

NC Balance of State Continuum of Care

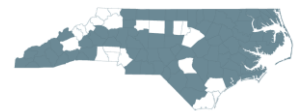
Steering Committee Meeting

February 4, 2014

10:30 AM

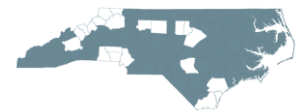
Welcome

- Roll Call
- Reminders
 - *6 to mute/unmute line
 - Please do not put us on hold
 - Hold music is disruptive



Today's Agenda

- 2013 CoC Application Wrap Up
- Data Usage Proposals
- 2013 AHAR Presentation
- PIT Count Wrap Up & Reminders
- Funding for Veterans Programs
- Regional Lead Elections
- Regional Committee Updates
- Upcoming Meetings & Reminders



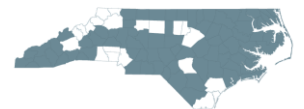
2: Review & Approve Minutes

- January 7 minutes:

<http://www.ncceh.org/files/4085/>

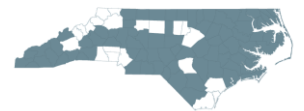
- January 16 minutes:

<http://www.ncceh.org/files/4089/>



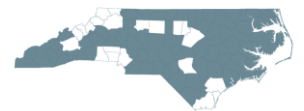
3: 2013 Collaborative App Wrap Up

- NCCEH Submitted January 31st
- \$4,820,155 in funding
- All renewal projects
- 5% cut came from 2 lowest performing transitional housing programs
 - 1 program to reduce families served
 - 1 program to change model
 - Preserved most funding within BoS



3: 2013 Collaborative App Wrap Up

- 27 Permanent Supportive Housing Projects
 - \$3,442,713
- 6 Transitional Housing Project
 - \$858,143
- 1 HMIS Project
 - \$519,299



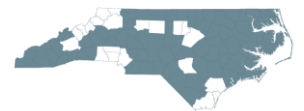
3: 2013 Collaborative App Wrap Up

- Jan PSH Subcommittee Meeting to go over scorecard & threshold issues with grantees
- NCCEH will send scorecards for each grant to applicants
- Call NCCEH for individual TA
- NCCEH will target lowest scoring projects
 - Performance Improvement Plans



3: 2013 Collaborative App Wrap Up

- Strategic Planning Goals
 - Increase progress towards ending chronic homelessness
 - Increase housing stability
 - Increase project participants income
 - Increase the number of participants obtaining mainstream benefits
 - Use rapid re-housing as a method to reduce family homelessness
- ➔ Further discussion & planning at March 4th meeting



4: Data Usage Proposals

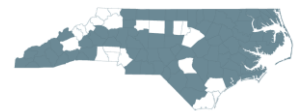
- Grant all existing CHIN license requests
 - Paid for by BoS through June 30, 2014
- Subject to BoS CHIN License Policy (to be revised?)

	Allocated	In Use	Available
End User	200	170	30
Volunteer	21	14	7
ART	88	62	26



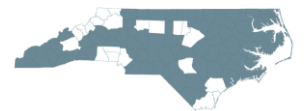
4: Data Usage Proposals, Cont.

- Reserve 9 end user licenses for rolling requests
- Use remaining unused licenses to target agencies
 - Not on HMIS
 - Most year-round, non-DV, non-hotel voucher beds
- No changes to volunteer licenses
- All agencies obtain and use ART license
- Data Usage Workgroup will begin work on 2014-2015 CHIN license plan



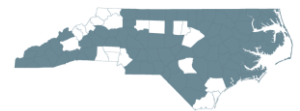
4: Data Usage Proposals, Cont.

- SSVF programs pay for CHIN licenses
 - \$1170/license/year
 - Year ends June 30
- These licenses will not count towards BoS allocation of 200 end user licenses



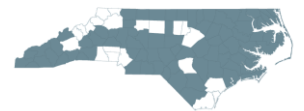
Revise CHIN License Policy

- NC BoS has paid CHIN license fees for all existing CHIN users within Balance of State for July 1 2013 – June 20, 2014. In order to maintain this no-fee license, users must:
 - Log in at least once every 60 days
 - Maintain high data quality
 - Be responsive to outreach from CHIN and/or NCCEH
 - User or other agency representative must regularly participate (80% or better attendance) in his or her local Balance of State Regional Committee meetings
 - Enter all HUD required elements in CHIN

