



WORKFORCE SERVICES
HOMELESS SERVICES

HOMELESSNESS CONFERENCE

NOVEMBER 1, 2024 • AGENDA

Sponsors:



Time	Event					
8:00 - 9:00 am	Breakfast and Check-In					
9:00 - 9:30 am	<p align="center">Healing and Hope: The Road to Human Dignity</p> <p align="center">Opening Remarks: Governor Cox and Wayne Niederhauser</p>					
9:30 - 10:30 am	<p align="center">Opportunities for Healing and Hope: Addressing Housing, Homelessness, and Mental Health/Substance Use Disorders</p> <p align="center">First Step House- Shawn McMillen, Huntsman Mental Health Institute- Kevin Curtis, Switchpoint- Carol Hollowell, The Road Home- Michelle Flynn, Volunteers of America- Sue Ativalu Moderator- Wayne Niederhauser</p>					
10:30 -10:45 am	BREAK					
ROOM	Zion	Brighton/Alta	Sundance	Orion	Snowbird	Solitude/Powder Mtn.
Break Out A 10:45 - 11:45 am	Housing Survival: Setting the Stage For Healing (Rocky Cordray)	Lessons Learned Around Non-Congregate Emergency Shelter (Carol Hollowell, Mike Young, Nick Coleman)	Homelessness and Transition Aged Youth (Dani Nives, Jennifer Redd, Kristin Mitchell, Maygan Martinez)	Overcoming Barriers to Accessing Mental Health Services (Brandon Hatch, Jenn Marchant, Robert Wesemann, Shawn McMillen)	Improving Coordinated Entry for Utah State Homelessness Systems; HAST for Utah (Rhema Vaithianathan)	Leadership in LHCs - Why Elected Officials Matter (Amy Anderson, Peggy Green, Scott Philips, Sharon Bolos, Heather Hogue)
11:45 - 1:00 pm	LUNCH AND NETWORKING					



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Break Out B 1:00 - 1:50 pm	Meaningful Partnerships with Law Enforcement (Kellie Koester, Anna Davidson, Lt. Cody Coggle, Mike Young, Kacie Short)	About the Utah Homeless Services Board (Nick Coleman, Wayne Niederhauser)	Transforming a Rural Homeless System through Authentic New Partnerships (Margay Witzdam)	Veteran Homelessness (Jonathan Graff, Kiana Tuckett, Meisha Jensen, Meredith Vernick)	Developing Guidelines for Partnering with Lived Experts in Research: Sharing Learnings from the Salt Lake Valley (Steffine Amodt, Yixiao Burke, Sarah Canham, Natalie Clark, Herbert Elliott, Rob Ferris, Lawrence Horman, Danielle Littman, Maygan Martinez, Jeff Rose)	Data-Driven Storytelling (Dee Norton, Victoria Vuyovich)	
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Break Out C 2:10 - 3:00 pm	About the State of Utah's Office of Homeless Services (Kellie Koester, Joseph Jensen, Peggy Green, Ryan Wilson)	Success Developing Deeply Affordable Housing Projects (Austin Davis, Kirk Moorhead)	Dignity, Compassion and Community, End-of-Life Care for Homeless (Jillian Olmsted)	Homelessness and Aging Populations (Kelly Roemer, Linda Cole)	Family Homelessness (Carol Hollowell, Michelle Flynn, Summer Rohwer, Tessa Nicolaides)	Homelessness and Domestic Violence (Misty Ann, Deja Lucio, Holly Johnson, Shirlee Draper)	
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Structured Networking 3:15 - 4:30 pm	Street Outreach (Tyeson Rogers)	Emergency Shelter (Chloe Cox, Marissa Beckstrom)	Housing (Carmen Martinez, Ryan Wilson)	Healthcare (Gabriel Roca, Shaylee Tulane)	Data Outreach (Joseph Jensen, Libby Hughes)	Behavioral Health Treatment (Jenn Marchant, Lily Ward)	LHC Leadership (Lainee Meyers, Kena Mathews, Margay Witzdam)