



East Texas
Human Needs Network

December 8, 2014

Agenda



- Welcome
- Introductions
- About us
- Break-out groups
- Events
- ???
- Updates and announcements
- Close

Introductions



Diverse organizations and individuals working together for strengthened programs, connection and improved awareness of services that meet essential human needs.

Vision



A community with
equitable access for all.

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Mission



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Collaboration



... a **PURPOSEFUL,**
STRATEGIC way of **WORKING**
that leverages the **RESOURCES** of each party
for the **BENEFIT OF ALL**
by **COORDINATING ACTIVITIES** and **COMMUNICATING**
INFORMATION
within an environment
of **TRUST AND TRANSPARENCY.**

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Break-out Groups



Fred Peters



Mike Taliaferro



Carlton Allen



Greg Grubb



Kristy Range

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One Night Without A Home



Thursday, November 20 - 21

4:00 pm – 7:00 am

The Salvation Army of Tyler & Fair Park Garage

**COLD, UNCOMFORTABLE, MISERABLE, UNABLE TO SLEEP!
THE PERFECT EVENT!**



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Cost of Poverty

December 12, 2014

8:30 - 3:30

Crosswalk Conference Center
Tyler, TX

What you will learn:

1. What it feels like to live in poverty day in and day out.
2. What it looks like in our community and what is being done about it.
3. The impact to our future when 1 in 4 children is growing up in poverty.
4. How we can work together to alleviate, prevent, and end poverty.
5. The programs, services, and initiatives in our community that address poverty.
6. What YOU can do to help.

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Welcome

Poverty Simulations

ETHNN

Sustainable Communities

Find Help

Employers Session

Investing in Education

What YOU can do

Christina Fulsom

Charlotte Tharp & Vernora Jones

Christina Fulsom

Phillip DeVol

Charlotte Tharp

Phillip DeVol

Christi Khalaf

Christina Fulsom

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Approximately 120 registered

www.ethnn.org/the-cost-of-poverty

CEO/ED

Co-workers

Friends and Family

Volunteers

Board members

Forward email invitation

Forward the invitation

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Point in Time Homeless Survey & Count



Texas Homeless Network
Balance of State Continuum of Care

Thursday, January 22

11:30 – 12:30 & 4:00 – 7:30

You will receive an online registration form



HHSC to Host Feedback Sessions On Star+Plus Expansion For People with IDD

December 16, 2014

9AM - Noon

501 Pine Tree Road

Longview, Texas



The Texas Respite Coalition (TRC) will be holding a regional stakeholder forum in Longview, TX

December 9, 2014

10:00 AM – 11:30 AM

Community Connections*

501 Pinetree Road

Longview, TX 75604

How has ETHNN affected you?



1. What have you learned through ETHNN?
2. Have you used ETHNN data or information for your work? If so, how?
3. What agencies or services have you learned about through ETHNN?
4. If appropriate, have you helped your clients in different ways because of the relationships you built through ETHNN?
5. Have you changed the way you serve your clients? If so, in what way?
6. How long have you been participating in ETHNN?
7. After meetings, do you report back to supervisors or co-workers?
8. What would you change about ETHNN?
9. What is good about ETHNN?
10. What would you say to someone who wants to know more about ETHNN?



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- **January** – Collected Point in Time Homeless data. It was used to garnish 25 HUD VASH, as well as funding for homelessness outreach, prevention, and rapid re-housing.
 - **February** – Presented Collective Impact to community members & joined the Partnership 4 Education campaign.



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- **March** – Began developing the ETHNN Strategic Plan based on CCNA data
 - **April** – Conducted Poverty Simulation
 - **May** – Bridges Out of Poverty training
 - **June** – Created a “Vision” for every committee
 - **July** – 2-1-1 Updated search interface



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- **October** – Finalized SMART Goals for each committee
 - **November** – One Night Without A Home
 - **December** – COST OF POVERTY

Your Updates & Announcements



Please share agency information that would be **helpful to other service providers and the clients they serve!**

1. WHAT?
2. WHEN?
3. WHERE?
4. CONTACT?

Activities more than 30 days away,
share online at
www.ethnn.org/information-sharing

Share the news!





FEEDBACK FORM



Please write down your comments and suggestions

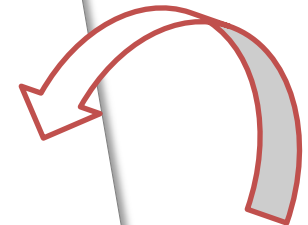
If you want me to contact you, please complete the following:

Date:

Name:

Phone #:

Email address:



Now
or

Send feedback anytime at
www.ethnn.org/we-are-listening

We are listening!



See you next month!



Monday, January 12

2:00 – 3:30 pm

The Salvation Army Multipurpose Room

ALWAYS

2nd MONDAY

2:00 – 3:30

TSA Tyler

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MERRY CHRISTMAS!

HAPPY HANUKKAH!

HAPPY KWANZAA!