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Item No.	Consent Items
1	Approve minutes of the April 22, 2015, ICH meeting 9:50 – 9:55 am
Presentation	
2	Illumination Foundation– Presenter: Paul Cho 9:55 – 10:25 am
3	Geographic Information System – Presenter: Solomon Nimako – City of Rancho Cucamonga 10:25 – 10:45 am
Closing 10:45 – 11:00 am	

Public Comment Open to the public for comments limited to three minutes

Council Roundtable Open to comments by the Council

Next ICH Meeting The next Interagency Council on Homelessness meeting will be held on:

June 24, 2015
9:00 am – 10:30 am
Department of Behavioral Health Administration
303 E. Vanderbilt Way, Conference Room 109A and 109B
San Bernardino, CA 92415

Mission Statement

The mission of the San Bernardino County Homeless Partnership is to provide a system of care that is inclusive, well planned, coordinated and evaluated and is accessible to all who are homeless and those at-risk of becoming homeless.

THE INTERAGENCY COUNCIL ON HOMELESSNESS MEETING FACILITY IS ACCESSIBLE TO PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES. IF ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICES OR OTHER AUXILIARY AIDS OR SERVICES ARE NEEDED IN ORDER TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PUBLIC MEETING, REQUESTS SHOULD BE MADE THROUGH THE OFFICE OF HOMELESS SERVICES AT LEAST THREE (3) BUSINESS DAYS PRIOR TO THE PARTNERSHIP MEETING. THE OFFICE OF HOMELESS SERVICES TELEPHONE NUMBER IS (909) 386-8297 AND THE OFFICE IS LOCATED AT 303 E. VANDERBILT WAY, SAN BERNARDINO, CA 92415. <http://www.sbcounty.gov/dbh/sbchp/>



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**Homeless Partnership Network Report
Prepared for the Interagency Council on Homelessness**

Report purpose The purpose of this document is to present the Homeless Partnership Network (HPN) report and to record action items from prior HPN meetings to the Interagency Council on Homelessness (ICH) meetings.

Date Wednesday, May 27, 2015

Presenter Sharon Green

Presentations The table below lists the presentations from Regional HPN's last meeting.

Announcements
<p><i>Updates on Regional HPN Meetings</i></p> <p><i>West Valley Region:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The West Valley Regional meeting last met on Tuesday, May 12, 2015 from 9:00 am – 11:00 am and included presentations from U.S. Vets and Loma Linda VA and included the efforts to end homelessness among Veterans in SB County. Information was also shared regarding the Housing Authority of the County of San Bernardino, No Child Left Unsheltered initiative and a new rental assistance resource from Impact SoCal for households facing a housing crisis in the west valley region with funding being raised through social media and other private donors. <p>The West Valley Regional Chair continues to work with regional participants to identify “Pathways to Housing in the West Valley Region.” A “Pathways to Housing” spreadsheet listing identified “housing access points” by subpopulation is under development.</p> <p><i>Desert/Mountain and Central Valley Region:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The Desert/Mountain Regional meeting was cancelled and Central Valley Regional meeting was rescheduled to Tuesday, May 12, 2015 to give members the opportunity to attend the Nonprofit Stakeholder Session that was held on Wednesday, May 20, 2015 from 8:30 am – 3:30 pm.



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East Valley Region:

The East Valley Region met through the Morongo Basin (MB) Haven with a total of 19 attendees.

Sharon Cisneros shared some information about the recent focus group that was taken place; the greatest need is finding providers, organizations etc. that are willing to run a shelter. The funds are available.

Elizabeth was on a conference call with Ron Griffin, other HPN providers, and Gary Madden from 211. San Bernardino County has four different regions in which they are all in the same system. All regions are not only coming up with what works for their region but what also works for all Regions together. Ron Griffin will be a possible presenter at the July MB Haven meeting to be held on Friday, July 17, 2015.

Wayne Hamilton provided an update on the Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP). Changes have been made to the website for easier access. If anyone encounters any issues with the website please contact Wayne. HEAP will be using Reach Out Yucca Valley's office once a month to meet with clients who have appointments to receive services. The first week the location will be in Yucca Valley at the Lutheran Church, second week they will be in Joshua Tree at the Sportsmans Club and the third week will be in Yucca Valley at the Reach Out Yucca Valley office.

Wayne introduced Kathy from Desert Hills Presbyterian Church; Kathy has been a longtime supporter for the homeless. She will be having an outreach homeless dinner and flyers will be passed out to the group. Kathy asked if her information can be added the Morongo Basin Haven website.

Candy updated the group about the vouchers for showers. Sands Motel will not be able to provide showers, but Desert Sky said they can, as well as keep track of who and when. The vouchers cost \$10.00 a shower, MB Haven will provide toiletries along with the voucher. Elizabeth has hygiene kits available. Please call or come by Pacific Clinics if anyone needs some.

Shelley and Elizabeth would like to re-address the group about the rules for bus passes. The bus passes are strictly for the homeless, please do not hand out bus passes to just anyone. An exception can be made if the person is in need. Elizabeth still has \$5.00 McDonalds gift cards, and Stater Bros gift cards that were donated as a gift, however the donor is unknown. Email Elizabeth if anyone needs some.



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Countywide HPN – Chair Sharon Green

- Our next meeting will be held Wednesday, June 17, 2015 at the County of San Bernardino Health Services building (Auditorium entrance) located at 850 Foothill Blvd. Rialto, CA 92376.



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Date May 27, 2015

Presenter Tom Hernandez, Homeless Services Manager

Announcements The table below lists the announcements for today’s meeting.

Announcements	
Collaboration/Coordination Policy Development	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Continuum of Care (CoC) is increasingly being tied to a number of funding streams, whether state or federal. As such, many homeless and veterans related notices are required as part of the application process to receive CoC support through its governing board, ICH. • In the last year, the CoC through ICH, has been charged with reviewing, approving or supporting applications for funding for various programs such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ State Emergency Solutions Grant applications ○ Supportive Services for Veterans and Families (SSVF) (Priority 1 – Surge funding, and Priority 2 – Renewals) ○ Veterans Housing and Homelessness Prevention (VHHP) Program (threshold requirements included letter of priority from local CoC) ○ Potential for Emergency Food and Shelter Program funding to move under the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) in 2016 President’s Budget • As such, should ICH create a policy detailing the expectations of ICH’s support such as participating in: 1) the Homeless Management Information System(HMIS), 2) a Coordinated Entry System, 3) regular updates/communication to ICH regarding program status, and/or 4) participation in one or more ICH/Homeless Provider Network (HPN) sub-committees. 	



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Continuum of Care (CoC) Registration Notice Update

- On Tuesday, April 28, 2015, the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) released a notice that CoC registration for the Fiscal Year (FY) 2015 process was open. The registration closed on Monday, May 18, 2015.
- The registration notice is intended to provide collaborative applicants with the information necessary to register CoCs in preparation for the FY 2015 CoC Program Competition as well as provide HUD's homeless policies and priorities.
- Highlighted Points of the FY 2015 CoC Registration Notice:
 - CoCs may use the reallocation process as stated in Section II.A.2.j. of this Notice to create:
 - new permanent supportive housing projects that serve chronically homeless individuals and families, including unaccompanied youth;
 - new rapid re-housing projects for homeless individuals and families, including unaccompanied youth, coming directly from the streets or emergency shelter or fleeing domestic violence;
 - new projects for dedicated HMIS;
 - or new Supportive Services Only (SSO) projects for centralized or coordinated assessment systems.
 - HUD will continue the Tier 1 and Tier 2 funding process in the FY 2015 CoC Program Competition to promote a more competitive process between CoCs (no other details were provided).
 - CoCs will also have the opportunity to apply for bonus projects (no other details were provided).
 - Collaborative Applicants may request CoC planning costs up to the full 3 percent or \$1,250,000, whichever is less, of the FY 2015 Final Pro Rata Need (FPRN). For San Bernardino County, this adds up to: \$305,672
 - Transitional Housing: Recent research shows that transitional housing is generally more expensive than other housing models serving similar populations with similar outcomes. HUD also recognizes that transitional housing can be an effective tool for addressing certain needs—such as housing for homeless youth who are unable to sign a lease, safety for persons fleeing domestic violence, and assistance with recovery from addiction. HUD strongly encourages CoCs and recipients to carefully review the transitional housing projects within the CoC's geographic area for cost-effectiveness, performance, and for the number and type of eligibility criteria to determine if rapid re-housing might be a better model for the CoC's geographic area.



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Continuum of Care (CoC) Registration Notice Update, cont.

- CoC Program-funded projects should, to the extent possible, prioritize veterans and their families who are ineligible for Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) services. When it is determined that a veteran, and their family, is ineligible for VA housing and services has the same level of need as a non-veteran as determined using a standardized assessment tool, the veteran should receive priority.
- CoCs will be required to rank all projects submitted by project applicants in e-snaps—except project applications for CoC planning and UFA Costs—including: renewal and new projects created through reallocation, new bonus projects, and new homelessness prevention projects created by designated High Performing Communities HPC(s).
- This year HUD is rolling out the HPC designation, which is required in the HEARTH Act but to date has not been implemented. The Registration Notice spells out what criteria's are required to be designated as an HPC. Criteria's include such things as having a mean length of homelessness of fewer than 20 days, 5% rate of return to homelessness, full expenditure of past grants, and other factors. Communities designated as HPCs are allowed to use CoC funds for prevention activities for people at-risk of homelessness.
- The process for designating HPCs could impact the timing for release of the Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA), because there is a required public comment period. As per the Registration Notice, communities must submit their documentation in support of their request for HPC status by May 18, 2015. HUD will post these materials for public comment with comments due back to HUD by May 27, 2015. At the conclusion of the comment period, HUD will compile all of the timely comments received and email the comments to the Primary and Secondary Contacts designated for the Collaborative Applicant in the CoC Applicant Profile in e-snaps. Therefore, it is extremely important that Collaborative Applicants, and the CoC, ensure this contact information is accurate. The Collaborative Applicant will have 5 days to provide any information to HUD in response to the comments by June 3. HUD will make a final determination by an unspecified date. Although it is not spelled out in the Notice, it is not likely the NOFA can come out until after the HPC designation process is complete, since the HPC status impacts what types of funds applicants can apply for.

Coordinated Entry System (CES) Update

- The Pilot Project is scheduled to be implemented in June 2015. Once the pilot has been completed, a report will be submitted to ICH detailing the successes, limitations and gaps of the proposed CES.
- The CES Planning Committee estimates a completed report to be submitted to ICH in September 2015.