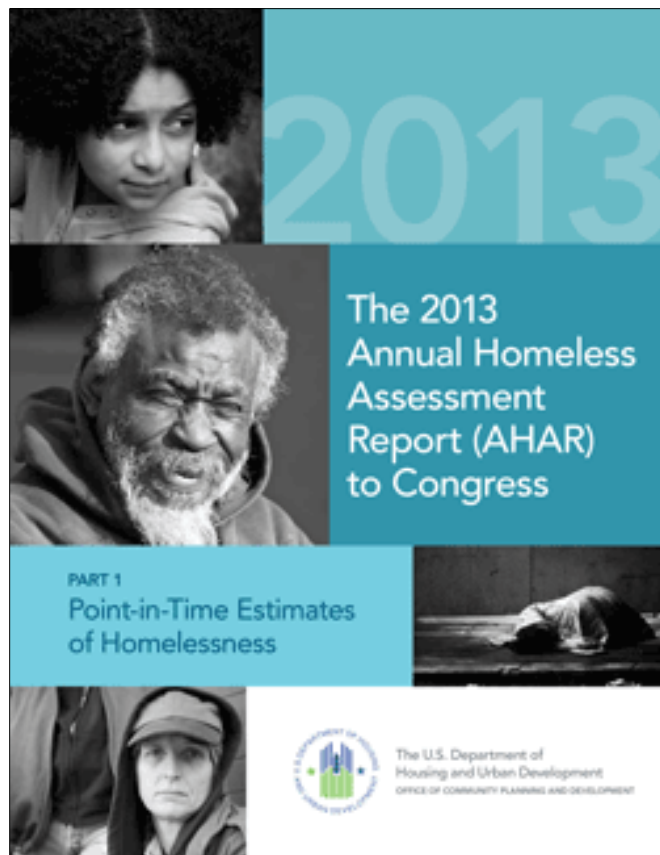


5: 2013 AHAR

- Annual report to U.S. Congress on extent and nature of homelessness in America
- Visualizes progress of federal strategic plan, *Opening Doors*
- Covers the entire USA
 - 420 Continuums of Care



5: 2013 AHAR, Cont.



Point in Time Data



HMIS Data

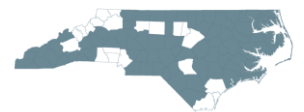


Homelessness in USA



Homelessness in USA, Cont.

State	% of USA Homeless Population
California	22%
New York	13%
Florida	8%
Texas	5%
Massachusetts	3%



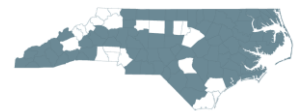
AHAR Comparison Groups

Type	Total	Definition	Example
Major Cities	47	50 largest cities	Raleigh , Los Angeles
Smaller Cities, Counties & Regional	332	Not largest, not BoS or statewide	Forsyth , Honolulu
Balance of States & Statewide CoCs	41	Multiple rural counties or entire state	NC BoS , Mass BoS, Delaware statewide



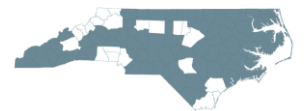
AHAR Key Findings

- **610,042 homeless**
 - 18% Chronically homeless
 - 9% Veterans
 - 14% BoS or statewide CoC
- **MOST** likely to be
 - 25 years or older (67%)
 - In emergency shelter (65%)
 - An individual (64%)
 - In a major city CoC (45%)



AHAR: The Good News

- Declines in homelessness since 2012
 - All homeless (4%)
 - Unsheltered homeless (7%)
 - Homeless individuals (2%)
 - Homeless persons in families (7%)
 - Chronic homelessness among individuals (7%)
 - Homeless veterans (8%)



5: AHAR, Cont.

- *Opening Doors: Federal Strategic Plan to End Homelessness*

Goal	Decline Observed
End chronic homelessness by 2015	16%
Prevent and end homelessness for families, youth, and children by 2020	8%
Prevent and end homelessness for Veterans by 2015	25%
Set a path to ending all types of homelessness	6%



2013 North Carolina PIT Data

	NC Total	NC Rate	National Rate
Total	12,168	---	(610, 042)
Individuals	7,530	63%	64% (387,845)
In families	4,638	38%	36% (222,197)
Chronically homeless	1,842	15%	18% (109,132)
Veterans	1,123	9%	12% (57,849)
Unaccompanied children & youth	876	7%	8% (46,924)



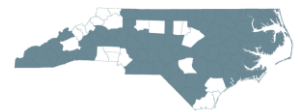
2013 NC BoS PIT Data

	NC BoS Total	NC BoS Rate	National Rate	Rank
Total	3,625	---	(610, 042)	7
Individuals	2,123	58%	64% (387,845)	6
In families	1,502	41%	36% (222,197)	8
Chronically homeless	636	18%	18% (109,132)	5
Veterans	209	6%	12% (57,849)	-
Unaccompanied children & youth	247	7%	8% (46,924)	8



