

Coordinated Assessment System Committee

January 24, 2024

Welcome!

- 1) Priscilla Bates
- 2) Tosheria Brown
- 3) Emily Downing
- 4) David Harris
- 5) Kelsey Mosely
- 6) Michelle Mozingo
- 7) Rebekah Shamberger
- 8) Arlene Smith
- 9) Nicole Wilson
- 10) Erin Yates

Coordinated Access System Committee Governance

Roles & Responsibilities

- Ensuring fair and equitable distribution of services and resources.
- Regularly reviewing and overseeing the prioritization process.
- Ensuring consumers, providers, and key stakeholders are involved with the prioritization process.
- Ensuring homelessness service providers receive ongoing training and learning opportunities.
- Recommend changes/modifications to the CAS Written Standards and the policies and procedures.
- Ensuring feedback loops are created for consumers and homeless system providers. Feedback should be presented to the CoC Governance Board.
- Provide oversight of the CoC's CAS Lead to ensure compliance with HUD reporting, standards, and expectations.

Agenda

- Staggered Membership
- Policies & Procedures
- VI-SPIDAT/Assessment
- Prioritization Process

Staggered Membership

- Discussed at the Board Chair's meeting
- Current membership terms: 1 year
- New: Half of board to serve 2 consecutive 1 year terms
 - Help to onboard new members

Policies & Procedures

- Last approved: January 2018
- Potential draft for our current situation?

- VI-SPIDAT
 - Is it currently used by organizations?
 - Potential other assessment tools?

Policies & Procedures (cont.)

- Current Prioritization Process
 - Homelessness Prevention
 - Priority Category 1: Imminent risk of eviction w/ Documentation
 - Street Outreach
 - Priority Category 1: Matched to TH, RRH, or PSH
 - Emergency Shelter
 - Priority Category 1: Matched to TH, RRH, or PSH
 - Transitional Housing
 - Priority Category 1: People not experiencing chronic homelessness
 - Priority Category 3: highest VI-SPIDAT Score
 - Rapid Rehousing
 - Priority Category 1: same as PSH when not available
 - Priority Category 2: Highest RRH recommended score
 - Priority Category 3: Chronic Homelessness
 - Priority Category 4: Length of time homeless
 - Priority Category 5: Overall Wellness (Domain D)
 - Permanent Supportive Housing
 - Priority Category 1: Highest VI-SPIDAT Score
 - Priority Category 2: Chronic Homelessness
 - Priority Category 3: Length of time homeless
 - Priority Category 4: Wellness (Domain D)

Next Steps:

- Policies & Procedures
 - Ask the CoC membership to look over manual and use the manual, as is
 - Use as is but we are working to update it.
 - We need to get consistency first, then change together
 - Also look for consistencies between the manual and your program
 - Provide comments for better priorities and systems dealing with assessment and prioritization
 - More guidance/communication from Governance Committee since there will be an overhaul/change to Coordinated Entry
- VI-SPIDAT/Assessment & Prioritization
 - Connect with Heather Dilishaw for technical assistance pertaining to a VI-SPIDAT assessment change and pilot program
- Prioritization
 - Connect with Heather Dilishaw for technical assistance pertaining to an updated prioritization process and pilot program

Next Meeting

Wednesday, February 28, 2024

10:00 A.M.