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Homeless Management Information System Update

- The OHS, HMIS section routinely monitors agencies data quality to ensure accuracy and meet HUD standards for data quality maintenance. Attached you will find a copy of the latest HMIS Data Quality Report for the month of April, 2015 (see attached, Report 2A).
- Agency report cards are posted for review on individual agencies participating in HMIS at the following website: <http://www.sbcounty.gov/dbh/sbchp/HMIS.aspx>

CoC Governing Body Membership Recommendations

- The CoC Program interim rule requires CoC Boards to include representatives from relevant organizations and projects serving homeless subpopulations, such as persons with substance use and/or mental health disorders; persons with HIV/AIDS; veterans; people who are chronically homeless; families with children; unaccompanied youth; and victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking.
- The CoC governing board is intended to be a large, representative group. It is generally envisioned as a network or coalition of existing organizations, entities and individuals. Here are some recommended examples of the groups, entities and individuals who should participate in a CoC per HUD recommendation:
 - Community and Faith-Based homeless service providers
 - Governments
 - Businesses
 - Advocates
 - Public Housing Authorities
 - School Districts
 - Social service providers
 - Mental Health agencies
 - Hospitals*
 - Universities*
 - Affordable Housing Developers
 - Law Enforcement
 - Organizations that serve veterans
 - The board must also include at least one individual who is homeless or formerly homeless.



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Victorville Project Connect

- The San Bernardino County Homeless Partnership in conjunction with its collaborative partners will be hosting a Project Connect in Victorville on June 3, 2015, from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm at the St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church, 15512 Sixth Street, Victorville, CA.
- Project Connect outreach events are held periodically throughout San Bernardino County to provide centralized service delivery location where non-profit medical and social service providers can come together to best serve homeless and at-risk for homelessness individuals and families in need of services.
- The event will provide free dental and medical screenings, hygiene products, legal services, employment services, housing support services, child care information services, and more. Additional information regarding County related services and resources will also be provided.

Letters of Interest for CoC Renewals Performance Chart Summary

- The San Bernardino County CoC has required that any agency interested in renewing a project for funding in the 2015 HUD CoC NOFA submit a Letter of Interest (LOI) to the OHS.
- A LOI is required for all projects to be considered for submission in the 2015 CoC application to HUD but is not a guarantee of funding or inclusion in the application submitted by the local CoC.
- Renewal applicants are required to complete a LOI by answering questions related to performance and providing the required documentation in order to be considered for inclusion in the application process (see attached, Report 2B).
- One of the primary responsibilities of the CoC is to review and rank projects that demonstrate decisions based on pre-established selection criteria that were logical and fair. Criteria may include capacity to implement and manage the proposed project, experience working with the target population, cost effectiveness, etc. Communities should emphasize and rank projects based on the project's ability to articulate achievable outcome measures against which the project can be evaluated in future years. This is especially important as projects come up for renewal funding and communities must assess project performance.
- HUD also notes that it is important that renewal projects meet minimum project eligibility, capacity, timeliness, and performance standards identified in the 2015 NOFA or they will be rejected from consideration for funding. When considering renewal projects for award, HUD will review information in the Line of Credit Control System (LOCCS); Annual Performance Reports (APRs); and information provided from the local HUD/Community Planning and Development (CPD) Field Office, including monitoring reports and A-133 audit reports as applicable, as well as performance standards on prior grants.



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Homeless and Policy Related News

- On April 15, 2015, the U.S. Secretary of Labor, Thomas Perez, announced that Matthew Doherty has been named Executive Director of the U.S. Interagency Council on Homelessness (USICH). As the Executive Director of USICH, Mr. Doherty is responsible for the implementation of *Opening Doors: Federal Strategic Plan to Prevent and End Homelessness*, an effort that includes the coordination of Federal homelessness policies and strategies among 19 Federal departments and agencies, as well as partnerships with state and local communities, non-profits, and the private sector. For more information, please review the following website: http://usich.gov/media_center/news/president-obama-proposes-historic-new-investments-to-end-homelessness/president-obama-proposes-historic-new-investments-to-end-homelessness/matthew-doherty-named-executive-director-of-us-interagency-council-on-hom
- On April 1, 2015, the National Alliance to End Homelessness released the 2015 State of Homelessness in America. This report is the fifth in a series of reports that chart progress in ending homelessness in the United States. It uses the most recently available data to present national and state trends in homelessness between 2013 and 2014, trends in populations at risk of homelessness from 2012 to 2013, and trends in the types and utilization of assistance available to people experiencing homelessness. To access the report, please review the following website: <http://endhomelessness.org/library/entry/the-state-of-homelessness-in-america-2015>

Attachments

HMIS Data Quality Report – Report 2A-Attached

LOI Summary Charts for TH and PSH – Report 2B-Attached

Org ID	Organization	Total Enrollments	Total Applicable Records	# of Missing Data Elements	% of Missing	# of Don't Know	# of Refused	% of DK / Refused
CC1	Catholic Charities	0	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%
CCL	Central City Lutheran Mission	64	1157	0	0.00%	6	0	0.00%
CCD	Citadel Community Development	0	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%
CAP	Community Action Partnership	13	158	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%
DMM	Desert Manna Ministries	18	296	2	0.68%	2	0	0.00%
FSA	Family Services Association of Redlands	11	134	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%
FA2	Family Assistance Program	4	58	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%
FAI	Foothill AIDS Project	0	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%
FFS	Foothill Family Shelter	6	74	0	0.00%	3	0	0.00%
FCC	Frazer Community Center	0	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%
GDC	Global One Development Center	0	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%
HDH	High Desert Homeless Services	14	237	7	2.95%	0	0	0.00%
HPG	House of Prayer Gospel Outreach Ministri	2	36	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%
IBH	Inland Behavioral and Health Services	5	58	0	0.00%	3	0	0.00%
LTH	Inland Temporary Homes	0	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%
IHP	Inland Valley Hope Partners	0	0	0	0%	0	0	0.00%
KEY	Knowledge & Education For Your Success	91	1208	20	1.66%	9	13	1.08%
LCD	Life Community Development	5	85	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%
LSS	Lighthouse Social Services	101	1188	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%
PL1	LMWS Pacific Lifeline	0	0	0	0%	0	0	0.00%
MMC	Mary's Mercy Center	8	91	1	1.10%	1	0	0.00%
MH1	Mercy House	51	750	6	0.80%	3	1	0.13%
NHV	New Hope Village, Inc.	0	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%
OG1	Operation Grace	3	42	8	19.05%	0	1	2.38%
HOA	Restoration House of Angels	3	52	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%
SA1	Salvation Army	57	681	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%
DBA	SB DBH Adult & Older System of Care	0	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%
DBH	SB DBH/HA	0	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%
HA1	SB Housing Authority	0	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%
TFC	Time For Change Foundation	48	630	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%
USV	US Veterans Inc	22	304	0	0.00%	1	0	0.00%
VVF	Victor Valley Family Resource Center	1	18	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%
WOL	Water Of Life Community Church	0	0	0	0.00%	0	0	0.00%
	Totals	527	7257	44	0.82%	28	15	0.11%

Renewal Transitional Housing SBC Letter of Intent (LOI) Summary Chart-2014 CoC Competition

	Life Community Development (TH)		Frazer Community Center	The Salvation Army		CCLM	Foothill Family Shelter
	GateKeeper 1	Restore to Hope	Homeless Veterans' Program	San Bernardino Path to Prosperity	Transitional Living Center	St. Martins Too!	Foothill Family Shelter
Did your agency submit a HUD Annual Performance Report (APR) for this project within 90 days of the end of the last program year?	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
TH Only:According to your most recent APR, what was the percentage of homeless persons moving from transitional housing to permanent housing?	87%	87%	50%	82%	91%	73%	87%
According to your most recent APR, what was the percentage of program participants employed who exited from your program?	93%	87%	7%-Our clients are disabled veterans.	80%	26%	8%-the vast majority of program participants possess co-morbidities and severe disability that render them incaable of performing regular duties for employment, hence their primary source on income comes from public entitlements.	61%
According to your most recent APR, what was the percentage of program participants with increased their income from sources other than employment during program participation?	83%	88%	81%	21%-Reflects clients that were students, with school income only. The majority of our clients are employed at exit and many are both working and going to school.	76%	83%	6%-"I do not believe this component was tracked closely. 61% of our clients increase their income from employment.

Renewal Transitional Housing SBC Letter of Intent (LOI) Summary Chart-2014 CoC Competition

	Life Community Development (TH)		Frazeo Community Center	The Salvation Army		CCLM	Foothill Family Shelter
According to your most recent APR, what was the percentage of program participants who obtain or maintain mainstream benefits during program participation?	100%	100%	81%	45%-Clients obtained employment income within 30 days and did not qualify for mainstream services.	92%	100%	58%
How often does your agency draw down funds from LOCCS?	Monthly	Monthly	Did not draw down funds for 9 months.	Monthly	Monthly	Monthly	Monthly
Has your agency drawn down funds within 90 days of the expiration of prior renewal grant terms?	Yes	Yes	No-Frazeo did not draw down funds for 9 months.	Yes	No	No	Yes
Has the project returned any funds in the last 3 years?	No	No	Non-responsive	No	No	No	Yes- \$1 in 2012
Does your agency agree to participate in the CoC's coordinated entry system once it is established?	Yes	Yew	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Does this project provide client level data to HMIS at least annually?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Total number of participants served by the project:	52	28	29	67	109	13	123
Total number of clients reported in the HMIS:	52	28	29	67	109	13	123
Universal Data Element:							
Social Security Number	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Date of Birth	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Ethnicity	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Race	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	8%
Gender	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Veteran Status	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Disabling Condition	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Residence Prior to Program Entry	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%
Zip Code	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

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Name	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Housing Status	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Program Entry Date	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Program Exit Date	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Destination	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	2%
Personal ID	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Household ID	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Relationship to Head of Household	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Client Location Code	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Length of Time on Street, in an Emergency Shelter or Safe Haven	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Did your organization participate in the 2015 sheltered homeless count and submit information in a timely manner?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Did your organization participate in the 2015 sheltered homeless count and submit information in a timely manner?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Please submit your organization's most recent audits for the last two years	N/A-Do not meet threshold requirement for Audit	N/A-Do not meet threshold requirement for Audit	Did not provide	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Please submit your organization's most recent IRS 990 form	Received	Received	Did not provide	Received	Received	Received	Received
Will your agency be able to provide the match requirement for your renewal project?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Will your agency be able to provide the leveraging requirement for your renewal project?	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Has your agency received any HUD monitoring findings concerning your renewal project during the past three years?	No	No	No	No	No	No	No

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Has your agency received any local CoC monitoring findings concerning your renewal project during the past three years?	no	no	Yes - May 19, 2015	No	No	No	No
Are there any unresolved monitoring or audit findings on HUD McKinney-Vento Act grants, excluding ESG	no	no	Yes	No	No	No	No
In the past ten years, has your organization ever had its nonprofit status revoked or withheld by the IRS, the Secretary of State, the State Attorney General, or the Franchise Tax Board?	no	no	No	No	No	No	No
Has your organization been sued in the last five years?	no	no	No	No	No	No	No
Are any of your managers or staff with fiscal responsibilities involved in litigation presently that has any bearing on fiduciary trust or employee relations?	no	no	No	No	No	No	No
Have any unfavorable rulings been handed down by any court against your organization or Executive Director in the last five years?	no	no	No	No	No	No	No
Does your organization currently have any unresolved fiscal, reporting, or program issues with any of its funding sources?	no	no	No	No	No	No	No
Does your organization currently have any unresolved fiscal or reporting issues with the Internal Revenue Service?	No	No	No	No	No	No	No

