each victim served during the reporting period?  
  (Aggregate number of safe nights of housing – from above – divided by unique number of victims served in reporting quarter) | Demonstration that grantee has a system that tracks the number of nights of housing provided to each victim. May include paper tracking (ex: Excel spreadsheets with both data points) or electronic tracking (ex: database with both data points) |
| To ensure the stability of survivor’s future housing | Survivor achieves long-term stable housing | Completion of exit interview to determine type of housing in which the victim landed. Categories for measurement include: safe and permanent, safe and temporary, tenuous, shelter  
**Of the number of victims who left housing during the reporting period, what number left housing for:**  
- Safe and permanent housing  
- Safe, but temporary housing  
- Tenuous housing  
- Shelter | Demonstration of completion of exit interview which includes the type of housing in which the victim landed. May be kept electronically or on paper. |
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<td>To ensure the stability of survivor’s future housing</td>
<td>Survivor achieves long-term stable housing</td>
<td>Determination of whether the victim returned to the housing program and/or experienced a new incident of violence within the year</td>
<td>Demonstration that the grantee program is able to track whether the victim returned to the housing program within the year.</td>
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Of the number of new victims received into the housing program during the reporting quarter:
- Number that had sought services from your agency during this fiscal year
- Number that had sought services from another housing agency in this fiscal year