



Committee To End Youth Homelessness

Thursday, April 18th, from 10:00am – 12:00pm

Meeting held virtually on Google Meet

April 2024 Meeting Minutes

Facilitator: Kayla Every

Agenda & Notetaker: Kayla Every

Attendance: Kayla, Torrie K M , Willie W, Michelle H, Patrick D, Skye Gia G, Kelsey J, Johneisha P, Jill P, Takisha J, Esau W, Shannon S, Latoya S, Jen R, Tara W, Alex M, Angie C, Nate M, TaMaya T, Octavia B, Deja M

Google Meet Host: Kayla Every

- **Priority Ranking Activity :** [Mentimeter](#)

- **Shared Ownership of Objectives and prioritization**

- Ownership shared across all objectives
- A lot of consulted parties on Coordinated Entry!

- Prioritization of interest for objectives

- **Open discussion on needs recently identified across the community.**

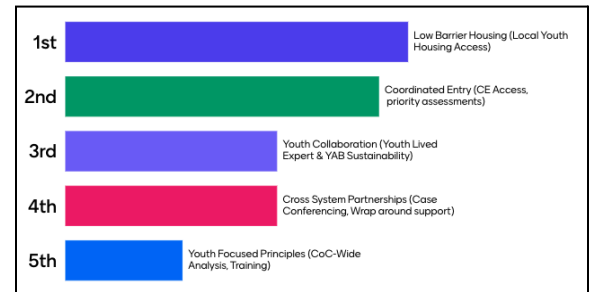
- **Coordinated Entry :**

- Current System needs to focus on young folks experience before coming of age
- Meant to be a system that would assess, prioritize and connect
- Learning more about CE is significant for ways other than tracking participants (YHDP)
- Key component of YHDP as HUD requirement
- (TAY-VI-SPDAT) Youth may not be best suited to go through CE system because they are wanting to work with / feeling most comfortable working with specific person based on trust and relationship built. This speaks to the need to ensure CE process for youth system is trauma informed, and clearly accessible with providers who are able to build relationships and warmly connect referrals.
- HMIS and CE are different, CE can mean a lot of different things, such as prioritization (for available housing resources)
- What is YHDP's relationship to coordinated Entry?
 - YHDP has flexibility to meet more flexible youth HUD standards
 - YHDP envisions using system navigation program as entry point for CE as a way to assess for barriers before placing on a waitlist, especially how they may change once providing initial supports
- General Coordinated Entry process in COC is being reimaged

- Coordinated Entry and Housing go hand in hand

- **Dane County's Current Housing Climate :**


- Lack of Affordable Housing is large barrier - people of all ages being priced out of units
- More success in rural areas outside of Madison than in city
- Housing Lottery - Many people across the community applied, small number of applicants/clients were selected
- 3X the rent, more landlords asking for more than one month of rent as security deposit (impact through covid)
- Move-In funds available at Urban Triage
- City gentrification and housing developments are not equitable or affordable for locals to stay and



sustain families in area

- Greedy and reluctant to rent to young people after experience during pandemic funding, stigmatized experiences
- Bridging the disconnect and destigmatize between young people and landlords/property owners

- **Establish Chair and Co-Chair**

- **CHAIR- Kayla Every**
- **CO-CHAIR- Skye Gia Garcia**
-  ***YHDP MOCHA 2024***

MOCHA stands for:

Manager: Supports and holds owner accountable through delegation. Serves as a resource, shares feedback, asks probing questions, reviews progress, and intervenes if the work is off-track. This person may or may not be the owner's supervisor.


Owner: Has overall responsibility for driving the project forward and coordinating steps to accomplish the goal. Ensures all the work gets done (directly or with helpers) and involves others (consults) in a meaningful way. There should only be one owner.

Consulted: Provides input and perspective. May share resources or referrals.

Helper: Implements aspects of the work and actively contributes to project success. The helper may own a significant area of work with its own MOCHA (we call this a cascading MOCHA).

Approver: Signs off on the final product or key decisions. May be the owner or manager, though it can also be a person or group with a clear decision-making role on the project.

Agenda Follow Ups:

- Kayla -Updating  ***YHDP MOCHA 2024*** from meeting
- Kayla and Skye Gia - setting agenda for next meeting
- CEYH Members - Prep for next meeting : Watch video