### **Destinations to Family or Friends**

#### A thorough exit interview was completed. Destination is not intended to be a permanent housing situation Client moving into stable OR housing with permission and Client states that it's a temporary intent to stay indefinitely OR OR Client leaving for Job Corps, Family/friend has given the client a time college, or military training limit by which the client(s) need to leave Destination will lead to a permanent destination that is already secured. No **Temporary** Permanent

#### The stability or permanence of the destination is unclear.

# Case manager knows at least two of the following to be true:

- Family/friend has not been given a time limit by which the client(s) need to leave
- Client's first time homeless
- Client is leaving project of their own accord
- Destination has enough space for the household
- Client will have their own bed

# Case manager knows at least two of the following to be true:

- Client has a history of moving in and out of family/friend housing
- Destination was chosen as an alternative to being unsheltered
- Client was forced out of the project
- Destination lacks stability, such as overcrowding
- Client does not have their own bed at destination
- Client is not on the lease at destination
- Exit interview was not thorough enough to determine

Permanent

Temporary

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This guide is meant to aid case managers in more accurately and consistently answering the Destination for clients exiting to friends or family across the Balance of State CoC. While many situations will be obviously Permanent or obviously Temporary, some destinations to family or friends are less clear. The Decision Tree on the next page is divided so that at the top, case managers can use information from the Exit Interview to determine how to record the Destination. The bottom half is only for use in cases where the case manager did not get a clear answer as to the nature of their client's family or friend stay.

A less prescriptive version of the defining characteristics are listed below.

	Permanent	Temporary
Definitely	Clients leaving for Job Corps, college, military training	
	Exit is short term, but will lead to a permanent destination that is already secured	
	Client moving into stable housing with the permission and intent to stay indefinitely	
	,	Family/friend has given a time limit by which the client(s) need to leave
		Client states that it's a temporary destination
		Not intended to be a permanent housing situation
Leans	Client has not been given a specific time limit by which they need to leave	
	Client is leaving project of their own accord.	Chosen as an alternative to being unsheltered.
	Enough space for the household	Lacks stability, such as overcrowding (more than 2 people per room)
	Will have their own bed	May not have their own bed situation
	On the lease	Not on the lease
	Client's first time homeless	Client has a history of moving in and out of family/friend housing