



# GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA INTERAGENCY COUNCIL ON HOMELESSNESS

## YOUTH COMMITTEE

<b>Meeting Details</b>	<b>Date:</b> 21 November 2023	<b>Time:</b> 1 – 2:30 pm	<b>Location:</b> <a href="#">Webex</a>
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### Meeting Notes

#### I. WELCOME AND AGENDA REVIEW

Eileen Rosa (Special Advisor, ICH) opened the meeting and invited Youth Committee members to share in a moment of silence in honor of two individuals who passed away and were known to the youth services community.

Co-chair Sheila Clark (Deputy Administrator for Youth Services, DHS) introduced herself and welcomed the group.

See slides 3 – 6 for the Welcome & Agenda Review. For ease of reference, these were the topics covered:

- Meeting Agenda
- Intro & Call for Announcements
- Adopting Notes & Managing the Listserv and
- Notes on Welcome & Agenda Review

#### II. SYSTEM CHECK-IN

##### A. TCP YOUTH CAHP MATCH UPDATES

Samantha Nolet (CAHP Administrator, TCP) shared updates on Youth CAHP Matching as well as a reminder of the December schedule. Please see slide 9 for information on TCP CAHP Matching Updates.

There were no questions or feedback on this update.

##### B. DHS UPDATES

Sheila Clark (DHS) shared updates on Program Rules. Please see slides 12 – 14 for details.

There were no questions or feedback on this update.

##### C. COMMUNITY PARTNER CONCERNS & UPDATES

Eileen Rosa (ICH) invited community partners and constituents to share concerns, trends, and updates from across the system.

Comments, concerns, and questions from this check-in are captured on slides 18 - 19. Topic areas are summarized here for easy reference:

- Concern about messaging on shelter availability. Report that some service locations are posting inaccurate information and not having up-to-date flyers.
- Question on the best way to flag critical cases for hypothermia outreach.
- Concerns around PSH eligibility and how cases are reviewed in Youth CAHP meetings.

### III. DISCUSSION

There were two (2) items for discussion: Youth CAHP Prioritization 6-Month Review and ICH Governance.

#### D. YOUTH CAHP PRIORITIZATION 6-MONTH REVIEW

Samantha Nolet (CAHP Administrator, TCP) facilitated a review of the Youth CAHP Prioritization and Case Conferencing 6-Month Review, including opportunities for discussion and polling to gauge community feedback. Please see slides 24 – 60 for information on the prioritization and case conferencing topics.

Poll results, comments, concerns, and questions from the discussion are captured on slides 32, 36, 41, and 45 - 47. Topic areas are summarized here for easy reference:

- Recommendation on improvements to the BNL pre-check form, process, and consistency with the I-CAHP system.
- Discussion on BNL pre-check messaging and language to use regarding room and shared locations for client preference.

#### E. ICH GOVERNANCE

Eileen Rosa (ICH) briefly referenced ICH Governance including a status report on the ICH Annual Update. Please see slides 62 – 64 for details.

Due to limited remaining meeting time, there was no discussion or immediate feedback on this topic.

### IV. ANNOUNCEMENTS & REMINDERS

Eileen Rosa (ICH) quickly pointed to the announcements and reminders across the CoC. Please see slides 76-82 for information. Highlights are summarized here for easy reference:

- DBH: DC Stabilization Center
- DHS: Changes to Reimbursement of Stolen EBT Benefits
- End of ISAQ at 801 E (Effective 10/1)
- ERAP Re-opening 10/01
- HCS: RELiEF Program
- HCS: Veteran Flex Fund
- PFFC: 11th Annual Memorial & Vigil

### V. SUMMARY AND ADJOURNMENT

Eileen Rosa (ICH) thanked the committee and adjourned the meeting.

<b>Next Meeting</b>	<b>Date:</b> 23 January 2024	<b>Time:</b> 1 – 2:30 pm	<b>Location:</b> <a href="#">Webex</a>
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**Participant List (42 Participants, 21 Organizations)**

2402\*\*\*\*33 (Concerned Citizen)

Aaron White (CEWG)

Adriana Suriano (Community Connections)

Aisha Greene (Sasha Bruce)

Aldo Hurtado (LAYC)

Ami Angell (The h3 Project)

Annemarie Cuccia (Street Sense)

Bianca Faccio (Sasha Bruce)

Candyce Coates (TCP)

Chelsey Brown (Covenant House)

Cornell Kinard (DHS)

Cristal Flores (SMYAL)

Cybele Yadiberet (Healthy Babies)

Damion McDuffie, Sr. (DHS)

David San Lorenzo (SMYAL)

Debby Shore (Sasha Bruce)

Denzel Pitts (Sasha Bruce)

Eileen Rosa (ICH)

Elisabeth Young (TCP)

Elly Bludworth (SMYAL)

Erin Whelan (SMYAL)

Fernanda Huffman (LAYC)

Gina Rupert (EOM)

Iya Dammons (Baltimore Safe Haven)

Jakia Carroll (CEWG)

Janet Moro (Housing Up)

Jessica Yepez Rufino (LAYC)

Jill Carmichael (ICH)

Kass Greene (DHS)

Lauren Markovich (COH)

Leigh Cordeiro (TCP)

Leslie-AnnByam (DBH)

Michelle Maccado (DHS)

Nicole Broome (CFSA)

Rachel White (DC Kids)

Sabrina Burrell (DHS)

Samantha LeBlanc (TCP)

Sheila Clark (DHS)

Sierra Barnedo (SMYAL)

Tasheen Stallings (OSSE)

Tom Fredericksen (TCP)