Renewal Transitional Housing SBC Letter of Intent (LOI) Summary Chart-2014 CoC Competition

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Has your agency had a new program request rejected by HUD during any previous CoC competition?	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Does your renewal program conduct exit surveys or interviews with clients?	yes	yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Does your organization currently have any unresolved fiscal, reporting, or program issues with any of its funding sources?	No	No	Yes-Failed to draw down HUD CoC funds for 9 months.	No	No	No	No
Have any funds been returned to any funders within the last 24 months?	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Does the project accept all families with children under age 18 without regard to the age of any child?	Project does not serve families	Project does not serve families	No-Project does not serve families	No-Project does not serve families	The program is not equipped with the minimum legal requirements to operate a nursery childre of providers that are sutiable for the care of newborns. As such, we do not acept children between 0-3 months into the program.	Yes	Agency has been asked to review the question and provide a response.
Does your program deny services to potential recipients based on any of the following:							
Age	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	No
Color	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Disability	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Familial Status	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Gender	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

Renewal Transitional Housing SBC Letter of Intent (LOI) Summary Chart-2014 CoC Competition

	Life Community Development (TH)		Frazer Community Center	The Salvation Army		CCLM	Foothill Family Shelter
Marital Status	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
National Origin	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Race	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Religion	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Sexual Orientation	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
				Yes-Gender-Serve only men	No		
Does your proposed renewal program use direct program funds to support or engage in any explicitly religious activities, including activities that involve overt religious content, such as worship, religious instruction, or proselytization, or any manner prohibited by law?	No	No	No	No	No	No	No

Renewal Permanent Supportive Housing SBC Letter of Intent (LOI) Summary Chart-2014 CoC Competition Report 2B

	Inland Temporary Homes (RRH)	Global One (PSH)	Central City Lutheran Mission (PSH)	House of Prayer (PSH)		Time For Change Foundation (PSH)	Housing Authority of the County of San Bernardino			New Hope Village,	United States Veterans Initiative
						Project Gateway	New Horizons	Laurelbrook Estates			
Did your agency submit a HUD Annual Performance Report (APR) for this project within 90 days of the end of the last program year?	N/A-Agency has not been in operation for a full year.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
*Has your program implemented a housing first approach?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Has your program agreed to fill vacant beds with only chronically homeless persons?	No-required to fill beds with families. RRH is not an appropriate model for the chronically homeless.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
According to your most recent APR, what was the percentage of homeless persons staying in your permanent supportive housing program or exited to another permanent housing destination?	N/A	100	93%	69%-Two clients died and another client left due to criminal activity.	88%	100%	100%	97%	79%	100%	100%
According to your most recent APR, what was the percentage of program participants who increased their income from employment from entry date to program exit?	N/A	27	15%-An explanation was not provided	0%-Age and chronic nature of most program recipients, they are not able to work to earn money.	100%	92%	15%-Our earned income measure was not met because one program participant no longer had earned income at the end of the operating year.	15%-May not be accurate due to some glitches in the HMIS Software. Once software issues are resolved, we will compare data and may need to amend this APR.	14%-Measure not met because we focus on the hardest to house households.	100%	1%

Renewal Permanent Supportive Housing SBC Letter of Intent (LOI) Summary Chart-2014 CoC Competition Report 2B

	Inland Temporary Homes (RRH)	Global One (PSH)	Central City Lutheran Mission (PSH)	House of Prayer (PSH)		Time For Change Foundation (PSH)	Housing Authority of the County of San Bernardino		New Hope Village,	United States Veterans Initiative	
According to your most recent APR, what was the percentage of program participants who increased their income from sources other than employment during program participation?	N/A	27%-The 2013-2014 APR that we submitted was at the very beginning of our operation and we have since began a new process for new residents. Now, each new resident works immediately with our Case Manager to apply for SNAP, Medi-Cal, and other social assistance. The homeless youth that we house typically come to us with very little education, so we try and focus on helping them finish high school by allowing them to take their GED or obtain their diploma. Because of our immediate focus on residents applying for county benefits, our 2014-2015 APR will reflect a higher percentage.	76%	100%	90%	100%	77%	41%-May not be accurate due to some glitches in the HMIS Software. Once software issues are resolved, we will compare data and may need to amend this APR.	86%	100%	42%

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	Inland Temporary Homes (RRH)	Global One (PSH)	Central City Lutheran Mission (PSH)	House of Prayer (PSH)		Time For Change Foundation (PSH)	Housing Authority of the County of San Bernardino			New Hope Village,	United States Veterans Initiative
Does the project accept all families with children under age 18 without regard to the age of any child?	Yes	N/A-Project does not serve families.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No
Does your program deny services to potential recipients based on any of the following:											
Age	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Color	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Disability	No	No	No	Per grant agreement with HUD, only serve persons with a disability.	Per grant agreement with HUD, only serve persons with a disability.	No	No	No	No	No	No
Familial Status	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Gender	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Marital Status	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
National Origin	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Race	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Religion	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Sexual Orientation	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Does your proposed renewal program use direct program funds to support or engage in any explicitly religious activities, including activities that involve overt religious content, such as worship, religious instruction, or proselytization, or any manner prohibited by law?	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No

*Housing First offers individuals and families experiencing homelessness immediate access to permanent affordable or supportive housing. Without clinical prerequisites like completion of a course of treatment or evidence of sobriety and with a low-threshold for entry, Housing First yields higher housing retention rates, lower returns to homelessness, and significant reductions in the use of crisis service and institutions.



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**Homeless Youth Taskforce Report
Prepared for the Interagency Council on Homelessness**

Date May 27, 2015

Presenter Chairman James Ramos and Brenda Dowdy, Homeless Youth Task Force
Co-Chair

Announcements The table below lists the announcements for today's meeting.

Announcements
<p>Homeless Youth Survey</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The Homeless Youth Taskforce held its first Unaccompanied Youth Survey on April 8, 2015 in five areas of the County; the Morongo Basin, Redlands, Rancho Cucamonga, San Bernardino and Victorville. Youth volunteers conducted the survey and made contact with 300 youth. Currently, the Taskforce is compiling a report that will be presented in the next couple of months.
<p>Homeless Youth Taskforce</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Several members of the Taskforce including youth members participated in the California Coalition for Youth Conference in Sacramento on Saturday April 26, 2015 through Tuesday, April 28, 2015. Throughout the conference, the Taskforce received praise for its overall success on its implementation of the youth survey.• Our next meeting will take place in June, date and time TBD, at the San Bernardino Transitional Age Youth Center, located at 780 E. Gilbert Street in San Bernardino.



Interagency Council on Homelessness Bills of Interest
As of May 27, 2015

Please find below bills of interest introduced for the 2015/16 Legislative Session. The status of the bills listed below reflects the report date of May 20, 2015.

[AB 35](#)

[\(Chiu D\)](#) Income taxes: credits: low-income housing: allocation increase.

Current Analysis: 05/15/2015 [Assembly Revenue And Taxation \(text 4/16/2015\)](#)

Status: 5/19/2015-From committee: Amend, and do pass as amended and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 9. Noes 0.) (May 18).

Location: 5/19/2015-A. SECOND READING

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
1st House				2nd House							

Summary: This Bill for calendar years beginning 2015, would increase the aggregate housing credit dollar amount that may be allocated among low-income housing projects by \$300,000,000, as specified. The bill, under the insurance taxation law, the Personal Income Tax Law, and the Corporation Tax Law, would modify the definition of applicable percentage relating to qualified low-income buildings that meet specified criteria. This bill contains other related provisions.

Vote Events:

05/18/2015 ASM. REV. & TAX. (Y:9 N:0 A:0) (P)

04/15/2015 ASM. H. & C.D. (Y:7 N:0 A:0) (P)

[AB 59](#)

[\(Waldron R\)](#) Mental health services: assisted outpatient treatment.

Current Analysis: 04/25/2015 [Assembly Judiciary \(text 4/20/2015\)](#)

Status: 4/28/2015-In committee: Set, first hearing. Failed passage. Reconsideration granted.

Location: 4/28/2015-A. JUD.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
1st House				2nd House							

Summary: Under the Assisted Outpatient Treatment Demonstration Project Act of 2002, known as Laura's Law, participating counties are required to provide prescribed assisted outpatient services, including a service planning and delivery process, that are client-directed and employ psychosocial rehabilitation and recovery principles. Current law authorizes participating counties to pay for the services provided from moneys distributed to the counties from various continuously appropriated funds, including the Local Revenue Fund and the Mental Health Services Fund when included in a county plan, as specified. This bill would delete the January 1, 2017, repeal date of those provisions, thereby extending the program indefinitely, and would also delete the finding requirement described above.

Vote Events:

04/28/2015 ASM. JUD. (Y:3 N:4 A:3) (F)

04/14/2015 ASM. HEALTH (Y:16 N:0 A:3) (P)

[AB 90](#)

[\(Chau D\)](#) Federal Housing Trust Fund.

Current Analysis: 04/28/2015 [Assembly Appropriations \(text 4/22/2015\)](#)

Status: 4/29/2015-In committee: Set, first hearing. Referred to APPR. suspense file.

Location: 4/29/2015-A. APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
1st House				2nd House							

Summary: Would designate the Department of Housing and Community Development as the state agency responsible for administering funds received by the state from the federal Housing Trust Fund. This bill would require the department to administer the funds through programs that produce, preserve, rehabilitate, or support the operation of rental housing for extremely low income and very low income households, except that up to 10% of funding may be used to support homeownership for extremely low income and very low income households.

Vote Events:

04/15/2015 ASM. H. & C.D. (Y:7 N:0 A:0) (P)

[AB 379](#)

([Gordon](#) D) Foster youth: complaint of noncompliance.

Current Analysis: 04/20/2015 [Assembly Appropriations \(text 4/7/2015\)](#)

Status: 4/22/2015-In committee: Set, first hearing. Referred to APPR. suspense file.

Location: 4/22/2015-A. APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
1st House				2nd House							

Summary: Current law authorizes certain foster children living in emergency shelters to receive educational services at the emergency shelter as necessary for short periods of time for specified reasons. Current law requires that all educational and school placement decisions be based on the best interests of the child. This bill would specify that the short period of time described above not exceed 5 schooldays. The bill would specify that all educational and school placement decisions are required to be based on the best interests of the child as determined by the parent or guardian, or other person holding the right to make educational decisions for the pupil.

Vote Events:

03/25/2015 ASM. ED. (Y:6 N:0 A:1) (P)

[AB 388](#)

([Chang](#) R) Housing: homeless veterans: reports.

