

Continuum of Care Board Meeting

March 16, 2023

11:00 AM - 1:00 PM



Land & Labor Acknowledgement

Multnomah county rests on the stolen lands of the Multnomah, Kathlamet, and Clackamas Bands of Chinook Indian Nation; Tualatin Kalapuya; Molalla; and many others along the Columbia River. This country is built on stolen Indigenous land and built by stolen African people. This land was not stolen and people were not enslaved by ambiguous entities and actors. The land was stolen by, and African peoples were enslaved by White settlers who had government support.

We also want to honor the members of over 400 tribal communities who live in Multnomah County. Many of these People and their cultures still survive and resist despite the intentional and ongoing attempts to destroy them.

Let us please take a moment of silence to acknowledge the history of how we are here in this place and to honor the People.

Credit to: Dr. Aileen Duldulao and Heather Heater, Multnomah County

Community Agreements

1. Account for power dynamics in the room and in the work.
2. Assume best intentions while honoring impact. Acknowledge that intent does not trump impact.
3. Be accountable. Commit to acknowledging and working through harm caused.
4. Be mindful of privilege, historical structures of oppression, and the shared goal to lead with a lens of equity, inclusion, diversity, and anti-racism.
5. Expect and accept non-closure.
6. Honor the diversity in the room and stay open to different perspectives. There may be several different roads that lead to a great outcome.
7. Language matters. Use intentional, direct, non-violent language. Speak your truth responsibly.
8. Make space, take space. Make space for those who are not speaking up as often, take space if you usually don't speak up.
9. Maintain confidentiality. share lessons learned while keeping names and identifiers confidential.
10. Meet folks where they are at. Do not assume knowledge on behalf of others. Be thorough, clear, and transparent in our dialogue.
11. Refrain from stigmatizing language and use people-first language.

Agenda

Time	Agenda Item	Facilitator
10 min	Community Agreements, Land and Labor Acknowledgement	Co-Chairs
10 min	Board vote on Data Quality Plan	Co-Chairs; JOHS Data Manager
1hr 40 min	Homebase "Action Planning" continued	Matt Olsson, Patrick Wigmore

Data Quality Plan

Feedback and Updates

Question:

What key stakeholders and agencies participated in the review?

Answer: A solicitation to all JOHS-funded agencies went out via email on 1/20/23 via our TalkingPoint newsletter. At least one representative from the following agencies volunteered their time to review:

- a) Transition Projects, Self-Enhancement Inc., Our Just Future, NAYA, NARA NW, JOIN, Central City Concern, El Programa Hispano Católico
- b) DQ Plan was reviewed internally by JOHS Leadership, Equity, Program, Data, and Planning & Evaluation teams

Feedback and Updates

Question:

Is it possible for “ongoing training opportunities” to be defined?

Answer: JOHS is in the process of creating a strategic plan around HMIS training, which will include initial end-user training, training around reports and intermediate (non-beginner level) training. Once we have specifics we can add to this DQ Plan and then share back with the CoC for further review on our annual review cycle.

Feedback:

Spell out acronyms listed on page 10 of the DQ plan. Completed!

Action Planning Continued