

Chicago Continuum of Care (CoC) Orientation

What is a CoC?

The Continuum of Care (CoC) system was established by HUD, beginning in 1994, to allow for comprehensive and collaborative local planning and decision-making regards to housing and homelessness. The CoC is also responsible for administering the process to distribute HUD Homeless Assistance (McKinney Vento) Funds to homeless service agencies throughout Chicago.

Chicago's CoC has a governing body known as the Chicago Planning Council on Homelessness that is made up of a diverse group of representatives, including:

- homeless, or formerly homeless, individuals,
- homeless service providers,
- government representatives, and
- members from the local private funding community.

The governing body is staffed, and the local HUD funding process is administered by the Chicago Alliance to End Homelessness.

What will the orientation cover?

The CoC Orientation will cover the following:

- What is a CoC
- Chicago's CoC and Structures
- HUD McKinney Vento funding process & HEARTH Act
- Homeless Management Information System (HMIS)
- Advocacy
- Chicago's Plan to End Homelessness and development of Plan 2.0

Who should attend?

The CoC Orientation is meant for anyone that falls into the categories listed here:

- Homeless service providers
- Affordable housing developers
- Local government agencies
- Community development organizations
- Churches & faith communities
- Any other agency, business, or individual interested in learning more about the Alliance, homeless issues and funding.

Orientation Details:

When

Friday, January 20th
10am to 11am

Where

Your desk! This orientation is being held via Webinar.

Registration Is Required!

Reserve your webinar seat by completing the registration link [here](#).

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