

WNC HOMELESS COALITION

Regular Meetings -2nd Thursday of the month

March 12th 10:00 am -11:00 am

Referral and Monitoring Meeting/RRH Selection Committee 11:00-12:00 pm

MINUTES

Present:

Auburn Barker	Appalachian Community Services
Courtney Bodini	Appalachian Community Services
Michelle Harmon	Appalachian Community Services
Brandi Jenkins	Appalachian Community Services
Tiffany McSwain	Appalachian Community Services
Cathy Speed	Appalachian Community Services
Misty Stillman	Appalachian Community Services
Jennifer Holling	Cherokee Indian Hospital
Mindy Rathbone	EACH Initiative
Kathleen Burns	The Giving Spoon
Paige Suttle	Haywood Pathways Center
Destri Leger	HERE in Jackson County
Robert Cochran	HERE in Jackson County
Nancy Chastain	Hulburt Johnson Friendship House
Toby Adams	REACH of Cherokee/REACH of Clay
Reba West	REACH of Haywood County
Veronica Murphy	REACH of Macon County
Amanda Garrett	Restoration House
Paul Toney	Restoration House
Stephanie Almeida	Smoky Mountain Harm Reduction
Sarah Lancasgter	VAYA Health
Claudia Mathis	WNCAP

INTRODUCTIONS

STANDING AGENDA ITEMS

- **Introductions/ Attendance**
- **Review & Approval of February Minutes**
 - **Approved**
- **Balance of State Steering Committee Update**
 - **Continuum of Care (COC) competition taking place now. More information can be found at <https://www.nceh.org/bos/currentcocapplication/>**
 - **Scorecard Committee/Funding & Performance Subcommittees do not have representatives from Region 1.**
 - **F&P Subcommittee is the process of creating a dashboard to easily update the committee on trends re: time spent homeless, exits to permanent housing, and returns to homelessness.**

- Vaya has been attending subcommittee and is willing to report back to WNCHC.
- Coordinated Assessment Update
 - Coordinated Entry Evaluation: March 22 - April 4 *rescheduled*
- Rapid Rehousing Update
 - \$22,561 of this year's \$67,000 allotment has been spent.
- Permanent Supportive Housing Update
 - New staff for PSH begins April 6th
- Agency Report Outs
 - Vaya Health will be reducing services including Balsam BHUC closing March 31.

OTHER AGENDA ITEMS

- Coordinated Entry/Housing Referral Training
- Bringing It Home: Ending Homelessness in North Carolina Conference - May 21 & 22, \$100 registration fee with scholarship opportunities. <https://nchousing.org/bringing-it-home-2020/>
CANCELLED
- WNC Homeless Coalition Formalization Exploratory Committee update
 - Next meeting Monday March 30th at 1 PM. Location TBD. *TO BE RESCHEDULED*
 - Video Conference: meet.google.com/qku-kbki-asq
 - Phone Conference: 573-343-8047, PIN 236 420 091#

NEXT RAMM MEETING - March 26th at 11 AM (via telephone only)
Dial in Telephone: 224 475 1422
Pin Number: PIN 630 712 639#

NEXT COALITION MEETING - April 9th at 10 AM