



**Welcome to YHDP
in Santa Clara
County**

Meeting Agenda

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01

Introductions

Take some time to say
hello to your neighbor



COMMUNITY INTROS!

- Name
- Pronouns
- If you could receive one gift right now, what would it be?

Proposed Community Agreements

- Create Authentic and Trusting Spaces for Young Leaders to Lead
- Take space, leave space
- Seek to understand both intent and impact.
- Push to think outside the box and inquire with grace and kindness
- Active participation & active listening.
- Talk about it and Be about it – moving to action
- Conceive of call ins as an act of love and accountability
- Listen to understand and not just respond
- This is a community-led, collaborative decision-making process
 - Acknowledge & honor that equity conversations require emotional labor for people of color and LGBTQ folx.
 - Acknowledge & honor that there is emotional labor required of people with lived expertise in these conversations. ***Use person first language***



02

**“Previously on
YHDP in SCC...”**

Brief recap of work
to date

<https://youtu.be/wQI0baf9Mrs>



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**SCC YHDP
Vision Statement**

We envision a community where youth homelessness comes to an end in Santa Clara County by [date].

- YHDP implementation and all responses to youth homelessness are spearheaded by youth and young adult leadership.
- Our community uses a holistic, intersectional, trauma-informed approach to understand the individual and collective needs and experiences of youth.
- We use this lens to provide a support net that meets the diverse needs of youth, including underserved groups such as LGBTQIA+ youth; Black, Indigenous, and other youth of color; youth with experience in the criminal legal system; youth with experience of intimate partner violence and trafficking; refugees and undocumented youth.
- Our community has a support net for youth's basic life skills, healthcare, social connections, housing and economic stability to open up opportunities that lead to mental and physical health, safety, and empowerment.
- The support net we create prioritizes genuine, lasting relationships and avoids transactional and exploitative treatment of youth seeking support.



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**Intro to Goals,
Objectives, and
Action Steps in
YHDP**

Goals and our work today

Connection to
plan HUD will
review

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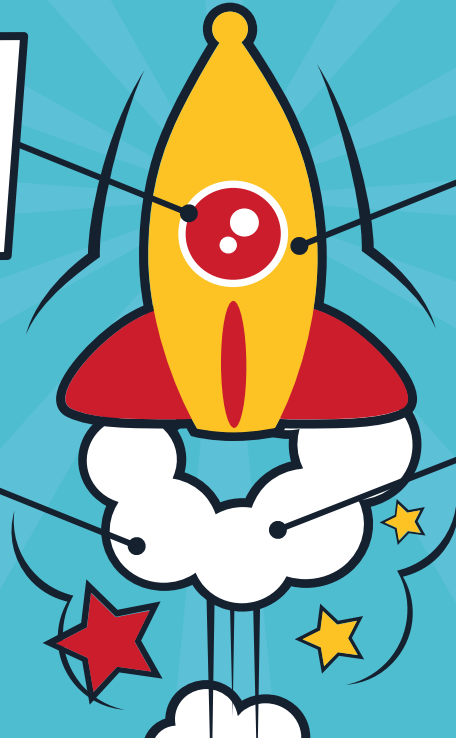
Ways to think
about making
goals specific

USICH
Framework

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Preparing for
Break Out
Groups



YHDP Coordinated Community Plan (CCP)

Statement of Need

Unaccompanied/
Pregnant &
Parenting X
At-risk/active
homeless

Housing, Education
and Employment,
Social-emotional
Well-being

Partnerships

List PARTNERS

Describe role in
ending
homelessness

Describe
participation in
YHDP process

Plan Components

Shared Vision for
Ending Youth
Homelessness

Goals, Objectives, Actions
(Principles Addressed)

New Project List
(Principles Addressed)

Governance Structure: org
chart and decision-making
process

Continuous Quality
Improvement Goal
(encouraged)

Values/Principles

USICH Framework &
4 Core Outcomes

Equity

PYD and TIC

Family Engagement

Housing First

Youth Choice

Community Integration

Coordinated Entry

Focus on Special Populations:
Impact of homelessness and
specific strategies

A Living Plan - Framework For Implementation



S.M.A.R.T.I.E GOALS

S - Specific

M - Measurable

A - Achievable

R - Relevant

T - Time-Limited

I - Inclusive

E - Equitable

USICH Framework for a Community's Response to Youth Homelessness

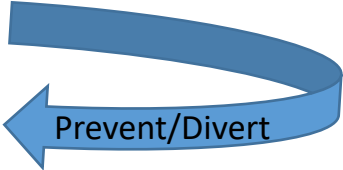
Goal 1	The community identifies all unaccompanied youth experiencing homelessness.
Goal 2	The community uses prevention and diversion strategies whenever possible, and otherwise provides immediate access to low-barrier crisis housing and services to any youth who needs and wants it.
Goal 3	The community uses coordinated entry processes to effectively link all youth experiencing homelessness to housing and services solutions that are tailored to their needs.
Goal 4	The community acts with urgency to swiftly assist youth to move in to permanent or non-time-limited housing options with appropriate services and supports.
Goal 5	The community has resources, plans, and system capacity in place to continue to prevent and quickly end future experiences of homelessness among youth.

