



It is the mission of One Roof to equip and empower our community to prevent and end homelessness through advocacy, education and coordination of services.

MINUTES Membership Meeting October 6, 2022
Zoom / Virtual Meeting – Recording will be published instead of minutes
[Meeting Link](#)

I. Welcome and Roundtable Introductions

- List of attendees will be generated from Zoom in lieu of a sign-in sheet.
- Brief introductions were made

II. Special Presentations: DV Awareness Month

- YWCA Central Alabama, DeShunn Wilkerson & Cleo Callahan
- DeShunn provided a presentation on the programs offered at the YWCA Central Alabama for folks experiencing domestic violence. [LINK TO PRESENTATION](#)
- Q&A
 1. [Upcoming events](#) at the YWCA Central Alabama
 2. Question about Emergency Transfer Plan: YW can help to advocate for DV clients who need to utilize the transfer plan. HUD does have some forms developed for CoC/ESG agencies to use in their policies and procedures.
 3. DV crosses all walks of life; the crisis line takes calls from victims regardless of sex or gender.

III. Continuum Business

- Updates on HUD NOFOs
 - Regular annual NOFO was submitted.
 - Unsheltered NOFO due October 20, 2022
 1. One Stop Day Center
 2. Safe Sleeping Area
 3. Peer Street Outreach
 4. Medical Respite Program
 5. Mental Health Crisis Team (no applications received for this project)
- Coordinated Entry Updates – Jennifer Harrell
 - Recap from CE Evaluation Committee
 - RRH Roundtable Discussions (series of meetings)
 1. Overview of CE and demonstration of how RRH clients are selected for referral

- 2. Discussed a change in priorities to target RRH interventions
- NEW Resource: monthly newsletter specifically for Case Managers
 - Will feature best practices in case management, new HUD resources, and other content specifically for case managers.
- [Southern Conference on Housing and Homelessness](#) – October 26-28, Sandestin, Florida
 - Early bird registration is now open

IV. New Business

- General UPDATES from Agencies
 - Volunteer Lawyers Program will host its first ever expungement clinic.
 1. If you know a low-income resident of Jefferson County who's been held back from better employment, housing, and other benefits due to misdemeanors, traffic violations, or non-violent felony offenses on their record, we may be able to help at our expungement clinic Nov. 4.
 2. Participants should register no later than Oct. 21 by calling 205.564.6080 between the hours of 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays. Spread the word!
 - Priority Veteran: new outreach team member Kamilla.
 - Jefferson County: currently in Open Season for ESG and CDBG grants. Next meeting is 6pm via Zoom on October 20, 2022. If your organization plans to apply, you must attend this meeting.
 - Hope Inspired Ministries will begin their next employment readiness program next week. Participants can call 205-202-6305 to register.
 - Community Action Agency of Northeast Alabama. Just secured office space with Hope Inspired Ministries in Birmingham. Utility Assistance is available through their Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP). Appointments can be schedule don their website. <https://www.caaneal.org/liheap>
- Next Membership Meeting – November 3, 2022, TOPIC: TBD. Location will be virtual.
- For up-to-date information from partner agencies, please visit the One Roof website at oneroofonline.org
- Coordinated Entry screenings/assessments are completed between 9AM - 4PM Monday through Friday.
- If you experience any PromisSE / HMIS related issues, please email the PromisSE team at HMIS@oneroofonline.org for assistance.
- **Please let One Roof know what's going on in your agency! Send info, flyers, announcements to info@oneroofonline.org to be included in One Roof's weekly newsletter. Remember, One Roof will not send out information for a fundraiser event benefiting a nonmember agency.**

V. Links to Resources

- CDC: [Considerations for Reducing Monkeypox Transmission in Congregate Living Settings](#)
- **NEW** Resource for ESG Funded Program Staff
 - [Click here](#) for more information on the new onboarding toolkit developed by HUD specifically for ESG-funded program staff.
 - Also, [click here](#) to check out HUD's Virtual Binder for ESG eligible activities