All Continuum of Care Meeting Breakout Sessions
12:15 PM – 1:00 PM

Coordinated Entry: Feedback Wanted! – Conference Hall 1106

The Coordinated Entry System (CES) needs your feedback for future refinements to ensure it is running as smoothly as possible for people experiencing homelessness. This interactive session will invite participants to share thoughts in writing and in small groups in order to help craft the work plan for the CES implementation team in 2020.

Presenter: Stephanie Sideman, CSH

Highs, Lows, and Next Frontier for Expanding Housing Resources for Impact: Pipeline Line of Work Overview – Conference Hall 1107

This session will provide attendees with an overview of the progress of the Pipeline work group and key work group activities, including a deeper dive into the Homeless Housing Expansion Initiative. This session will also solicit feedback on 2020 priorities.

Presenters: Betsy Benito, CSH; Steve Gaydos, All Chicago

Provider Self-Care Panel – Conference Hall 1108

Self-Care refers to the practices that we deliberately and regularly engage in to maintain and enhance our health and well-being. Self-care is particularly important in the homeless services field. This panel discussion will explore the critical need for self-care, commonly seen obstacles to self-care, items for consideration in creating a self-care plan, and the process of building a culture of self-care within an organization. Ultimately, this panel discussion should allow you to reflect on your role in promoting self-care in yourself as well as your team/program/agency.

Presenters: Sherri Allen Reeves, Matthew House; Kathy Booton Wilson, Deborah’s Place; and Abbie Beato, Franciscan Outreach