



**The Chicago Alliance to End Homelessness
Service Providers Commission
Nomination for Board Directors, At-Large Members, Planning Council Members, and
Alternates**

Please complete the nomination form and submit it via email to Loren Seeger at LSeeger@allchicago.org no later than **5 p.m. on December 18, 2014**.

Reminder: To nominate an individual, an agency must be a member of the Chicago Alliance's Service Provider's Commission. Agencies may submit more than one submission.

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

Name:	Arturo V. Bendixen	Address:	200 west Jackson Blvd, suite 2100, 60606
Race:	Latino White	Phone:	312-334-0957
Gender:	Male	Email:	abendixen@housingforhealth.org

Agency: *Center for Housing and Health*

Area of Expertise:

Population Served by Nominee's Agency: all homeless categories

Region of the City Served by Nominee's Agency: entire city

Please check the box(es) next to the committee(s) for this nomination:

- The Chicago Alliance's Board of Directors
- SPC Executive Commission, At-Large Member
- 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 to End Homelessness (i.e. Board of Directors, SPC Executive Committee, 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 committees checked above.

Between 2001 and 2013, Arturo has served as a member and officer of the Chicago Planning Council on Homelessness for a number of years, and also as a member of the Board of the Chicago Alliance to End Homelessness. He brings to Continuum of Care deliberations a historical perspective and much experience with what has and has not worked to end homelessness in Chicago.



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He has also served on a number of CoC and Alliance committees throughout his 21 years of service in Chicago in the work to end homelessness. Most recently, he help lead the Supportive Services Task Group that established a one-year Strategic Plan to find more resources for service funding in our CoC.

Arturo was a founding member of the Chicago Partnership to End Homelessness in 1997 and Board member and officer for 7 years, from 1999 to 2006. In 2007, the Partnership merged with the Chicago Continuum of Care Office to become the Chicago Alliance to End Homelessness. He was also a founding member of the Chicago Continuum of Care Program Office and member of the Continuum Planning Council and officer for 6 years, from 2000 to 2006. In 2007, the Continuum Board became the Chicago Planning Council on Homelessness. At the Center for Housing and Health, he directs the organization's Homeless Outreach Coordination Program and a number of housing assistance and supportive housing programs, including the "Housing for Health" and "Homeward Bound" programs, and other harm reduction/housing first projects.