



Candidate's Biography

Please provide the following information for the person you are nominating.

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Please check the box(es) next to the committee(s) the nominee is being nominated for:

- The Chicago Alliance's SPC Executive Committee, At-Large Member
- The Chicago Alliance's SPC Executive Committee, Alternate
- The Chicago Alliance's Advocacy Committee
- Chicago Planning Council on Homelessness
- Chicago Planning Council on Homelessness, Alternate

Please briefly describe the nominee's level of participation with the Chicago Alliance to End Homelessness (i.e., Board of Directors, SPC Executive Committees and Constituency Groups), the Chicago Planning Council on Homelessness, and/or other work and experience related to homelessness that makes the nominee qualified to be a representative to the committee(s) checked above.

I have been active in the Alliance since its inception. I am active on the Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH-CG), Council on Latino Homelessness and Homeless Action Committee Constituency groups. I recently completed 2 years of being the co-chair of the Service Providers Commission Executive Committee (SPC-EC), and was first elected to be the PSH-CG representative to the SPC-EC in 2008. I was active on the Plan Advisory Committee and was elected to represent the SPC at the Chicago Planning Council in 2009, where I am still active. Before the CAEH I was a board member of the Partnership to End Homelessness and active with the Chicago Continuum of Care. I am proud to have over 20 years of experience working in the homelessness field and have published 3 journal articles and 2 book chapters about homelessness. I believe that Systems Integration is key to effective and efficient services that are also humane. With the merger of the CAEH and Emergency Fund I feel that a strong voice for providers is needed and I want to be that voice.