



2020 PRIORITIES

Anchored Home 2020 Priorities: Proposed Summary

Priority 1: *Improve community health, safety and emergency systems*

1. Increase Day Shelter options
 - a. Identify and begin operations of a Pilot Day Shelter by **08/01/2020**
2. Increase Overnight Shelter (year-round overflow capacity)
 - a. Identify 150 overflow beds year-round by **04/30/2020**
3. Collaborate with the Municipality of Anchorage (MOA) to report upon unsanctioned camps and efficacy on abatement processes to ACEH and the public
4. Partner with the Anchorage Assembly and MOA to establish communication channels with the general public through Community Councils by **01/01/2020**

Priority 2: *Increase quantity, quality and efficacy of Housing and Supports services*

1. House **60** individuals experiencing homelessness in Supportive Housing by **12/31/2020** (Using the By-Name List data through Built for Zero efforts to track the number of individuals housed monthly)
2. House **350** individuals experiencing homelessness in Rapid Re-housing by **12/31/2020** (Using the By-Name List data through Built for Zero efforts to track the number of individuals housed monthly)
3. Finalize the Alaska Homeless Management Information System (AKHMIS) Strategic Plan by **02/28/2020**; begin implementation in collaboration with the Alaska Coalition on Housing and Homelessness (AKCH2)
4. Continue efforts and enhancements for Coordinated Entry utilizing *Phase 2* of Built for Zero
 - a. Maintain the Quality By-Name List throughout **2020**
 - b. Achieve Quality Case Conferencing (for Coordinated Entry) for all sub-populations by **06/30/2020**
 - c. Identify Navigation pilots by **5/30/2020**
 - d. Implement Navigation pilots by **9/30/2020**
 - e. Implement Scan Cards Pilot for Shelter Entry by **1/30/2020**
 - f. Implement Coordinated Shelter Intake Pilot by **9/01/2020**
5. Complete the Continuum of Care (CoC) Annual Gap Analysis to identify Anchorage Priorities by **03/31/2020**
6. Identify 2021 community CoC Priorities by **05/31/2020**; sharing the priorities with funders and policy makers
7. Implement new governance structure for ACEH: Homeless Resource System Advisory Council and ACEH Board of Directors by **02/29/2020**
8. Establish Community of Practice (CoP) Committees around Outreach, Shelters and Supportive Housing programs by **01/31/2020**
9. Develop community-wide policies and written standards for programs within the Homeless Response System by **10/01/2020**

Priority 3: *Assess and improve local capacity to prevent and divert individuals from homelessness*

1. Implement a Prevention & Diversion Community of Practice (CoP) with Prevention & Diversion providers focusing on Employment & Education Services by **01/31/2020**
2. Identify a Prevention & Diversion Pilot and initiate efforts with funders to align with CoC priorities and CoP efforts to begin implementation by **03/31/2020**

Anchored Home 2020 Priorities Methodology

2020 Priorities were shaped with the following criteria:

- Address actions identified within the Anchored Home Community Plan
- Prioritize work based upon national best practices, particularly inclusive of solutions and interventions that have the supports of those with lived experience
- Address Anchorage Homeless Response System priorities and needs as determined by the CoC, reflective of organizational, community, provider, and partner interests, needs, and presently funded investments inclusive of the city of Anchorage, the Anchorage Homelessness Leadership Council, the Homeless Resource Advisory Council, and other engaged stakeholder group