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Dear (fill in name):

Why am I getting this notice?

This message is to notify you that the Minnesota Department of Human Services (DHS) is ending the Housing Stabilization Services (HSS) benefit under the Medical Assistance program. DHS has identified you as someone approved to receive this service. The benefit will not be available to anyone enrolled in Medical Assistance **after October 31, 2025**. Eligible HSS providers can continue to deliver services to enrolled individuals through Oct. 31, including helping you connect with other assistance. You can also [find resources](https://mn.gov/dhs/housing-resources/) on our webpage at mn.gov/dhs/housing-resources/.

Why is this happening?

In recent months, DHS has stopped payments to many Housing Stabilization Services providers suspected of fraud. DHS no longer has the federal approval to administer the housing stabilization service (Laws 2017, 1st spec. sess., chap. 6, art. 2, sec. 10). DHS is taking the required actions to end the program.

What can I do now?

You have the right to file an appeal, but because the HSS benefit is being terminated, a fair hearing will not be granted, and HSS services will not be available during the appeal request period.

If you are not receiving this service now, and didn't intend on receiving it, we want to know. Please call our fraud hotline at 651-431-2650 or 800-657-3750 or send an email to OIG.Investigations.DHS@state.mn.us.

DHS plans to work with many partners to redesign and relaunch a program to support people at risk of homelessness at some point in the future, with improved program integrity tools built into the program up front.

If you have a waiver or targeted case manager, they can help you find services that you may qualify for. You can also find information about resources at The Disability Hub (<https://disabilityhubmn.org>) and Housing Benefits 101 (<https://mn.hb101.org>). Also, you can call these resources at 866-333-2466.

If you have questions about the program ending, you can send an email to dhshousingstabilization@state.mn.us. Due to the volume of questions, staff may not be able to provide an immediate response.

Thank you,

DHS Housing Stabilization Services Team