



LOS ANGELES COUNTY
COMMISSION ON HIV



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Consumer Caucus

Special Virtual Meeting

If you are a person living with or at risk of HIV, we invite you to be a part of a unified effort to help improve HIV prevention & care service delivery in Los Angeles County

"Improving Housing Opportunities for People Living with HIV (PLWH)"

**Thursday, July 14, 2022
3:00-5:00pm (PST)**

Agenda and meeting materials will be posted on
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CONSUMER CAUCUS (CC) SPECIAL VIRTUAL MEETING AGENDA

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THURSDAY, JULY 14, 2022
3:00 PM – 5:00 PM

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- I. WELCOME, INTRODUCTIONS & COH MEETING DEBRIEF 3:00PM – 3:10PM
(Alasdair Burton, Ish Herrera, and Damone Thomas, Co-Chairs)
- II. “SETTING THE STAGE” (Cheryl Barrit, MPIA, Executive Director) 3:10PM – 3:15PM
 - Background & Context
 - Meeting Objectives:
 - Gain a better understanding of the Housing Opportunities for People Living with AIDS (HOPWA) Program and how it coordinates with other housing and supportive service programs,
 - participants will contribute at least 3 constructive ideas on improving housing-related services for PLWH
 - Code of Conduct
- III. HOPWA Program (Jesus “Chuy” Orozco, HOPWA Program Coordinator) 3:15PM – 4:00PM
 - HOPWA Program Overview
 - HOPWA Program vs. Ryan White Program (RWP)
 - Accessing & Navigating the HOPWA Program
- IV. DISCUSSION: Opportunity for clients/consumers to share 4:00PM – 4:45PM
constructive feedback. Comments limited to 2 minutes per person
to allow for participation from all attendees.

V. NEXT STEPS

4:45PM – 4:55PM

VI. PUBLIC COMMENT/ANNOUNCEMENTS

4:55PM – 5:00PM

VII. ADJOURNMENT

5:00PM



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CODE OF CONDUCT

We welcome commissioners, guests, and the public into a space where people of all opinions and backgrounds are able to contribute. We create a safe environment that celebrates differences while striving for consensus and is characterized by consistent, professional, and respectful behavior. Our common enemies are HIV and STDs. We strive to be introspective and understand and clarify our assumptions, while appreciating the complex intersectionality of the lives we live. We challenge ourselves to be self-reflective and committed to an ongoing understanding. As a result, the Commission has adopted and is consistently committed to implementing the following guidelines for Commission, committee, and associated meetings.

All participants and stakeholders should adhere to the following:

- 1) We strive for consensus and compassion in all our interactions.**
- 2) We respect others' time by starting and ending meetings on time, being punctual, and staying present.**
- 3) We listen, don't repeat what has already been stated, avoid interrupting others, and allow others to be heard.**
- 4) We encourage all to bring forth ideas for discussion, community planning, and consensus.**
- 5) We focus on the issue, not the person raising the issue.**
- 6) We give and accept respectful and constructive feedback.**
- 7) We keep all issues on the table (no "hidden agendas"), avoid monopolizing discussions and minimize side conversations.**
- 8) We have no place in our deliberations for homophobic, racist, sexist, and other discriminatory statements and "-isms" (including misogyny, transphobia, ableism, and ageism).**
- 9) We give ourselves permission to learn from our mistakes.**

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