Current Analysis: 05/19/2015 [Asm Comm Committee On Appropriations \(text \)](#)

Status: 4/29/2015-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 9. Noes 0.) (April 28). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

Location: 4/29/2015-A. APPR.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
1st House				2nd House							

Summary: The Department of Housing and Community Development is required to submit an annual report to the Governor and both houses of the Legislature on the operations and accomplishments during the previous fiscal year of the housing programs administered by the department and an evaluation, in collaboration with the Department of Veterans Affairs, of any program established by the department pursuant to the Veterans Housing and Homeless Prevention Act of 2014. This bill would additionally require the evaluation to include information relating to the effectiveness in helping homeless veterans of any organization that was issued funds pursuant to that act.

Vote Events:

04/28/2015 ASM. V.A. (Y:9 N:0 A:0) (P)

04/15/2015 ASM. H. & C.D. (Y:7 N:0 A:0) (P)

[AB 801](#)

([Bloom](#) D) Postsecondary education: Success for Homeless Youth in Higher Education Act.

Current Analysis: 05/19/2015 [Asm Comm Committee On Appropriations \(text \)](#)

Status: 4/29/2015-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 5. Noes 0.) (April 28). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

Location: 4/29/2015-A. APPR.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
1st House				2nd House							

Summary: Would enact the Success for Homeless Youth in Higher Education Act. The bill would extend a specified priority requirement, with respect to the California State University and community college districts, and would extend the request for the granting of priority, with respect to the University of California, to include homeless youth and former homeless youth, as defined, and extend the existence of this provision until January 1, 2020. To the extent that this provision would impose new duties on community college districts, it would constitute a state-mandated local program.

Vote Events:

04/28/2015 ASM. HUM. S. (Y:5 N:0 A:2) (P)

04/21/2015 ASM. HIGHER ED. (Y:11 N:2 A:0) (P)

[AB 870](#)

(Cooley D) Homelessness: rapid rehousing.

Current Analysis: 05/19/2015 [Asm Comm Committee On Appropriations \(text \)](#)

Status: 5/4/2015-Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

Location: 5/4/2015-A. APPR.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
1st House				2nd House							

Summary: Would establish a pilot program within the Department of Housing and Community Development for awarding grants to counties that operate a rapid rehousing program. The bill would require the department to select 4 counties to receive these grant funds, giving priority to counties with existing programs that have demonstrated effectiveness in providing supporting housing for homeless individuals and veterans. This bill would continuously appropriate \$1 million each year from the General Fund to the department and require the department to distribute \$250,000 of this money to each of the 4 counties.

Vote Events:

04/29/2015 ASM. H. & C.D. (Y:5 N:1 A:1) (P)

[AB 982](#)

(Eggman D) Child care and development: eligibility: homeless children.

Current Analysis: 05/04/2015 [Assembly Appropriations \(text 4/21/2015\)](#)

Status: 5/14/2015-In Senate. Read first time. To Com. on RLS. for assignment.

Location: 5/14/2015-S. RLS.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
1st House				2nd House							

Summary: Current law provides that it is the intent of the Legislature that in providing child development programs the Superintendent of Public Instruction give priority to children of families that qualify for public assistance and other low-income and disadvantaged families. This bill would also include homeless families as part of the intended priority for child development programs. This bill contains other related provisions and other current laws.

Vote Events:

05/14/2015 ASM. FLOOR (Y:78 N:0 A:2) (P)

05/06/2015 ASM. APPR. (Y:17 N:0 A:0) (P)

04/14/2015 ASM. HUM. S. (Y:7 N:0 A:0) (P)

[AB 1166](#)

(Bloom D) Pupils in foster care: pupils who are homeless children or youth: school transfer: exemption from local graduation requirements.

Current Analysis: 04/20/2015 [Assembly Appropriations \(text 2/27/2015\)](#)

Status: 5/14/2015-Referred to Com. on ED.

Location: 5/14/2015-S. ED.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
1st House				2nd House							

Summary: Current law requires the school district to notify specified individuals, including a pupil in foster care or a pupil who is a homeless child or youth, within 30 calendar days of the date that a pupil who may qualify for the exemption from local graduation requirements transfers into a school, of the availability of the exemption and whether the pupil qualifies for an exemption. This bill would, if the school district fails to provide that notification, declare the effected pupil eligible for the exemption from local graduation requirements once notified, even if that notification is received after the termination of the court's jurisdiction over the pupil or after the pupil is no longer a homeless child or youth, as applicable.

Vote Events:

04/30/2015 ASM. FLOOR (Y:77 N:0 A:3) (P)

04/22/2015 ASM. APPR. (Y:17 N:0 A:0) (P)

04/08/2015 ASM. ED. (Y:7 N:0 A:0) (P)

[AB 1225](#)

(Weber D) Housing: former nonminor dependents: homeless youth.

Status: 5/1/2015-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(2). (Last location was HUM. S. on 3/23/2015)

Location: 5/1/2015-A. 2 YEAR

Desk	2 year	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
1st House				2nd House							

Summary: Current law makes transitional housing available to any foster child who is at least 16 years of age and not more than 18 years of age who is eligible for AFDC-FC benefits, any nonminor dependent who is eligible for AFDC-FC benefits, and any former foster youth who is at least 18 years of age and not more than 24 years of age who has exited from the foster care system and has elected to participate in the Transitional Housing Program-Plus, as defined, if he or she has not received services pursuant to these provisions for more than a total of 24 months. This bill would additionally make transitional housing available to any former nonminor dependent with special needs and any homeless youth.

[AB 1228](#)

(Gipson D) Public postsecondary education: campus housing: priority for homeless youth.

Current Analysis: 05/08/2015 [Assembly Floor Analysis \(text 2/27/2015\)](#)

Status: 5/14/2015-In Senate. Read first time. To Com. on RLS. for assignment.

Location: 5/14/2015-S. RLS.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
1st House				2nd House							

Summary: Current law requests the Regents of the University of California and the Trustees of the California State University to explore methods of using the admissions-by-exemption category to assist the transition of students in foster care into 4-year public institutions of higher education. This bill would request the regents and the trustees to provide that assistance to students who are homeless youth.

Vote Events:

05/14/2015 ASM. FLOOR (Y:76 N:2 A:2) (P)

05/06/2015 ASM. APPR. (Y:16 N:1 A:0) (P)

04/21/2015 ASM. HIGHER ED. (Y:12 N:1 A:0) (P)

[AB 1335](#)

(Atkins D) Building Homes and Jobs Act.

Current Analysis: 05/19/2015 [Asm Comm Committee On Appropriations \(text\)](#)

Status: 5/18/2015-Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

Location: 5/18/2015-A. APPR.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
1st House				2nd House							

Summary: Would enact the Building Homes and Jobs Act. The bill would make legislative findings and declarations relating to the need for establishing permanent, ongoing sources of funding dedicated to affordable housing development. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Vote Events:

04/29/2015 ASM. H. & C.D. (Y:5 N:1 A:1) (P)

[AB 1403](#)

(Maienschein R) Housing: joint powers agreement.

Current Analysis: 05/12/2015 [Assembly Local Government \(text 4/7/2015\)](#)

Status: 5/18/2015-Read second time. Ordered to Consent Calendar.

Location: 5/18/2015-A. CONSENT CALENDAR

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
1st House				2nd House							

Summary: Would provide that, notwithstanding any other provision of the Joint Exercise of Powers Act, a private, nonprofit corporation that provides services to homeless persons or for the prevention of homelessness may form a joint powers agency or enter into a joint powers agreement with a public agency for the purpose of providing frequent user coordinated care housing services, defined by to mean housing combined with other supportive services, as defined, for homeless persons identified by a city or county as the most costly, frequent users of publicly funded emergency services.

Vote Events:

05/13/2015 ASM. L. GOV. (Y:9 N:0 A:0) (P)

04/29/2015 ASM. H. & C.D. (Y:6 N:0 A:1) (P)

[SB 7](#)

([Wolk](#) D) Housing: water meters: multiunit structures.

Current Analysis: 04/29/2015 [Senate Floor Analyses \(text 12/1/2014\)](#)

Status: 5/5/2015-In Assembly. Read first time. Held at Desk.

Location: 5/5/2015-A. DESK

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
1st House				2nd House							

Summary: Would express the intent of the Legislature to encourage the conservation of water in multifamily residential rental buildings through means either within the landlord's or the tenant's control, and to ensure that the practices involving the submetering of dwelling units for water service are just and reasonable, and include appropriate safeguards for both tenants and landlords. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Vote Events:

05/04/2015 SEN. FLOOR (Y:28 N:7 A:4) (P)

[SB 46](#)

([Roth](#) D) Veterans housing.

Status: 5/15/2015-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(3). (Last location was RLS. on 1/15/2015)

Location: 5/15/2015-S. 2 YEAR

Desk	2 year	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
1st House				2nd House							

Summary: Current law authorizes the Department of Veterans Affairs to establish a pilot project for the purpose of establishing a cooperative housing project for veterans and their families. This bill would make technical, nonsubstantive changes to those provisions.

[SB 130](#)

([Roth](#) D) Veterans: mental health.

Current Analysis: 04/27/2015 [Senate Veterans Affairs \(text 4/16/2015\)](#)

Status: 5/1/2015-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(2). (Last location was V. A. on 4/22/2015)

Location: 5/1/2015-S. 2 YEAR

Desk	2 year	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
1st House				2nd House							

Summary: Would require the California Housing Finance Agency, the Department of Housing and Community Development, and the Department of Veterans Affairs to establish a grant process to provide grants to entities that provide supportive services as part of housing programs established under the Veterans Housing and Homelessness Prevention Act of 2014. The bill would provide that implementation of this grant process would be subject to appropriation by the Legislature.

[SB 145](#)

([Pan](#) D) Health facilities: patient transporting.

Current Analysis: 04/27/2015 [Senate Judiciary \(text 4/23/2015\)](#)

Status: 5/19/2015-Read second time. Ordered to third reading.

Location: 5/19/2015-S. THIRD READING

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
1st House				2nd House							

Summary: Would prohibit a general acute care hospital, acute psychiatric hospital, or special hospital from causing a patient who, in the judgment of the attending physician or other licensed health care professional, acting within the scope of his or her practice, is at risk of serious injury or death as a result of clinical alcohol intoxication, to be transported to another location except when the patient is either medically stabilized or appropriately transferred to another health facility pursuant to another provision of law.

Vote Events:

04/28/2015 SEN. JUD. (Y:4 N:1 A:2) (P)

04/22/2015 SEN. HEALTH (Y:5 N:2 A:2) (P)

[SB 214](#)[\(Berryhill R\)](#) Foster care services.

Status: 5/15/2015-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(3). (Last location was RLS. on 2/26/2015)

Location: 5/15/2015-S. 2 YEAR

Desk	2 year	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
1st House				2nd House							

Summary: Current law declares the intent of the Legislature to preserve and strengthen a child's family ties whenever possible, removing the child from the custody of his or her parents only when necessary for his or her welfare or for the safety and protection of the public. Current law includes various provisions relating to appropriate placement and other services for children in foster care. This bill would make technical, nonsubstantive changes to provisions relating to foster children.

