

Data Element Number: **129150**

Data Element Name: **Homelessness Cause**

Code students who are or were homeless using the following causes of homelessness codes for the student and/or the student's family or guardian.

Code	Definition/Example
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Homelessness

D Man-made Disaster (Major)

E Earthquake

F Flooding

H Hurricane

M Mortgage Foreclosure- homeless family loses own home due to foreclosure

N Other homelessness causes (includes lack of affordable housing, long-term poverty, unemployment or underemployment, lack of affordable health care, mental illness, domestic violence, forced eviction, etc.)

P Pandemic (Major)

S Tropical Storm

T Tornado

U Unknown

W Wildfire

Non-Homelessness

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Z No, student is not homeless and has not been homeless this school year.

Data Element Detailed Information

Length:	1	Use Types:	
Data Type:	Alphabetic	State Reporting:	Yes
Year Implemented:	0910	Local Accountability:	Yes
State Standard:	No	FASTER:	No
Required Grades:	PK-12	Migrant Tracking:	No

Applicable Format And Edit

Formats Required:

Federal/State Indicator Status

Edits Required:

25, 26

Programs Required: Homeless

Surveys Required:

Survey 2	Yes
Survey 3	Yes
Survey 5	Yes

Appendices: None

Description of Changes:

7/1/2020	Added new code P; Revised definition for code N.
7/1/2019	Removed word "Natural Disaster" from Codes E, F, H, N, S, T & W; and deleted code O ("Other" which is included under code N).
7/1/2015	Survey 7 Removed from Required Surveys