

HIV & AGING WORK GROUP

To Develop Policy and Recommendations on HIV & Aging to LTCCC

August 8, 2016 Meeting Notes

Present: Vince Crisostomo (Co-Chair), Chip Supanich (Co-Chair), Scott Haitzuka, Bill Hirsch, Tez Anderson, Kevin Hutchcroft, Dennis Reilly, Billy Allen, Joe Ramirez-Forcier, Mick Robertson, Rebecca Erenrich, Hanna Tessema, Harry Breaux, Tanesh Nutall, Billie Corpe, Jesus Guillen, Patty, Liz Rick Appleby (DAAS Staff)

Welcome and Introductions

Dignity Fund Update

Outreach Training: August 9, 11:30am

Coalition Meeting: August 10, 2:30pm, ILRC

Budget Review:

Bill Hirsch repeated budget update from last meeting:

- \$1 million for eviction defense and tenant education (\$380,000)
- \$3 million for housing subsidies (Mayor/Board) Also \$500,000 subsidies for people losing disability benefits(Wiener)
- \$350,000 Housing modification grants for renters and homeowners
- \$1.65 million housing support project
- \$3 million for food security
- Several million for homeless emergency
- \$500,000 for SRO Elevator fund (per Victoria, need outreach)
- Monies for HIV/AIDS including \$90,000 for HIV & Aging

Discussion of direct and administrative costs: depends on type of service and the requisite staffing needs. Also will have Noah Lopez, Project Openhand, present at the next meeting.

LTCCC Retreat (see handout)

Annual Long term Care Coordinating Council retreat held July 14. Hand out is summary. Page 3 begins HIV and Aging issues and goals:

Vision: More broadly integrate older people with HIV into existing services

Membership: need more representation from long term service network

Policy need: Report to Council regularly

Short term: Services coordinated, more psychosocial support, increased prevention activities.

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Long term goals: Transgender services, housing, regional plan, education on sexual health, needs assessment, enhanced cultural competency.

- Additional discussion: need focus on immigration and immigrant issues.

ROAH 2

Hanna, Rebecca and Liz (by phone) described status of ROAH 2 project. There is \$75,000 from DAAS held by Meals on Wheels. To be completed by end of November. Liz is completing IRB application then recruiting can begin. 6 focus groups (8 to 12 people) to inform survey questions. Another 200 surveys. Received \$100,000 from Gilead to do similar effort in Alameda County. All total will be 500 surveys from Bay Area. Purpose: guide policy, inform service provision and education, and support longitudinal study of health and social outcomes.

Liz/ACRIA asks group which communities should be targeted for focus groups. Group response: Transgender women, Long term Survivors, API, heterosexual women, Ward 86 vs. non Ward 86. Include Liz in subcommittee meeting

- **Presentation: Positive Resource Center Employment Services**

Joseph Ramierez-Forcier, Billy Allen and Dennis Reilly presented on the Bay area PRC's mission, employment services program, strategies and population. PowerPoint highlight program details including services, on the job training, cash income strategies. See PowerPoint, demographics handout, and client story handout.

Next Meeting: Monday, Sept. 12, 2016, 2 - 3:30pm, Golden Gate, 5th Flr, 1650 Mission St.

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