[SB 252](#)[\(Leno D\)](#) Pupils: diploma alternatives: fees.Current Analysis: 05/04/2015 [Senate Appropriations \(text 4/7/2015\)](#)

Status: 5/4/2015-May 4 hearing: Placed on APPR. suspense file.

Location: 5/4/2015-S. APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
1st House				2nd House							

Summary: Would prohibit the State Department of Education from charging the fee for an examination application to a homeless child or youth who is under 25 years of age and can verify his or her status as a homeless youth. The bill would authorize a homeless services provider, as defined, that has knowledge of the examinee's housing status to verify the examinee's status for purposes of these provisions. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Vote Events:

05/04/2015 SEN. APPR. (Y:7 N:0 A:0) (P)

03/25/2015 SEN. ED. (Y:8 N:0 A:0) (P)

[SB 445](#)[\(Liu D\)](#) Pupil instruction and services: homeless children.Current Analysis: 05/06/2015 [Senate Floor Analyses \(text 4/15/2015\)](#)

Status: 5/18/2015-In Assembly. Read first time. Held at Desk.

Location: 5/18/2015-A. DESK

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
1st House				2nd House							

Summary: Would require a local educational agency serving a homeless child, once a child becomes a homeless child, to allow the homeless child to continue his or her education in the school of origin through the duration of the homelessness, and would set forth related requirements governing the enrollment of homeless children. By imposing additional duties on local educational agencies, the bill would impose a state-mandated local program. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Vote Events:

05/18/2015 SEN. FLOOR (Y:36 N:0 A:3) (P)

05/04/2015 SEN. APPR. (Y:7 N:0 A:0) (P)

04/08/2015 SEN. ED. (Y:8 N:0 A:0) (P)

[SB 608](#)[\(Liu D\)](#) Homelessness.Current Analysis: 04/02/2015 [Senate Transportation And Housing \(text 2/27/2015\)](#)

Status: 5/1/2015-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(2). (Last location was T. & H. on 3/12/2015)

Location: 5/1/2015-S. 2 YEAR

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Summary: Would enact the Right to Rest Act, which would afford persons experiencing homelessness the right to use public space without discrimination based on their housing status. Because the bill would require local agencies to perform additional duties, it would impose a state-mandated local program. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[SB 636](#)

(Liu D) Homeless youth: basic material needs assistance.
Current Analysis: 05/04/2015 [Senate Appropriations \(text 4/23/2015\)](#)
Status: 5/4/2015-May 4 hearing: Placed on APPR. suspense file.
Location: 5/4/2015-S. APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Summary: Would create the Homeless Youth Basic Material Needs Assistance Program. This bill would require that moneys appropriated by the Legislature for the purposes of the program be allocated proportionally by the State Department of Social Services to each county program based on the number of homeless youth in the county. The bill would authorize a county to establish the program or request the department to administer the program, in which case the department would be required to retain the county's proportional share of funds and directly administer a program in that county.

Vote Events:
05/04/2015 SEN. APPR. (Y:7 N:0 A:0) (P)
04/21/2015 SEN. HUMAN S. (Y:5 N:0 A:0) (P)

ICH REPORT



DATE: May 27, 2015

PHONE: (909) 387-4565

PRESENTED BY: KENT PAXTON

Homeless Policy Advisor, Fifth District

SUBJECT: ICH Related Board Items

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Board Agenda Items

04/7/2015

21. Department of Behavioral Health-This item is an **AMENDMENT TO CONTRACT WITH RED CARNATION HOMES, LLC FOR EMERGENCY SHELTER SERVICES** effective July 1, 2015, for the provision of Emergency Shelter Services for DBH clients enrolled in Homeless Intensive Case Management and Outreach Services, updating current contract language and increasing the total contract amount by \$747,000 from \$2,054,250 to \$2,801,250, for the total contract period of October 1, 2012 through June 30, 2016.

Background: Red Carnation Homes, LLC provides Emergency Shelter Services for DBH clients enrolled in Homeless Intensive Case Management and Outreach Services under the DBH Homeless Program. The DBH Homeless Program is a system of emergency shelters and supportive services created as a response to the increased number of mentally ill individuals without shelter. Red Carnation provides emergency shelter services at two facilities in San Bernardino with a combined client placement capacity of 50 at a daily rate of \$41.50 per bed day. In 2015-16, Red Carnation is expected to provide services to approximately 250 clients at a cost of \$2,988 per client.

Financial Impact: This item does not impact Discretionary General Funding (Net County Cost).

Presenter: CaSonya Thomas, Director

04/7/2015

22. Department of Behavioral Health – This item is a **NON-FINANCIAL MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO FOR THE NO CHILD LEFT UNSHELTERED PROGRAM**, for the term April 7, 2015 through June 30, 2016.

Background: The partnership between DBH and HACSB in the No Child Left Unsheltered Program demonstrates good public policy in that both agencies are leveraging limited resources in order to serve families in a holistic approach. This approach addresses the ongoing housing instability experienced by families, which is detrimental to the overall health and development of children. In addition, this program addresses the behavioral health and employment barriers experienced by the families.

Under the terms of the MOU, HACSB will work with DBH to identify eligible families making available up to 50 subsidized permanent housing units. In turn, DBH will provide intensive case management services as well as referrals for behavioral health services to support the long term stability of the families.

HACSB has dedicated ten public housing units and forty project-based vouchers and is working to secure sponsorship/funding for additional housing types to make available for eligible families. Families with children must be unsheltered at the time of application. Based on the need, DBH will provide a minimum of six months of intensive case management services per family unit to assist in identifying and removing barriers to families successfully becoming employed, housed or educated to the level needed to achieve self-sufficiency.

Financial Impact:

This item does not impact Discretionary General Funding.

Presenter: CaSonya Thomas, Director

04/21/2015

29. Community Development and Housing – This item is an **INTER-AGENCY COOPERATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO AND THE CITY OF SAN BERNARDINO FOR THE USE OF HOME FUNDS WITHIN THE HOME CONSORTIUM** for Federal Fiscal years 2014-15 through 2016-17 under the HOME Investment Partnerships Program (HOME) Consortium.

Background: In light of challenges faced by the City of San Bernardino's (City) current financial state, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) has requested the County of San Bernardino (County) administer the City's share of HOME funds by including the City in the County's HOME Consortium. The Inter-Agency Agreement is the implementing tool between the County and the City for the administration of HOME funds within the City.

HOME supports the construction of new and/or rehabilitated affordable housing units. Formation of the HOME Consortium allows for consolidation of a greater contribution of HUD funds toward qualified projects within the County's service area. HUD has identified the County's administration of the City HOME Program funds as "critical to ensuring the continued access of affordable housing funding opportunities for the City's low/moderate income residents."

Unique to the Inter-Agency Agreement with the City is the authorization to track the HOME funds directly attributable to the City's participation in the HOME Consortium (the "City's Equivalent Share") and to spend those dollars within the City's boundaries. The Inter-Agency Agreement also requires submission of qualified proposals for projects within the City limits pursuant to the same NOFA; however, the qualified City proposals would not compete with proposals outside the City's limits.

The Inter-Agency Agreement applies only to funds generated during the initial three-year Qualification Period for the Consortium Agreement, Federal FY's 2015-2017, and terminates once HOME funds received by the County and identified as the City's Equivalent Share are expended on qualified projects. If the City chooses to continue participation as a member of the HOME Consortium for subsequent three-year Qualification Periods, all standard terms of the Consortium Agreement would apply.

Financial Impact:

This item will not result in the use of any Discretionary General Funding.

Presenter: Dena Fuentes, Director

05/05/2015

14. Department of Behavioral Health – This item is an **AMENDMENT TO CONTRACT WITH THE INSTITUTE FOR URBAN INITIATIVES FOR HOMELESS CONSULTING SERVICES** in support of the Continuum of Care Homeless Assistance Program, updating standard contract language, extending an additional year, and increasing the total contract amount by \$87,835, from \$148,150 to \$235,975, for the total contract period of August 30, 2013 through June 30, 2016.

Background: Since 2009, Urban Initiatives has assisted DBH with the preparation of the HUD CoC grant application. The grant funding is awarded and utilized by agencies providing homeless assistance to various housing and supportive services for the homeless throughout the County of San Bernardino. Urban Initiatives provides critical assistance in the development and administration of the Request for Proposals soliciting applications to be included in the CoC grant application, with support continuing through the entire preparation and submission process. In addition to the on-going consulting services, Urban Initiatives assists in the annual countywide Point-in-Time Count (PITC) of the homeless population; provides guidance for the implementation of the HEARTH Act pertaining to funding, prevention resources, and performance; conducts performance measurement training and technical assistance workshops; enters and submits data for the Housing Inventory Count and the Homeless PITC; and develop a 2-1-1 regionally coordinated centralized intake system.

This amendment will allow Urban Initiatives to continue to provide CoC consulting services and continued assistance with planning for the implementation of the coordinated assessment and centralized intake system using the current United Way 2-1-1 system.

Financial Impact: This item is funded with 50% MHSA and 50% County of San Bernardino Human Service's funds.

Presenter: CaSonya Thomas, Director

05/19/2015

65. Transitional Assistance Department – This item is an **AMENDMENT TO CONTRACT WITH HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO FOR CALIFORNIA WORK OPPORTUNITY AND RESPONSIBILITY TO KIDS HOUSING SUPPORT PROGRAM SERVICES** extending the contract an additional year, and increasing the total contract amount by \$1,075,906 from \$1,075,906 to \$2,151,812 for the total contract amount to \$2,151,812, for the total contract period of January 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016.

Background: Under the terms of the recommended amendment, TAD will continue to contract with the Housing Authority to provide housing and rental assistance for up to an additional 402 CalWORKS families who identify themselves as homeless, defined as lacking a fixed and regular nighttime residence; or having a primary nighttime residence that is supervised publicly or privately operated shelter designed to provide temporary living accommodations; or residing in a public or private place not designed to provide temporary living accommodations; or residing in a public or private place not designed for, or ordinarily used as, a regular sleeping accommodation for human beings; or in receipt of a judgement for eviction, as ordered by a court.

SB 855 (Chapter 29, Statutes of 2014) established the CalWORKS Housing Support Program (HSP). In part, the legislation requires that counties use evidence-based models, including those established in HUD's Homeless Prevention and Rapid Rehousing Program, in the implementation of the HSP. The program's goal is to assist families quickly obtain permanent housing and wraparound supports to families to foster housing retention.

Financial Impact: This item is 100% federally funded through CalWORKS.

