

HMIS Release Notes – COVID Changes

What is the change?

In support of the COVID-19 response, we are adding fields in HMIS to capture data related to COVID-19 symptoms and testing, housing/location placement (isolation, quarantine) as well as importing the current hotel data currently captured on Smartsheets. Users will be able to add COVID-19 symptom and testing data for all clients in any open program enrollment in HMIS (ES, PSH, etc.). If a client is not currently in HMIS, a new COVID-19 enrollment can be added (e.g., hotel stayers with no HMIS enrollments).

These changes will help manage your clients' COVID-related needs, and will also provide valuable insight on an aggregate level to understand the impact COVID has on our homeless community and help us understand the effectiveness of our response.

In order to streamline and simplify how users enter and view client data related to CT's COVID-19 response, a new 'COVID-19' menu option will display on the left hand navigation. This option will allow users to do two things:

- Enter or view client COVID housing/location data, including everyone currently in hotels
- Enter or view client COVID medical-related data, such as tracking symptoms, the date when symptoms started, testing dates and results, track if the client died from COVID for any client in an open enrollment in any program

A few highlights:

- The Client Dashboard will show any COVID-19 test results and highlight in red anyone who has tested positive or yellow for pending test results.
- A new 'COVID-19' left navigation option will enable users to quickly view and update the housing/location list, any medical information, and the current housing location.

Which users are impacted?

All projects and associated users that manage clients will be able to enter and track COVID data.

How does this help?

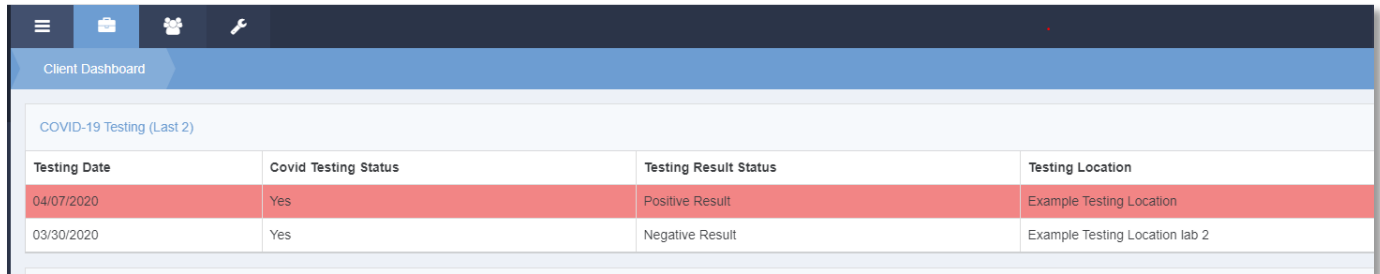
The goal is to provide a simplified, streamlined user interface that will allow users to quickly and easily add COVID-related data to HMIS. This information will enable each provider to track who has symptoms and needs to be, or who is currently, isolated; who is in quarantine due to exposure; to change a client's location if they need to be moved; and easily identify those who have tested positive (or negative) or who are awaiting test results. As each CAN works with the local health districts to obtain testing and follow-up treatment data, in addition to the anticipated increase in testing to become available, it is critical that this information is tracked and easily accessible.

When will I see this change in HMIS?

