



Housing Requirements for The House of Strength

WHO can live here:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Women ages 18+ and their children must be verified homeless or fleeing a domestic violence (DV) situation.
Income Restrictions:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must have an open Temporary Assistance (TA) through DHS
Funding:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DHS
Subsidy Requirements:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Subsidy
Program Requirements:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Life skill classes • Curfew • Drug testing • Chores • Must agree to Sojourner Home's House of Strength Handbook and client contract • Must sign handbook which refers to the program.

<p>Referral Process</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Each client needs a referral on a professional letterhead stating her need for transitional housing (how the program can benefit the family). It must state why transitional housing is the appropriate level of care. • The referral must also state that the client is verified homeless/and or fleeing from an unsafe situation. • Each client must be drug free for at least 30 days. If the client has been drug free for less than 30 days, they must be in a documented outpatient group or program.
<p>Housing Documentation Requirements (what we fill out/review <u>during</u> an intake session with the client):</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intake form(s) • DHS landlord statement • DHS transitional housing application • Client contract • Resident handbook
<p>Housing Documentation Requirements (what we need the client to <u>bring</u> to the intake session):</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DHS sheet with BA# • Birth certificate(s) • ID • Social security card <p>^ We will need to make copies for the client's file.</p>

Please do not hesitate to call Sojourner Home's The House of Strength with any questions:

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