Presenter: Nancy Swanson, Director

71. Housing Authority of the County of San Bernardino – this item is for the **APPROVAL OF REVISIONS TO THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO HOUSING SERVICES ADMINISTRATIVE PLAN GOVERNING THE HOUSING CHOICE VOUCHER SUBSIDIZED PROGRAMS.**

Background: Through HUD's Rental Assistance Demonstration Program (RAD), up to all of the HACSB Public Housing units will be converted to Project-Based Rental Assistance or Project-Based Voucher Assistance. The formerly Public Housing units that become Section 8 units will be subject to the rules of the applicable Section 8 program, including the funding provisions of the Section 8 program. Although the funding type will change, no financial impact is anticipated. The conversion process is anticipated to improve the reliability of long-term funding.

Presenter: Gregory C. Devereaux, Chief Executive Officer

Report	The purpose of this document is to present the Office of Homeless Services on activities from the San Bernardino County Reentry Collaborative (SBCRC).
Date	May 27, 2015
Presenter	Jose Marin, Special Projects Coordinator, Department of Public Health
Announcements	The table below lists the announcements for today's meeting.

<p>March 2015 Reentry Meetings</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meeting held on 3/25 from 1:30 pm – 3:00 pm. • Topics centered on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Sheriff's HOPE team updates <p>April 2015 Meeting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meeting held on 2/24 from 1:30 pm – 3:00 pm. • Topics centered on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Center for Employment Opportunities (CEO) Program
<p>April 2015 Workgroup meeting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New topic for discussion selected – Employment Barriers • Discussion based on what specific barriers to employment the formerly incarcerated encounter • Next steps include inviting Workforce Development Dept. and Center for Employment Opportunities to continue discussion
<p>2014 Annual Report</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2014 Reentry Collaborative Annual Report is out • It can be downloaded at: http://cms.sbcounty.gov/sbcrc/Resources.aspx under the column Data & Reports
<p>BRIDGES Update</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See attachment
<p>Attachments</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SBCRC 2015 Annual Calendar of meetings • BRIDGES Update

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Please visit our website at www.sbcounty.gov/sbcrc



BRIDGES ACTIVITIES UPDATE

Services:

- Peers assisted in placing participants in housing at Salvation Army, Time for Change Foundation, Loving Hearts (High Desert)
- Peers assisted in obtaining Substance Abuse services
- Peers assisted in obtaining conservatorship to participants
- Peers assisted in obtaining important documents (Birth Certificates, Social Security Cards, Identification)
- Peers able to advocate on behalf of participants to Probation Department
 - Ex: Peer was able to accompany a participant who failed a drug test to Probation and was able to get her in a substance abuse program instead of re-incarceration
- Peers assisted in obtaining free cell phones to participants
- Peers able to accompany participants to court and probation meetings
- Peers assisted in reestablishing social security and disability benefits
- Peers able to obtain clothing for interviews to participants
- Peers assisted in family reunification activities

Overall Breakdown (As of 4/30/15)

89 Participants Consented

- 78 released from custody (87.6%)
 - 5.1% of those released have recidivated (4)
 - *New definition of conviction, not just arrest*
 - 43.6% of those released have been removed for 30 days no contact (34)
 - *4 were arrested for new felony or misdemeanor, but no court date yet*
 - 51.3% of those released are still in bi-weekly contact with their Advocate (40)
 - *2 were arrested for a new misdemeanor, but no court date yet*
- 11 removed from program prior to release (12.4%)
 - 3 facility transfers
 - 1 participant request
 - 3 discipline
 - 4 still in custody as of 4/1/2015



2015 SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS

Monthly Reentry Steering Committee Meetings		
1/28/2015 (Wednesday)	7/22/2015 (Wednesday)	<p>4th Wednesday of every other month (Beginning in January): Times: 1:30pm-3:00pm</p> <p>Location: Department of Behavior Health (DBH) 303 Vanderbilt Way 1st Floor (Behind TGI Friday's) San Bernardino, CA 92408</p> <p>4th Friday of every other month (Beginning in January): Times : 9:30am-11:00am</p> <p>Location: Workforce Development, WIB Room 215 North "D" Street, 2nd Floor San Bernardino, CA 92410</p> <p>The parking for this building is located at the public parking structure on the corner of 2nd street and "D" Street with access on both 2nd and D Streets.</p>
2/27/2015 (Friday)	8/28/2015 (Friday)	
3/25/2015 (Wednesday)	9/23/2015 (Wednesday)	
4/24/2015 (Friday)	10/23/2015 (Friday)	
5/27/2015 (Wednesday)	11/20/2015 (Friday)	
6/26/2015 (Friday)		

Monthly Reentry Workgroup Meetings		
Meeting Date (2 nd Friday of each Month)	Meeting Times	Meeting Location
1/9/2015	9:00am - 11:00am	<p>Public Health 172 W 3rd Street 6th Floor Conference Room San Bernardino, CA</p>
2/13/2015	9:00am - 11:00am	
3/13/2015	9:00am - 11:00am	
4/10/2015	9:00am - 11:00am	
5/8/2015	9:00am - 11:00am	
6/12/2015	9:00am - 11:00am	
7/10/2015	9:00am - 11:00am	
8/7/2015	9:00am - 11:00am	
9/11/2015	9:00am - 11:00am	
10/9/2015	9:00am - 11:00am	
11/13/2015	9:00am - 11:00am	

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Housing Authority of the County of San Bernardino Report Prepared for the Interagency Council on Homelessness

Report purpose The purpose of this document is to present Housing Authority of the County of San Bernardino (HACSB) updates and to record action items from prior Interagency Council on Homelessness (ICH) meetings if applicable.

Date May 27, 2015

Presenter Daniel Nackerman, Executive Director

Announcements The table below lists the announcements for today's meeting.

Announcements
<p style="text-align: center;">Working With HOST and HOPE</p> <p>Over the past several weeks the Housing Authority has increased its collaborative efforts in working with the Sheriff's Homeless Outreach Proactive Enforcement (HOPE) and Department of Behavioral Health's (DBH) Homeless Outreach Support Team (HOST).</p> <p>The collaboration has focused on streamlining criminal background screenings for applicants to the Housing Authorities homeless programs and brainstorming on how to eliminate barriers and reduce bureaucracy that can create hardship.</p> <p>Throughout all of its programs, the Housing Authority encourages all persons in need of housing to apply to available programs. In reviewing criminal background the Housing Authority considers relevant circumstances when considering denial of assistance; such as mitigating circumstances or rehabilitation.</p> <p>In the Shelter Plus Care program, the supportive services provided by DBH help address past incidents and provide rehabilitation support.</p> <p>In addition to discussions around criminal background screenings, the joint meetings have been an excellent opportunity to discuss the various activities of the different stakeholders and share information about the variety of homeless programs throughout the county, as well as discuss ways to address barriers to housing placements for homeless persons.</p> <p>In particular, the need to increase bridge housing options, and continue to strengthen partnerships, between County departments as well as community agencies, that often serve the same population. The Housing Authority looks forward to continuing this enhanced collaboration effort to better serve our homeless community.</p>

**Minutes for San Bernardino County Homeless Partnership
Interagency Council on Homelessness (ICH)**

April 22, 2015
8:00 am – 12:30 pm
Department of Behavioral Health-Training Institute
303 E. Vanderbilt Way
San Bernardino, CA 92415

Minutes Recorded and Transcribed by Tammy Dickey, Secretary I, Office of Homeless Services

TOPIC	PRESENTER	ACTION/OUTCOME
Call to Order	Supervisor Gonzales	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The meeting was called to order at 9:03 am.
Introductions	Supervisor Gonzales	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introductions were made by all ICH Members. Guests were also invited to introduce themselves.
CONSENT ITEMS	PRESENTER	
Approve minutes of the February 25, 2015 ICH meeting Approve Letter of Support for the Meta Housing Corporation, Veterans Housing and Homeless Prevention Program (VHHP) Approve Letter of Support for the Housing Partners One, Inc. Approve Letter of Support for A Community of Friends Approve the nomination of Ray Osborne to fill one General Member-At-Large Position Approve the nomination of William Carnegie to fill one General Member-At-Large position	Supervisor Gonzales	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Consent items of the agenda were approved as written.
SPECIAL SESSION	PRESENTER	ACTION/OUTCOME
Strategic Planning Workshop Performance and Education Resource Center (PERC)	Tina Wright-Ervin	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Vision - the San Bernardino County Homeless Partnership (SBCHP) believes that everyone deserves a home. To this end, the 10-Year Strategy to End Homelessness was developed as a blueprint for ending homelessness county-wide. Purpose – the SBCHP is to end chronic homelessness and reduce the instance of episodic homelessness in the County of San Bernardino. This will be accomplished through collaborative partnerships with Federal, State, and local Governments, social service agencies and community and faith-based organizations.

Strategic Planning Workshop Performance and Education Resource Center (PERC)	Tina Wright-Ervin	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In September 2007, the San Bernardino County Homeless Partnership (SBCHP) was formed to provide a more focused approach to our goal of ending homelessness within the County. The Partnership consists of city governments, community-based organizations, faith-based organizations, educational institutes, non-profit organizations, private industry, and Federal, State, and local Government and as a result the Interagency Council on Homelessness ICH was created. • In 2013 there was a recalibration, revisiting the 10-Year Strategy. In the original plan there were 25 recommendations of which some had been completed and reduced to 11 recommendations. • The 2015 Point-In-Time (PITC) Count Final report was recently posted and included five recommendations that were offshoots of the 10-Year Strategy. The five recommendations include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ End homelessness among veterans at the end of 2015. ➢ Promote a zero tolerance policy for children living on the streets, in vehicles or other places not meant for human habitation. ➢ Develop a Coordinated Entry System. ➢ Continue to implement a Housing First approach primarily for chronically homeless persons and families. ➢ Continue to implement a Rapid Re-Housing approach primarily for non-chronically homeless persons and families. • Based on the work that has been done to date, below are some recommendations for moving forward: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ Implementation, communication, populations served, partnerships, outreach, evidence, collaboration, ending homelessness, action, housing first, education, refining, hope, measurable outcomes, navigation and coordination, regional inequality, bridging gaps, housing for all, trust, everyone deserves a home, etc. • Some challenges that the group has faced is the lack of political backing for the entire County. The East Valley region continues to grow, however the lack of funding remains an issue including the loss of redevelopment monies. The lack of infrastructure has also been a concern including city regulations and building closures. Loss of redevelopment and loss of reduction are barriers that may agencies have faced in recent years. The overall question seems to be how we will address the many challenges discussed
Process Overview		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The overall process will include recommendations, prioritizing and assignment. This will include the 11 recommendations from the recalibration and the 5 recommendations from the 2015 PITC Final Report. The ultimate goal of this process will include measurable outcomes; short, medium and long term. Once completed, the next step will be action planning and goals should include quantitative and qualitative data and also be built into each plan. The final step will include documentation, accountability measures, who will ensure recommendations are being met, etc.
Recommendations from the Recalibration and 2015 PITC Final Report		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Veterans Affairs Supportive Housing (VASH); in the 2015 PITC Final report, the recommendation was to end homelessness for all veterans by the end of 2015. • Homeless Prevention and Resources and Services • Community Outreach and Education Campaign, • Homeless Management Information System (HMIS); the recommendation from the 2015 PITC Final report was to implement a Coordinated Entry System (CES) • Shelter Plus Care Certificates • Permanent Supportive Housing beds • Rapid Re-Housing Strategy; the recommendation from the 2015 PITC Final report is to continue a Rapid Re-Housing approach primarily for non-chronically homeless persons and families and promote a zero tolerance policy for children living on the streets, in vehicles or other places not meant for human habitation. • Mainstream Resources • Adopt and Implement a Housing First Model; the recommendation from the 2015 PITC Final report is to continue to implement a Housing First approach primarily for chronically homeless persons and families.

