

ILLINOIS STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Accountability Division
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**McKinney – Vento Homeless Education Grants
Title x, Part C
Liaison Assessment Tool**

Purpose:

The purpose of this tool is to meet federal monitoring requirements for services to homeless children and youth. This tool was developed by the Vermont Department of Education and is modified for use in Illinois. This tool will allow homeless education liaisons in Illinois to assess their training needs in order to provide assistance to all homeless families, children and youth, schools and school districts within the areas of service in Illinois. This evaluation needs to be completed online by November 1, 2007.

Date: _____ Subgrantee and Area: _____

Homeless Education Liaison: _____ Number of years serving as Homeless Liaison: _____

School Year 2006-2007

Number of students identified, enrolled, and reported to the Illinois State Board of Education program: _____

Trainings held for school districts/homeless liaisons/community groups:

I understand the requirement for services to homeless children and youth under the McKinney–Vento Act/NCLB:

- I understand and can apply the definition of homeless to the identification of homeless students.
- I have reviewed the Summary of the McKinney–Vento Act on the Opening Doors website.
- I have received training from the Area Lead LEA liaison on the Liaison Toolkit and the responsibilities of the position.
- I am aware of and use the technical assistance resources available through Opening Doors website, the ISBE Homeless Education website, and the NCHE technical assistance materials.

Additional training or technical assistance is needed in the following areas:

Homeless Education Liaison (please print)

Signature: _____

Date: _____