



AZ Balance of State Continuum of Care
Local Continuums/Coalitions to End Homelessness (LCEH), Quarterly Meeting
August 14, 2024, 9:00am-11:00am, Virtual

The focus of this meeting is how LCEHs are ending homelessness in their community. The discussion is focused on system process not individual agency functioning.

Agenda Item	Lead	Minutes	Notes
Welcome and Introduction	Cristina	10	David Bridge-ADOH Cristina Benitez-ADOH Apache/Navajo- Allison Hephner , Tia Evans (CPMSAZ)— Cochise—Terrance Watkins Catholic Community Services of SA Coconino-Camie Rasband (CCCS) and Ross Schaefer (FSS) Gila-Hannah Lynch, Gila County, Charles Proudfoot Graham/Greenlee – Terrance Watkins Catholic Community Services of SA La Paz-Ines Gonzalez, Jessica Martin-Regional Center For Border Health Mohave-Kelly Williams, Cherise Marshall, Jamie Bernier –Mohave County Pinal-Heather Patel- (Pinal County) Cinda Thorne Molina Healthcare, Sheryl Bigelow Santa Cruz— Terrance Watkins Catholic Community Services of SA Yavapai- Camie Rasband- CCCS Yuma-Lucia Wilson, Rebecca Clayton, Mia Armenta –ACHIEVE Other Participants Rita Rodriguez—AZ Department of Education Shannon Haines--Housing Specialist- Connie Howell—Housing Specialist- Randy Hade-Solari
Presentation/Discussion about McKinney Vento Homeless School Liaisons	Rita Rodriguez- Arizona Department of Education-State Homeless Education Coordinator	20	
2024//2025 LCEH Contracts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One contract covers HTF and CoC funds • Reductions in Funding • Priority is maintaining staff • Next steps and submitting budget • Anticipated execution date 	Cristina/David	30	
Coordinated Entry-focus on Survivors of Domestic Violence <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Emergency Transfer Planning 	David/Cristina	15	
CoC Builds NOFO	David/Cristina	15	HUD funds available for acquisition, rehabilitation, construction Must be submitted through ADOH as UFA and Collaborative Applicant for AZBOSCOB Request for Interest Letter—being released by ADOH

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2024 CoC NOFO out • LCEHs will complete RFI to inform narrative questions	Cristina Candee	15	
PIT Count Update	Candee	15	
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<p>Arizona Department of Housing Contact Information 1-Cristina Benitez Continuum of Care Coordinator Cristina.Benitez@azhousing.gov 602-771-1017</p> <p>2-David Bridge Special Needs Program Administrator David.Bridge@azhousing.gov (602) 309-6542</p> <p>3-Keon Montgomery Assistant Deputy Director Keon.montgomery@azhousing.gov 602-771-1209</p> <p>Link to ADOH Bulletin List Serve https://visitor.r20.constantcontact.com/manage/optin?v=001jarSHX2McaSRycGIQd2zdIkxkSWYEQC-MuzYbNlJBZGWeXqaUpUTOPciYTxRW_hl0MACBdDhOjfZuyjAeuNAu300l63kKkqAwNuw9moVyXg10ivkFNkNg-4Zry2dA34qGqhDyXB26kVzRfEQ2MnZlDiLBNYUBlxMCNuqmUWdG-Ujg-KZQavPaZhbSziPBoCdh4zrG9EGas%3D</p> <p>ADOH website: https://housing.az.gov/documents-links/forms/special-needs-continuum Special Needs-Continuum -What you will find are updates regarding NOFO BOS COC Policies/guidelines/initiatives/Governance Charter, BOSCO annual meetings note; Coordinated Entry Committee; Governance Advisory Board agenda's/notes; HMIS committee/</p> <p>Special Needs:</p> <p>System Performance Measure Link https://public.tableau.com/app/profile/hmisaz/viz/BOS-SystemPerformanceMeasures/CountyComparison https://public.tableau.com/app/profile/hmisaz</p>			<p>Resources for Funding and information—many of them have list-serves so you will be updated on information:</p> <p>USICH resource tool for funding for Social and other related Services https://www.usich.gov/tools-for-action/federal-health-and-social-service-programs-that-support-people-experiencing-homelessness/</p> <p>AZ Housing Fund (Different from the Arizona Department of Housing Trust Fund) https://arizonahousingfund.org/</p> <p>National Alliance to End Homelessness https://endhomelessness.org/</p> <p>Funds available through Home-American Rescue Plan Program https://www.hud.gov/program_offices/comm_planning/home-arp</p> <p>All things HUD https://www.hudexchange.info/</p> <p>United States Interagency Council on Homelessness https://endhomelessness.org/ending-homelessness/policy/united-states-interagency-council-homelessness/</p> <p>Housing Assistance Council—focus on rural areas https://ruralhome.org/</p> <p>Local First Arizona –Rural Development https://localfirstaz.com/rural-development</p> <p><u>2024 LCEH Meeting dates * Note may convene additional meetings for NOFO:</u></p> <p><u>2/7/24</u> <u>5/16/24</u> <u>8/14/24</u> <u>11/13/24</u> <u>12/3/24</u></p>