

Kitsap Continuum of Care Coalition

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CoCC Committee and Workgroup Meeting Schedule:

- 📅 May 6 - **Executive Committee** - Kitsap Community Resources, 1201 Park Avenue, Bremerton, 8:00 am To 10:00 am
- 📅 April 15 - **Continuum of Care Coalition** - Agape Unlimited, 4841 Auto Center Way, Suite 1, Bremerton, 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm
- 📅 April 28 - **Outside Homeless Committee** - Norm Dicks Government Center ~ WSU Conference Room, 350 - 6th Street, 4th Floor, Bremerton, 10:30 am to 12:00 pm

- 📅 At the CoCC meeting next Wednesday, there will be an important discussion regarding HSC funding for 2016 and beyond. In addition, Kody Russell, ACES and Resiliency Project Director, will be presenting information on ACES (Adverse Childhood Experiences) and the Intergenerational Poverty Initiative, as a follow up to last month's presentation by Katie Eilers on ACES.
- 📅 Next Thursday! **Help Kitsap County and the City of Bremerton Block Grant Programs** develop a smart and effective 2016-2020 Consolidated Plan. Give input into the 2015 Update to the Kitsap Homeless Housing Plan. Please plan to attend the Community Conversation, **Thursday, April 16th**, from 4:00 - 6:00 p.m., in the 1st Floor Meeting Chambers at the Norm Dicks Government Center, 345 6th Street, Bremerton.
- 📅 The Public Comment Period for the Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) and the Policy Plans for the Kitsap Coordinated Grant Application Process is open through April 30, 2015. These documents and additional information is available on the Kitsap County Coordinated Grant Application website:
http://www.kitsapgov.com/hs/block_grant_program/Application_Cycle.htm Written public comment may be submitted to: Block Grant/Housing and Homelessness Programs, 345 - 6th Street, Suite 400, Bremerton btufts@co.kitsap.wa.us, kjewell@co.kitsap.wa.us
- 📅 The Washington Low Income Housing Alliance is pleased to announce that registration for the 25th Annual Conference on Ending Homelessness is now open. **Early bird**

Registration ends on April 20th! This year's conference will take place on May 13 and 14, 2015 in Tacoma, WA, and it will bring together over 600 people from across the state who are working to end homelessness. With nearly 50 workshops and numerous networking opportunities, this is an event you won't want to miss!

-  Helpline House has a **Social Worker** position available. Job description and Job Announcement are on the [KcoCC website](#). Closing date is next Monday, April 13.
-  Celebration of Philanthropy will be held on May 15, 2015. For information and reservations ~ [Celebration of Philanthropy](#)
-  Kitsap Mental Health has an **Adult Mental Health First Aid** training coming up at the end of April. See the flyers on the [KCoCC](#) website for information on both trainings.
-  The next FREE Financial Education class is **"Collections and Debt Repayment"**. Flyer is on the [KcoCC website](#). Upcoming trainings in April are: **"Making Your Financial Goals a Reality"** presented by Peninsula Credit Union on April 15, 2015 at North Kitsap Fishline, 787 NW Liberty Lane, Poulsbo and **"Psychology of Spending"** presented by Kitsap Credit Union, on April 23, 2015 at Kitsap Community Resources, 845 - 8th Street, Bremerton. The class schedule for March through December is attached and will be on the [KCoCC website](#).
-  The State of Homelessness 2015 has been released and can be viewed here: ["The State of Homelessness in America 2015"](#) report from the Alliance's [Homelessness Research Institute](#).
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