

3/14/2024
Meeting Agenda

Welcome and Housekeeping

The Housing & Homeless Coalition welcomes ideas, opinions, and knowledge from a broad spectrum of partners; thus meetings are open to the public and new members are always welcomed. Meetings take place the 2nd Thursday of every month at 1:30 pm. Email ciabatonidina@gmail.com for the meeting information and to provide input and feedback. Meetings are not permitted to be recorded.

Archived Coalition Meeting Minutes are available at <https://www.bchmis.info/>

1. Open Discussion

Chelsy Brogdon (Cornerstone Recovery & Supports) shared that she is the new management director for Cornerstone Recovery & Supports.

Denise DeVittis (Domestic Relations) shared that CareerLink will be hosting a re-entry summit sometime this summer.

Annie Dayich (Veteran's Association Clinic) announced that there have been some changes to the transportation program. Pickup will be at the Rochester clinic for two weeks on Tuesday at 7:30 am and return at 3:30 pm. For months April, May, and June pickups will be Wednesday from 9 am to 1 pm for the Pittsburgh VA hospital. For additional information on transportation please call 724.770.4450.

Nancy Grieco (Red Cross) reported one single family fire with three adults, and one child. The family is in the process of cleaning and fixing the home.

Harry Angelo (ERAP) announced that the ERAP program will end June 30th 2024. He shared that \$350,000 needs spent and they have seen a substantial drop in the need for assistance. He stated that individuals are less responsive and not following up.

CareerLink will be hosting a job fair at Beaver Valley Mall April 4th from 10 am to 2 pm.

2. Agenda

System Performance Measures

Dina Ciabattoni

See attached. Dina reviewed the system performance measures handout.

CoC Awards

Dina Ciabattoni

See attached. Dina announced that CoC award review will be coming up.

Grant Writing Training

Dina Ciabattoni

Dina shared information about the upcoming grant writing training via zoom on May 2nd at 1:30 pm.

Bed Availability
See attached.

Dina Ciabattoni

NEXT MEETING: April 11th at 1:30 pm

SAVE THE DATES & OPPORTUNITIES

5/2/2024 TRAINING: Identifying Potential Funders and Writing Grant Applications for 100% Compliance with the Funder's Guidelines at 1:30 pm. Presented by Dr. Beverly Browning – renowned author and expert on grant writing. This training will take place on Zoom.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88637271311?pwd=UEhuYVF1c2grWIRjK2VsciVMVTN6UT09>

For assistance with SNAP benefits, contact Patricia Ferricks from the Pittsburgh Community Food Bank at: pferricks@pittsburghfoodbank.org, cell: 724.549.8463, or visit at TCBC (600 6th Street Beaver Falls, PA)

Updated Free Meal Schedule and Food Pantries can be found at: www.bchmis.info

Information on NA meetings throughout the county (both in person and online), visit: beavervalleyna.org

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