

Kitsap Continuum of Care Coalition Thursday Journal

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CoCC Committee and Workgroup Meeting Schedule:

- 📅 March 4 - **Executive Committee** - Kitsap Community Resources, 1201 Park Avenue, Bremerton, 10:00 am To 11:30 am
- 📅 March 18 - **Continuum of Care Coalition** - Agape Unlimited, 4841 Auto Center Way, Suite 1, Bremerton, 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm
- 📅 March 24 - **Outside Homeless Committee** - Norm Dicks Government Center ~ WSU Conference Room, 350 - 6th Street, 4th Floor, Bremerton, 10:30 am to 12:00 pm (location is tentative)
- 📅 TBD - **Case Management Work Group** - Agape Unlimited, 4841 Auto Center Way, Suite 1, Bremerton, 1:00 pm to 2:30 pm (Meeting won't be until after the first of the year)

- 📅 The 2016 Funding Priorities meeting date will be Wednesday, March 4, 2015, from 1pm - 3pm, at the WSU Conference Room, 4th Floor, Norm Dicks Government Center. See attached for more information.
- 📅 Bremerton Housing Authority is opening their Section 8, Housing Choice Voucher wait list, for a limited time. Post the attached flyer with information.
- 📅 The DSHS Mobile CSO is coming to two locations in our area: Chimacum and Kingston. Flyers for both locations are attached in both English and Spanish.
- 📅 The CDBG staff are working on the update of the 2016-2020 Consolidated Plan for CDBG & HOME funds. As part of the outreach, they are conducting a survey. **Help our community be the best it can be!** Tell us what you think: how can we make Bremerton and Kitsap County a great place to live, work, and thrive? We are now gathering community input for the 2016-2020 5-Year Consolidated Plan. Learn more [here](#), or complete the [Community Needs Survey](#)

- 📦 At the February meeting, we heard about an event coming to Kitsap in August, "Convoy of Hope" outreach. Here is the link for Convoy of Hope's Vision casting meeting. All are encouraged to sign up and attend this meeting. This is one of the first steps to having a great event in August. <http://covoyofhopevisionnight.eventbrite.com>
- 📦 This link provides information about "The Week in Housing Advocacy". [The Week in Housing Advocacy - Week 6 | Washington Low Income Housing Alliance](#)
- 📦 The next FREE Financial Education class will be, "Saving for Retirement on a Budget" at KCR, 845 - 8th Street, Bremerton from 5:30 pm to 7:00 pm. Next week, will be "Psychology of Spending" at South Kitsap KCR. See flyer for additional information and post.
- 📦 Youth Mental Health First Aid Training will be held in March at Kitsap Mental Health Services. See attached flyer for information.
- 📦 Information for the 2015 Kitsap Great Give can be found on the [Kitsap CoCC](#) website or [Kitsap Great Give](#) site.
- 📦 Kitsap Rescue Mission's 6th Annual Dinner of Hope is May 2nd. See attached flyer for more information.
- 📦 Kitsap County Public Health District is providing information about vaccinations. Vaccinations are available in Kitsap County at the following locations:
 - Kitsap Public Health District provides vaccinations at low or no cost for all ages. Call (360) 337-5235 to make an appointment.
 - Pharmacies throughout the county offer vaccinations and accept insurance, including Apple Health. Call your local pharmacy for more information.
 - Healthcare providers offer vaccines for children at no cost. An administration fee may be charged. Providers will accept insurance including Apple Health
- 📦 Flyer with information about the free AARP tax preparation sites and times is attached.