This change will be available on Tuesday, May 12, 2020

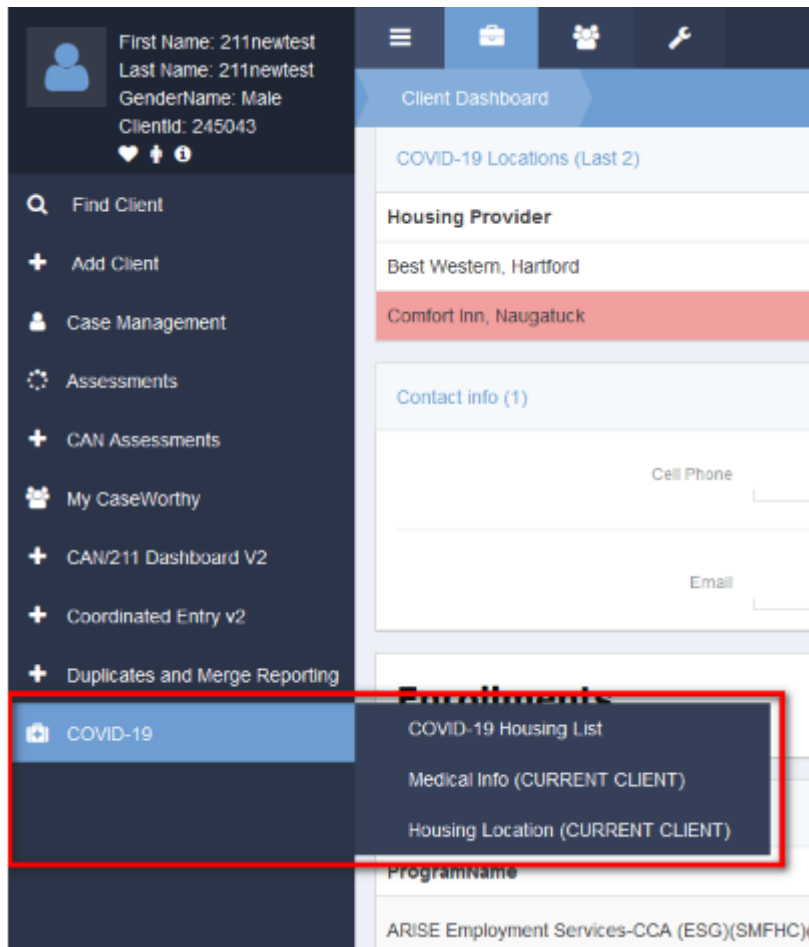
Client Dashboard – Testing Results Alerts

The Client dashboard will display



Testing Date	Covid Testing Status	Testing Result Status	Testing Location
04/07/2020	Yes	Positive Result	Example Testing Location
03/30/2020	Yes	Negative Result	Example Testing Location lab 2

Accessing COVID-19 Program



Client Dashboard

COVID-19 Locations (Last 2)

Housing Provider

- Best Western, Hartford
- Comfort Inn, Naugatuck

Contact info (1)

Cell Phone

Email

COVID-19

- COVID-19 Housing List
- Medical Info (CURRENT CLIENT)
- Housing Location (CURRENT CLIENT)

ProgramName

ARISE Employment Services-CCA (ESG)(SMFHC)(

Search/Filter Client List

Filters

Open Enrollments for this organization only

First Name

Last Name

ClientID

Testing Result Status

Latest Housing Location

Program

COVID-19 Dashboard – View/Add/Edit Key Information

Total Rows: 82 Search

ClientID	First Name	Last Name	Program Enrollments	Enrollment Start	Housing Location	Isolate/Quarantine	Testing Result Date	Latest Testing Status	COVID PROGRAM Edit / Exit Enrollment	Client Info	Covid-19 Info	Housing	Case Notes
245043	211newtest	211newtest	Covid Temporary Housing	4/16/2020		No Action Needed	4/1/2020	Negative Result	COVID PROGRAM Edit / Exit Enrollment	Client Info	Covid-19 Info	Housing	Case Notes
240611	211test	211test	Test Setup - YHDP - PSH	2/8/2020			5/1/2020	Positive Result		Client Info	Covid-19 Info	Housing	Case Notes
242126	211TestWF	211TestWF	6.2 - Emergency Shelter	4/21/2020				Not Tested		Client Info	Covid-19 Info	Housing	Case Notes

Simplified Workflow to Add Clients to COVID-19 Program

Add Client (Quick)

Identifying

Last Name

First Name

Birth Date Full DOB reported

Age

SSN Client doesn't know

Veteran Status

Gender

Race Choose Options...

Ethnicity Client Doesn't Know

Check For Duplicates

Contact Information

Cell Phone Primary

Home Phone Secondary

Email Address

Confirm Email Address

Simplified Workflow to Add Client Medical Detail

Covid Symptoms
Add TEST Edit Test(s)

Filters

Presenting Symptoms (Click to HIDE)

Any COVID-19 Symptoms?

If Client is Deceased

Client Died of COVID-19

VIEW/UPDATE existing tests below.

Service Needs

Total Rows: 0

Testing Date	COVID Testing Status	Testing Result Status	Testing Result Date	Testing Location	ID

Search/Filter Housing Location

COVID Location - Summary
Add New Housing

	Housing Provider	Individual or Family	Room Type	Room Number	Medical Housing Status	Date Entered *	Update / Exit	ID
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