



Directory of HRSA Health Care for the Homeless Grantees

HCH Directory - Washington

Community Health Association of Spokane

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UDS Number: 102570

Project Description

Community Health Association of Spokane (CHAS) provides personalized, patient-centered care to homeless individuals through an integrated health care delivery model.

Services

CHAS provides primary medical, dental, nutrition, behavioral health and pharmacy services at five clinic locations in Spokane County. Services include women's health care, prenatal and obstetrics, maternity support services, health nutrition/education, well child check-ups and immunizations, chronic illness management, HIV/AIDS, outreach, case management, eligibility assistance, transportation, translation, and referrals to community resources as needed.

Linkages

The project maintains linkages with specialty physicians, hospitals, community mental health/substance abuse programs, homeless shelters, social service providers, transitional housing units, employment services, agencies in the private sector, universities, schools, and churches. CHAS is a founding member of the Spokane Homeless Coalition and participating agency in developing Spokane's Ten Year Plan to End Homelessness.

Statistics

Estimated homeless population: 8,500 Patients served: 5,721

Community Health Center of Snohomish County

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Community Health Center of Snohomish County provides medical, dental, behavioral health, and pharmacy services for individuals and families experiencing homelessness.

Services

Medical, dental and pharmacy services are provided at clinic locations in the cities of Everett and Lynnwood. Behavioral health specialists are on-site to provide case management and behavioral health services. A medical provider conducts outreach clinics at shelters and facilities in Everett where individuals experiencing homelessness receive housing and support services.

Linkages

Clinical referrals are made for inpatient hospital care, specialty services, diagnostic services and radiology. Referrals for mental health services beyond the scope of on-site mental health professionals are made to Compass Health. Substance abuse referrals are made to Catholic Community Services, Evergreen Manor and Sea Mar Community Health Center.

Statistics

Estimated homeless population: 5,000 Patients served: 1,201

Metropolitan Development Council

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The Metropolitan Development Council (MDC), a nonprofit community action agency, provides family

practice health services throughout Tacoma/Pierce County.

Services

Primary care, dental, and mental health services are provided in the Healthcare for the Homeless Clinic and at various sites throughout Pierce County. An all-female staff provides a weekly primary care clinic for victims of domestic violence.

Linkages

MDC has a long history of cooperative planning with other social service agencies that include regional and state Coalitions for the Homeless, Pierce County Continuum of Care, Tacoma Pierce County Health Department, public/private schools and universities, community mental health and primary care clinics, and veterans's organizations. MDC is one of the lead agencies in the development and implementation of Pierce County's Ten Year Plan to End Homelessness and a lead agency in Project Homeless Connect.

Statistics

Estimated homeless population: 7,500 Patients served: 2,511

Subcontractor(s):

SeaMar Community Health Center

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253/593-2144

Greater Lakes Mental Health Center

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Project Description

The Health Care for the Homeless Network (HCHN) is a community project of Public Health - Seattle and King County. Through a combination of direct and subcontracted services, individuals who are homeless can access care at shelters and other homeless programs, community health centers, and public health clinics.

Services

HCHN subcontracts with community based agencies to operate multi-disciplinary, interagency teams organized by geographic sub regions of King County. Services are provided at more than 40 sites, including shelters, day centers, transitional housing, a sobering support center, and community health centers. Services include street outreach, primary care, dental care, nursing care, mental health and substance abuse services, case management, linkages to housing, eligibility assistance, a 22-bed medical respite program, and referrals. HCHN provides technical consultation and training for shelter staff on health and safety issues. Services for people who are homeless are also available at 10 public health clinic sites.

Linkages

Linkages are with numerous health, human services, and government entities, including community health centers, Harborview Medical Center, and King County mental health and substance abuse service system. HCHN is a member of State and local homeless coalitions, a regional Committee to End Homelessness, and Washington State Association of Community and Migrant Health Centers. HCHN collaborates with public health programs, including primary care and dental clinics, TB clinic, HIV/AIDS program, WIC, and family planning agencies.