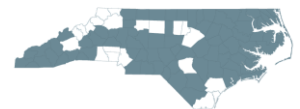
6: PIT Count Wrap Up & Reminders

- How did it go?
 - Please share your local experience
- Jan 29 not ideal weather-wise
 - Agency data – from Jan 29
 - Options for conducting a later street count
 - ALL DATA reflective of person's status on Jan 29
- Update on CHIN PIT report
- Forms due to NCCEH Friday Feb 14



7: Funding for Veterans

- The VA announced SSVF funds
 - \$300 million in FY 2014 & \$300 million in FY 2015
 - Rapid Rehousing model
 - Application due March 14, 2014
 - SSVF NOFA:
[www.va.gov/HOMELESS/docs/SSVF/Notice Funding Availability Under Supportive Services for Veteran Families Program.pdf](http://www.va.gov/HOMELESS/docs/SSVF/Notice_Funding_Availability_Under_Supportive_Services_for_Veteran_Families_Program.pdf)
 - USICH Summary of SSVF NOFA:
usich.gov/population/veterans/veterans_homelessness_in_focus/new-funds-to-end-veteran-homelessness

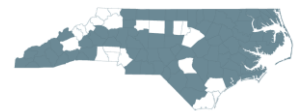


7: Funding for Veterans, Cont.

Priority	Definition	Funding	Renewable	Time Period
1	76 high-need CoCs (not Balance of State)	Up to \$300 million	N	3 years
2	Existing SSVF programs seeking renewals	Up to \$300 million	Y	1 or 3 years
3	Initial SSVF applicants	Remainder of available funding	Y	1 year

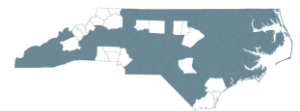
7: Funding for Veterans, Cont.

- Requirements/Restrictions
 - Cannot exceed \$2 million per year
 - Total number of supportive services grants awarded to a grantee cannot exceed 7 nationwide/year
 - Grants to the same applicant cannot have overlapping service areas
- Recommended: letter of support from CoC
 - Contact BoS if you plan to apply



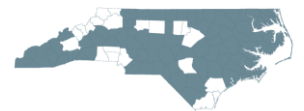
7: Funding for Veterans, Cont.

- Department of Labor Veterans' Employment and Training Service (DOL-VETS) announced funding for local Stand Down events that help homeless veterans
 - \$600,000 available for approximately 70 events
 - \$10,000 per multi-day event (up to 3 days)
 - \$7,000 per one-day event
 - Accepting apps for events Oct 2014 – Sept 2015
 - Submit at least 90 days prior to event
 - Grants awarded first-come, first-served until funding exhausted
 - www.dol.gov/vets/aboutvets/contacts/map.htm



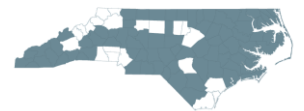
8: Regional Lead Elections

- Required in January
 - Regional Lead
 - Regional Lead alternate
- Elections reflected in minutes
- Conflict of Interest forms on file
 - Fill out at in-person March 4th meeting in Greensboro
- New Regional Leads: schedule phone call with Corey



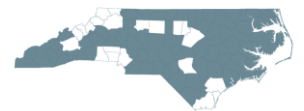
9: Regional Committee Updates

- Other news and updates from your community?



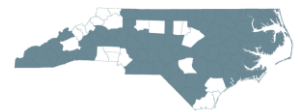
Upcoming Meetings

- PSH Subcommittee Mon Feb 10, 10:30 a.m.
 - Register on NCCEH website:
<http://www.ncceh.org/events/669/>
 - Required for CoC grantees
 - Scorecard review
 - CoC project application point maximization
 - Threshold reviews



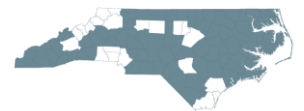
Upcoming Meetings, Cont.

- Next Steering Committee meeting
 - In person for Regional Leads & Regional Lead alternates
 - Greensboro, HUD Building
 - 10:00 am – 4:00 pm
 - Call-in portion for Steering Committee business
 - 10:30 am



Reminders

- All PIT Data: to NCCEH by Feb 14
- CoC Grantees: PSH Subcommittee Jan 10
- Regional Leads & alternates:
 - Mar 4 meeting in Greensboro



Wrap Up

- Keep in touch
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