<p>Recommendations from the Recalibration and 2015 PITC Final Report</p>	<p>Tina Wright-Ervin</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community Outreach, Engagement, and Treatment for Chronically Homeless Individuals and Families • Formalize Protocols and Implement the Coordination of Discharge Planning • All recommendations are based on best practices and proven outcomes from other outer lying areas that are currently implementing them.
<p>Voting Categories Report</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All committee members voted on the above categories based off of immediate need. Below are the results of those categories: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ Rapid Re-Housing received a total of 9 votes. ➢ Permanent Supportive Housing Beds received a total of 8 votes. ➢ Community Outreach and Education Campaign received a total of 3 votes. ➢ Mainstream Resources, Homeless Prevention Resources and Services and Adopt and Implement a Housing First Model received 2 votes each. ➢ Community Outreach, Engagement, and Treatment for Chronically Homeless Individuals and Families received 1 vote. • Categories receiving no votes are as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ Veterans Affairs Supportive Housing (VASH) Vouchers. ➢ Shelter Plus Care Certificates. ➢ Formalizing Protocols and Improve the Coordination of Discharge Planning. ➢ Homeless Management Information System (HMIS).
<p>Action Planning and Stakeholder Sessions</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Stakeholders Session will be scheduled as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ Nonprofits and Service Provider Stakeholder Session – Wednesday, May 20, 2015 from 8:30 am – 4:00 pm located at 303 E. Vanderbilt Way, San Bernardino, CA 92415 (Conference Room 109A and 109B). ➢ County Provider Stakeholder Session – Thursday, June 18, 2015 from 8:30 am – 4:00 pm 4:00 pm located at 303 E. Vanderbilt Way, San Bernardino, CA 92415 (Conference Room 109A and 109B). ➢ City Provider Stakeholder Session - Wednesday, August 12, 2015 from 8:30 am – 4:00 pm located at 850 E. Foothill Blvd., Rialto, CA 92376 (Auditorium). • The committee set critical prioritization of information that be discussed at the Stakeholder Sessions and they are as follows: • Rapid Re-Housing: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ Housing Providers, Schools, Corrections (Probation/Parole/Sheriff), Regional Chairs of the Homeless Provider Network (HPN), County; Housing Authority of the County of San Bernardino (HACSB), Transitional Assistance Department (TAD), Transitional Age Youth (TAY) Center, Workforce Development Department (WDD), Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS), First 5, California League of Cities and AFF Housing Development. • Permanent Supportive Housing Beds: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ Bridge Housing Service Providers, HACSB, TAD, Developers, Transitional Housing Providers, HPN Regional Chairs, Department of Behavioral Health (DBH), and Cities with Home Funds. • Community Outreach and Education: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ Faith Based Organizations, 2-1-1, League of California Cities, National Emergency Communications Organization Network (NECON), HPN, Service Providers, Rapid Re-Housing Providers and Schools. • Mainstream Resources: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ TAD, Social Security Insurance (SSI), Cal Fresh and Medi-Cal.
<p>Homeless Prevention Resources</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Homeless Prevention Resources identified by the Committee include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ Emergency Solutions Providers (ESG), City, County, etc., 2-1-1, California Endowment, Funders (people with money), Inland Empire Economic Partnership, Grant Funding Support, Center for Advocacy-Leadership Training, The Community Foundation, Academy for Grassroots Organization, DBH, TAD, Sheriff's Department Homeless Outreach Proactive Enforcement (HOPE) Team, Hospitals/Healthcare, County, City, and Service Providers.

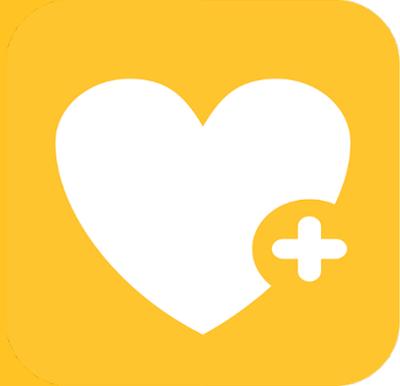
COUNCIL ROUNDTABLE	PRESENTER	ACTION/OUTCOME
Public Comment	Supervisor Gonzales	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> None
Adjournment	Supervisor Gonzales	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Being no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 12:30 pm.
Next Meeting		<p>Wednesday, May 27, 2015 at 9:00 am – 11:00 am Department of Behavioral Health Administration Building 303 E. Vanderbilt Way, San Bernardino, CA 92415</p>

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IF Overview



HOUSING STABILIZATION

HOUSING

6,384
PEOPLE
HOUSED

HEALTHCARE

1900+
PATIENTS
SERVED

INCOME

1,123
CLIENTS
ASSISTED

COMMUNITY

7,731
CLIENTS
SERVED



HOUSING STABILIZATION

HOUSING

- Emergency
- Bridge
- Permanent Supportive

HEALTHCARE

- Medical Outreach
- Recuperative Care
- Chronic Care Plus
- Counseling

INCOME

- Job Readiness
- Job Placement
- Benefits Acquisition
- Financial Literacy

COMMUNITY

- Motel Family Outreach
- Children's Enrichment
- Life Skills

We Bridge the Gap



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Homelessness

Permanent Housing

Housing Instability
Healthcare Instability
Insufficient Income
Lack of Community Support

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Healthcare Solutions



Healthcare Outreach



684
Medical
Patients



886
Vision
Patients



Recuperative Care

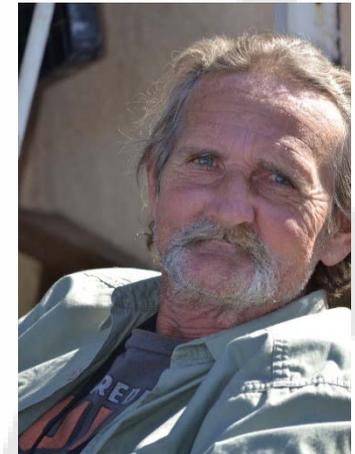


2040
Patients

63
Hospitals
Served

>\$15M
In Hospital
Cost
Avoidance

Recuperative Care (aka Medical Respite) manages the recovery of homeless individuals discharged from hospitals



Orange County Recup



Santa Fe Springs Recup

What is Recuperative Care?



Recuperative Care (aka Medical Respite) provides care to homeless persons recovering from an acute illness or injury, no longer in need of acute care but unable to sustain recovery if living on the street or other unsuitable place.

72 Nationwide



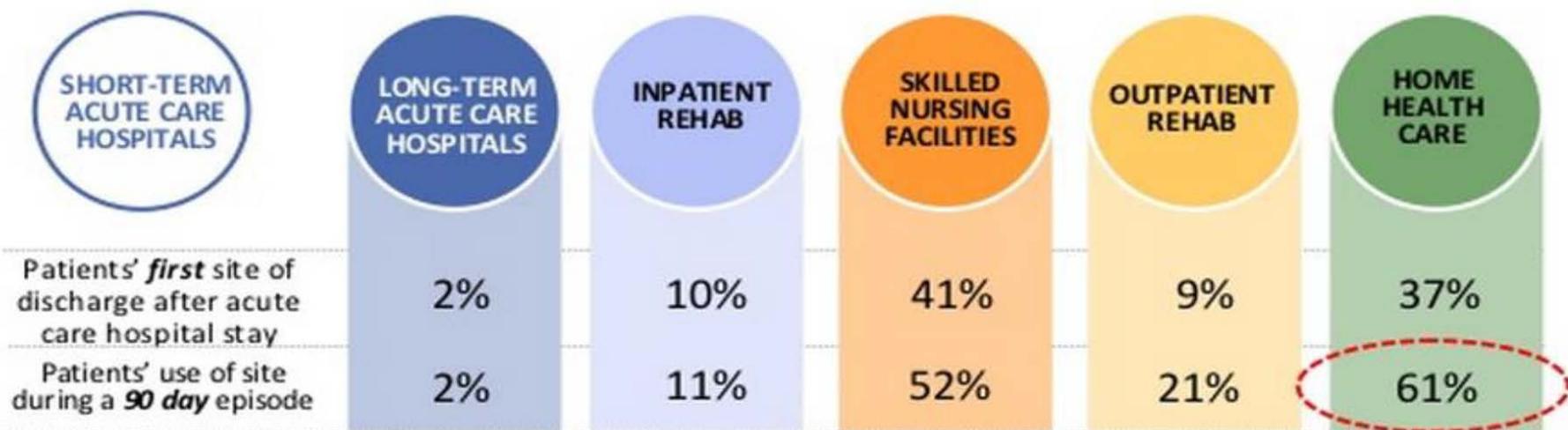
Tremendous Opportunities Exist to Better Manage Patient Care for Patients Discharged From Acute Care Hospitals

Currently there are 47.6 million Medicare beneficiaries with an estimated 9,100 individuals added to the program each day.⁽¹⁾

35% of Medicare Beneficiaries are Discharged from Acute Hospitals to Post-Acute Care

Medicare Patients' Use of Post-Acute Services Throughout an "Episode of Care" ⁽²⁾

