Alabama Department of Mental Health Alabama Community Services Information System (ACSIS) Client Profile (HSCL) Text File Layout

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Document Change Log

Version	Date	Description of change		
7	8/21/2025	Added Reporting Requirements section		
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1	01/14/2010	Initial Layout		

Field Count: 57

Record Size: 357 bytes

Filename should be "HSCLxxx.TXT" where xxx is your assigned Organization ID (ORGID).

File should be fixed length ascii flat file with each line separated by carriage-return and line-feed characters.

Unless otherwise specified, all fields are left justified and padded with spaces.

See the ACSIS Data Element Dictionary for further information about individual fields.

Data submission guidelines and other documents can be found on the ACSIS Project website (https://mh.alabama.gov/alabama-community-services-information-system-acsis/)

Field Name	Start	Width	Formatting/Comments
ORGID	1	3	Leading zeroes
CLIENT	4	6	Leading zeroes

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INCOME	148	11	Right-justify; pad with spaces; include decimal; blank or zero = 0.00
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RESERVED02 SCHOOLTYPE	245 268	23 2	fill with spaces
RESERVED03	270	5 2	fill with spaces
ARRESTS RESERVED04	275 277	20	fill with spaces
FAMSIZE	297	2	
FAMINCOME	299	11	Right-justify; pad with spaces; include decimal; blank or zero = 0.00
LANGUAGE SBMHSYSTEM	310 312	2	Leading zeroes

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SBMHSCHOOL	315	4	Leading zeroes
SBMHSSID	319	10	Leading zeroes
SIGHT	329	1	
DIAG1	330	7	Do not include decimal point
DIAG2	337	7	Do not include decimal point
DIAG3	344	7	Do not include decimal point
SADIAG1	351	7	Do not include decimal point

Reporting Requirements

A client's Case Number (CLIENT) should remain the same throughout their treatment at the CMHC. Any migration to, or implementation of, a new software system, must maintain the client's Case Number for state reporting. If a client ends treatment and later comes back, the CMHC should use the same Case Number as before and not assign a new one.