Statistics

Estimated homeless population: 25,000 Patients served: 22,300

Subcontractor(s):

County Country Doctor Community Clinic

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Seattle, WA 98112
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Evergreen Treatment Services

1700 Airport Way South
Seattle, WA 98134-1618
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Harborview Medical Center

Pioneer Square Clinic

206 Third Avenue South
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Neighborcare Centers:

45th Street Clinic

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Neighborcare:

Pike Market Medical Clinic

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Odessa Brown Children's Clinic

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Seattle Indian Health Board

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University of Washington Division of Adolescent Medicine

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Project Description

Sea Mar Community Health Center serves individuals experiencing homelessness in Skagit, Island, and Whatcom counties. Sea Mar provides direct care as well as services subcontracted through other community health centers.

Services

Sea Mar's HCH program operates within its clinic facilities and through a subcontracted primary care provider. All sites perform outreach to shelters, missions, outdoor congregate sites, labor camps, treatment centers, churches, and other service agencies. All Sea Mar sites provide primary care services, preventive health services, well-child care, family planning services, urgent care services, eligibility/entitlement assistance, prescription financial assistance, transportation, translation, and basic needs assistance. The Skagit and Whatcom county clinics also provide preventive dental services. Sea Mar also provides mental health and substance abuse services, including outreach, case management, counseling (group and individual), and admissions to hospitals and treatment facilities.

Linkages

Sea Mar makes referrals for inpatient care, specialty services, most diagnostic laboratory and radiology services, most pharmaceutical services, housing, and vocational education training. Referrals for substance abuse services are made to Skagit Valley Hospital, North Sound Evaluation and Treatment Center, Pioneer Center North, Sea Mar Community Health Center's Inpatient Treatment Centers, and St. Joseph Hospital. Sea Mar also makes referrals to community service agencies, food banks, and churches for financial aid, legal assistance, social services, shelter, and basic needs assistance. Referral agencies include Community Action, Opportunity Council, NW Justice Project, Allianza Pro Migrante, Salvation Army, Red Cross, Friendship House Shelter, Lighthouse Mission, Agape Mission, Women Care Shelter, Skagit Domestic Violence and Assault Services Shelter, LOVE In The Name of Christ (LOVE Inc.), Neighbors in Need, Bellingham Food Bank, Helping Hands, Viewcrest Assembly of God, Community Covenant, Immaculate Conception, and St. Charles Church. Sea Mar also does outreach at the Light House, Agape Mission, and Women Care Shelter.

Statistics

Estimated homeless population: 12,000 Patients served: 6,307

Subcontractor(s):

Interfaith CHC

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UDS Number: 101340

Project Description

Yakima Neighborhood Health Services (YNHS), established in 1975, provides comprehensive medical, dental, and public health to thousands of disadvantaged residents each year. In 2004, YNHS helped form the Homeless Network of Yakima County to better address the needs of individuals experiencing homelessness.

Services

YNHS provides primary medical and dental care at its main clinic in downtown Yakima and at Neighborhood Health-Neighborhood Connections, a satellite clinic. Services are provided by bilingual health professionals and support staff. Pharmacy services are available through the main clinic. Access specialists help patients apply for SSI, food stamps, WIC, Medicaid, Medicare Savings, Basic Health (WA State Subsidized Insurance), and State Children's Health Insurance Program (SCHIP). Pharmacy staff deliver medications and supplies to the homeless clinic and shelters as needed. An HCH outreach worker serves as a "human recall system" to find patients needing follow-up appointments. A public health nurse rotates through a local community shelter and public housing unit. Public health services are provided through street outreach in coordination with the local Projects for Assistance in Transition from Homelessness (PATH) program.

Linkages

The Homeless Network of Yakima County advocates to improve quality of life, increase public awareness, impact public policy, and prevent and end homelessness. To that end, YNHS's linkages include City of Yakima Neighborhood Development, Community Volunteers, Consumer Credit Counseling, Diocese of Yakima Housing Services, Region 2 Child & Family Services and Juvenile Rehab Services, Enterprise for Progress in the Community, For a Better Tomorrow, Next Step Housing, Northwest Justice Project, Office of Rural and Farm Worker Housing, St. Vincent de Paul, Washington State-Corrections, Salvation Army, Union Gospel Mission, United Way, Yakima Association of Churches, Yakima County Coalition for the Homeless, Yakima County Community Services, Yakima Family YMCA, Yakima Housing Authority, Yakima Health District, Yakima Interfaith Coalition/La Casa Hogar, and YWCA.

Statistics

Estimated homeless population: 5,300 Patients served: 2,200

Subcontractor(s):

Central Washington Comprehensive Mental Health

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Triumph Treatment Services

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