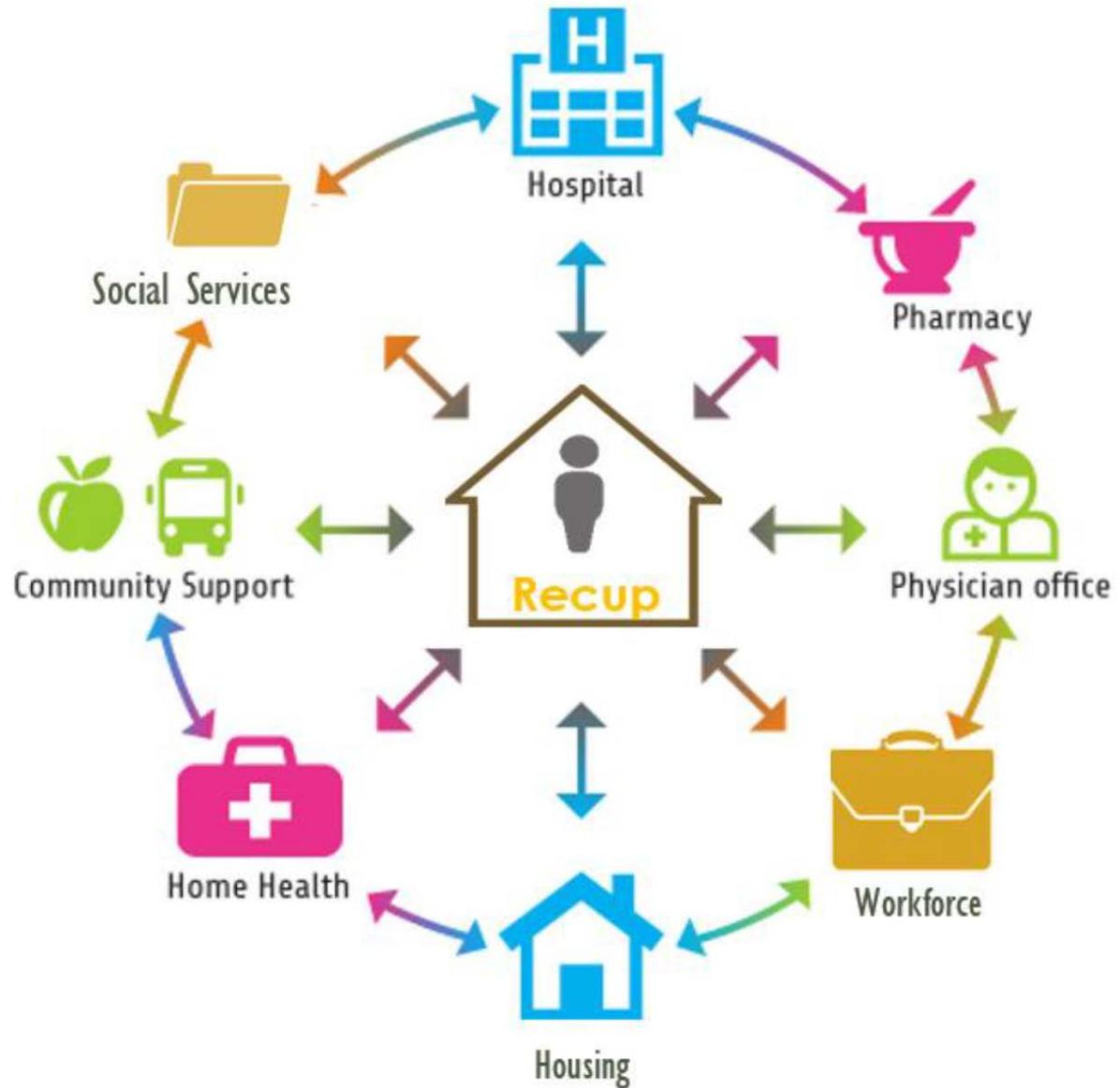
Higher ← Intensity of Service → Lower



⁽¹⁾ Source: U.S. Census Projections

⁽²⁾ Source: RTI, 2009: Examining Post Acute Care Relationships in an Integrated Hospital System

Care Transition



Recuperative Care



Scope
of
Services



Mental Health
Counseling

Medical Care
Coordination

Case
Management

Food, hygiene
and
transportation

Advocacy

Client -
centered
education

Housing
connections

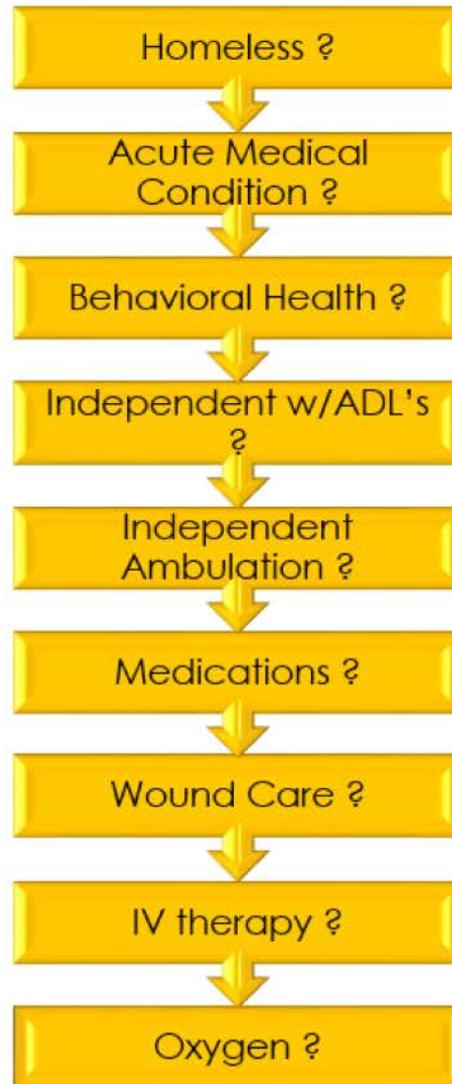
Access to
community
clinic

RC Criteria

63
Hospitals



LA County
LA Private
OC Private



Recuperative
Care



Average LOS
14 days

RC Deliverables



Referral

Easy intake process for hospital

- One-page referral for hospital
- 2 hour turnaround referral process
- Hospital determines Length of Stay (LOS)
- Hospital responsible for full d/c medications for entire Length of Stay
- Hospital is responsible for transportation to program site upon d/c
- Monday - Sunday 9-6

Services

Coordination of services

- Medical oversight of client d/c care plan
- Medical Case Management
- Easy access to Medical Home
- Case Management
- Room and Board
- Mental Health counseling
- Client education and training
- Transportation

Reporting

Patient Outcome Reports

- Hospital receives notification of client status upon intake, exit and any absences
- Hospital receives for every client a Mid-LOS progress report and upon exit a Patient Outcome Summary
- Extension requests are accompanied by supporting documentation to substantiate need

RC Outcomes



YTD
2010-2014

THE BENEFITS

63
LA & Orange County
Hospitals have participated

49%
of our patients are
connected to transitional
or permanent housing

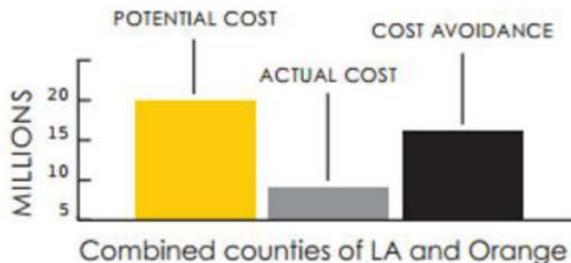


93%
of referrals are approved
for recuperative care



14
days is the average
length of stay at
recuperative care

OVER \$15.0M COST AVOIDANCE



*Potential Cost	Actual Cost	Cost AVOIDANCE
\$20,562,384	\$5,330,800	\$15,231,584

**Potential cost is based on patients staying an average of four days longer than necessary in hospital. **American Hospital Association 2010 Annual Survey estimate inpatient cost at \$2,676/day. This is only an estimate of expenses incurred by the hospital to provide a day of inpatient care.*

3,035
patients referrals
were created



Recuperative care is a cost-effective way to provide needed aftercare to homeless patients recently discharged from acute care hospitals and reduce recidivism.

1,921

patients served were in a caring and supportive environment and received:

- Case management and Counseling
- RN/LVN oversight with medical plan of care
- Connection to social service resources such as ID cards, SSI/SSDI, GR and Food Stamps are offered
- Three healthy meals a day
- Transportation to appointments



Improved Healthcare

- ✓ Improved clinical outcomes as RCC allows for further patient stabilization
- ✓ Allows hospitals to discharge along appropriate continuum of care provider
- ✓ Improved patient satisfaction ratings

Improved Access to Care

- ✓ Improve access for homeless and housing insecure to healthcare and mental healthcare
- ✓ RCC connects patients to resources and agencies in the preferred exit destination
- ✓ RCC's core competency is ensuring successful care transitions for homeless



Reduced Cost

- ✓ Reducing ALOS in the hospital by providing safe discharge option (4 avoidable inpatient days)
- ✓ Reducing the number of denied days from payers to providers
- ✓ Allows hospital to move patients' care along the continuum to a lower cost model that is timely and safe, enabling hospitals opportunity to generate new revenues from open beds
- ✓ Reducing readmits: RCC connects patients to medical home/PCP and reinforces patient utilization
- ✓ Fulfills obligations of non profit hospitals to invest in health and healthcare in the communities they serve

Cost Avoidance



Business Case

	Number of Actual Homeless Admissions	Average Length of Stay (ALOS)	Total days of Inpatient Stay	Average Cost per day	Total Cost
OC Hospitals	962	7.1 days (including 4 Avoidable)	3848 Avoidable days	\$2,676*	10,297,248
Recuperative Care**	962	12	11,544	\$250	2,886,000

Estimated Cost Avoidance

\$7,411,248

Assumptions:

- Homeless inpatients stay an additional 4 extra days at an average cost of \$2676/day
- \$250 Recup daily costs does not include Home Health. Per diem rates are now **\$200/day**

Sources:

*AHA 2010 Annual Survey ** Illumination Foundation Recup / NHF database

CalOptima Reimbursements



\$150/day
Reimbursable
to hospitals
contracted
with
CalOptima

Max
10 days/
referral

n = 330
clients

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JANUARY 2015

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CalOptima Takes Action to Strengthen Orange County Safety Net

Supports programs for clinics and homeless members

CalOptima's Board of Directors took a major step to strengthen Orange County's health care safety net by investing nearly \$1 million in funding for two major initiatives. One initiative supports the development of an enhanced community clinic system in Orange County. The other provides services to homeless CalOptima members, enabling them to recuperate in a safe setting after a hospitalization.

Community clinics are vital to the health care safety net because they care for low-income residents, including CalOptima members. Clinics that earn a Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC) designation, receive higher federal funding, which ensures that clinic operations are more sustainable. CalOptima's action supports eight community clinics that are pursuing FQHC designation and four that are beginning the process. The grants help cover the cost of the technical assistance needed to attain the designation. At this time, Orange County has only 10 FQHCs, and these grants may ultimately help to more than double that level.

Due to the recent expansion of Medi-Cal, CalOptima is serving greater numbers of homeless members who face unique health care challenges, including recovering safely after being hospitalized. These members experience twice as many readmissions and twice as many inpatient days when they are discharged to the street rather than to a recuperative care setting. CalOptima authorized up to \$500,000 for recuperative care services.

'Our Board's actions demonstrate CalOptima's commitment to Orange County and our

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Respite RCPN News

A Newsletter for Members of the Respite Care Providers' Network

Orange County Health System to Offer Recuperative Care for Medicaid Patients

CalOptima, a health system based out of Orange County, California, approved a demonstration program that will help homeless Medi-Cal beneficiaries access recuperative care. According to the Hospital Association of Southern California, the demonstration is expected to support 10-day length-of-stay costs for approximately 330 Medi-Cal patients. Cal-Optima will evaluate the impact of the recuperative care benefit on patient outcomes and hospital readmissions. Financing for the demonstration comes from Intergovernmental Transfer funds.

Register Now for the 2015 Medical Respite Pre-Conference Institute!

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