Visualizing the USICH Framework

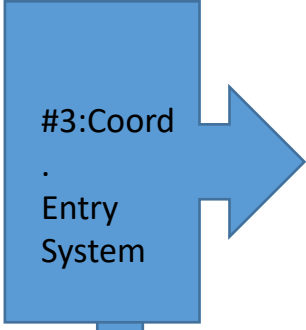
Goal #1: **Identify** all young people



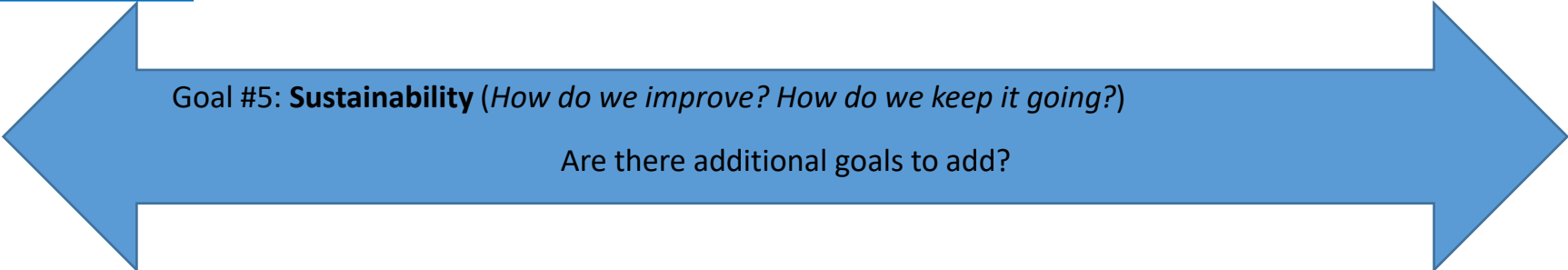
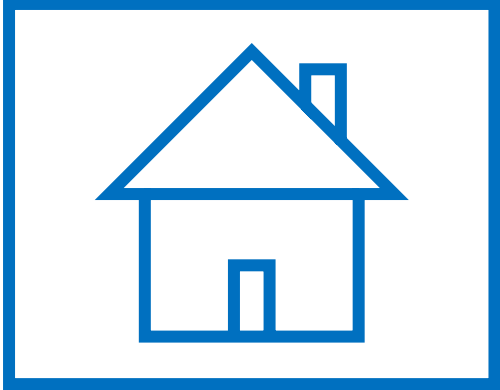
Goal #2: **Prevent and divert** young people from entering the homeless response system and provide emergency **shelter** where needed



Goal#3: **Coordinated Access** to Supports



Goal #4: Quickly move to **rehouse** people



Are there changes to this framework that you would like to make as we begin talking about the work we want to see happen in Santa Clara to end youth and young adult homelessness?



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**Discussion
Breakout
Groups**

You get to Choose your break out group

Break out group #1: Discuss specific things around **identifying all young people** who are at risk or experiencing homelessness in your community (Monique will facilitate)

Break out group #2: Discuss specific things around **preventing and diverting** as much as possible and connecting to crisis housing (Hannah will facilitate)

Break out group #3: Discuss specific things around **coordinating access to supports** (Eli will facilitate)

Break out group #4: Discuss specific things around **quickly connecting young people to housing** (Dee will facilitate)

Break out group #5: Discuss specific things around **ensuring Santa Clara County has resources, plans and capacity** in place to continue working on this into the future (Derek will facilitate)

We will have 30 minutes in our break out groups

The goal is to brainstorm specific things that you would like to see happen connected to that specific area
(*example - what are specific things you want to see happen connected to coordinated entry?*)

We will come back together and share out

Break Out Group Sharing

- Introduce your group and who was in it
- What did you talk about and what were some key themes that you discussed?
- What questions came up in the break out group?
- What questions does the rest of the group have for this break out group?



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**Wrap up and
Next Steps**

YHDP meetings are moving to weekly times and we have some retreat dates ahead



We will be meeting every Monday starting Jan 31st from 5:15-6:45 through March 14th

2 retreat dates:

Feb 6th 11 - 4:30

Feb 13th 11 - 4:30

Looking towards our next session

**See you
Then!**

Date and time of next
session:

Monday, Jan 31st 5:15-
6:45

Details coming soon!