



Council on Criminal Justice and Behavioral Health (CCJBH)
in partnership with the
California Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD)

***“Addressing the Unique Needs of Individuals in the Intersection of Criminal Justice,
Behavioral Health and Homelessness Workshop”***

Wednesday, September 18, 2019, 1:00 PM – 4:30 PM

Meeting Location: California Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD) Office
2020 W. El Camino Avenue, Room 402
Sacramento, CA 95833

**Teleconference: 1-888-363-4734
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Workshop Agenda

Purpose: Through dialogue with critical system partners in policy and program implementation, identify strategies to increase housing outcomes, and funding resources for justice-involved individuals experiencing behavioral health challenges.

Outcome: Develop recommendations to improve housing outcomes for a CCJBH policy brief on the intersection of criminal justice, homelessness, and behavioral health.

- 1:00 PM Welcome, Introductions, Overview and Purpose
*Cathy Kungu, Sr. Housing Policy Specialist, Homelessness
California Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD)*
*Stephanie Welch, Executive Officer
Council on Criminal Justice and Behavioral Health (CCJBH)*
- 1:30 PM Panel Discussion on the Landscape of Homelessness 101: An Outlook on Serving
the Justice Involved Population with Behavioral Health Needs – Partnerships,
Opportunities and Challenges
Heidi Marston, Chief Program Officer, Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority
Cindy Cavanaugh, Director of Homeless Initiatives, County of Sacramento

- 2:30 PM Discussion with Workshop Attendees Regarding the Following Questions:
1. What actions can the State take to ensure that the collaborations between the criminal justice and the homelessness crisis response system achieve positive housing outcomes?
 2. What best practices should the State support to facilitate the housing of homeless individuals involved in the criminal justice system?
- 3:30 PM Facilitated Discussion Regarding Recommendations to Addressing the Needs of Individuals, Justice Involved with Behavioral Health Needs Experiencing Homelessness or at Risk of Homelessness.
Facilitator: ***Stephanie Welch, Executive Officer, Council on Criminal Justice and Behavioral Health***
- 4:30 PM Adjourn

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