

**Homeless or Displaced Resident:**

The library may issue a library card to anyone who resides at a temporary place within the library district. This may include but is not limited to the 4C's Shelter, in city motel/hotel or transitional housing. Proof of residence at a facility is required.

Acceptable forms of verification are receipt from hotel/motel indicating advance payment of room nights or a letter from a facility official indicating an individual's duration of stay or an I.D. card from a facility indicating residency. The patron may also present a state issued Homeless ID card or an ID with General Delivery PO to the post office.

If an individual does not have any verification of temporary residence, the individual may use a guest pass to access the computers and can have access to books through our free book shelf, the FOL Bookstore, and/or the Little Free Library.

A displaced patron library card shall be valid for 6 months from the date of issue. If the individual establishes permanent residence before the 6 months expires, the card shall immediately become invalid and the appropriate resident/non-resident card shall be issued. The card may be renewed once, allowing the patron a total of one year of library access with the displaced patron status.

Displaced Resident cards are valid ONLY at Harrisburg Public Library District and are not eligible for reciprocity or Interlibrary Loan.

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