



# Coordinating Board Meeting

May 6, 2020

2pm - 4pm

Call-in only: via Skype

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By Phone: 206-263-8114; Conference ID: 7962349#

**Theory of Change:** *If we create a homelessness response system that centers customer voice, then we will be able to focus on responding to needs and eliminating inequities, in order to end homelessness for all.*

*The All Home Strategic Plan commits to reducing racial disparities of those experiencing homelessness. Nearly two thirds of people experiencing homelessness are people and families of color. Institutional and systematic racism contributes to the oppression of people of color, creating inequity, poverty and in some cases, homelessness. Success in reducing racial disparities and creating effective systems both for a dignified emergency response and housing, will require bold action and shared accountability. This commitment will include the proactive reinforcement of policies, practices, attitudes and actions to produce equitable power, access, opportunities, treatment, impacts and outcomes for all.*

3:00pm	<b>Welcome and Introductions</b> <i>Result: Members feel welcomed and are ready to work.</i>	Sara
3:05pm	<b>Public Comment</b> <i>Result: Participants from the community provide comment.</i>	Sara
3:15pm	<b>Lived Experience Seats of Governing Committee Proposal</b> <i>Result: Board affirms slate of recommended candidates.</i>	Colleen
4:00pm	<b>Implementation Board Lived Experience Members Seating Process</b> <i>Result: Affirm the process to fill the lived experience seats to the Implementation Board.</i>	Sara
3:55pm	<b>Next Steps + Adjourn</b> <i>Result: Members are clear on next steps and any action needed.</i>	Sara

**Update from last month: CEA temporary policy change in response to the impacts of COVID-19, effective April 29, 2020:**

The CEA PAC approved a temporary change to the external fill policy for **all available resources** (Rapid Rehousing, Transitional Housing, Permanent Supportive Housing and Other Permanent Housing). After one case conferencing, if a resource is not referred to a household, then that resource is immediately available for external fill. Agencies that move to external fills do not need to get formal approval for external fill, but **will still need to complete the HMIS process by emailing [cea@kingcounty.gov](mailto:cea@kingcounty.gov) with the Clarity ID of the household being enrolled.**

During the next 30 days, any external fills can be made at the discretion of the provider, keeping our community's values and priorities in mind:

- Addressing racial inequities
- High vulnerability (VI-SPDAT score)
- Length of time experiencing homeless

At the next CEA PAC on Thursday, May 28, 2020 the PAC will review the impacts of the policy change and determine if an extension is needed (extensions will be supported through the COVID-19 response but will be made on a month-by-month basis)