



The mission of the Tennessee Valley Continuum of Care is to foster collaborative efforts that enhance awareness and create solutions to prevent, reduce, and alleviate homelessness in our region.

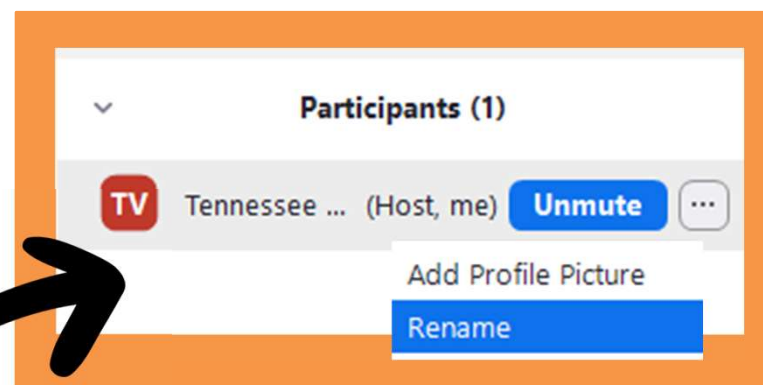
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October 1st, 2024


House Keeping Notes:



This is how we will
take attendance!



Mute
your
audio!



Change your Zoom name to
include your first & last name,
pronouns (if you'd like), and your
organization.

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For
Zero.**

BFZ in Tennessee Valley

- ❖ Improvement Team Development
- ❖ Strategy Development for 2025
- ❖ By-Names-List for Veterans
- ❖ Data Collection and Reporting
- ❖ Community Level Coaching

Interested in learning more?
By-Names-List – Contact Nikki Lynn at nlynn@tvceh.org
Improvement Team – Contact Katelyn McGuire at kmcguire@tvceh.org

New Business:

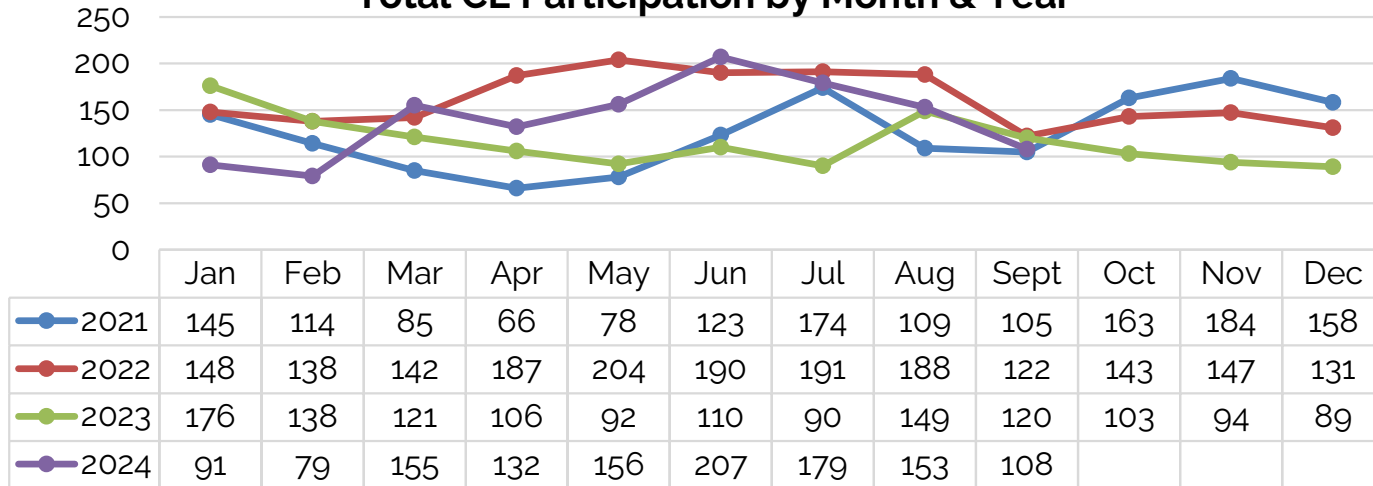


Individual Agency
News/Updates/
Agency Successes!

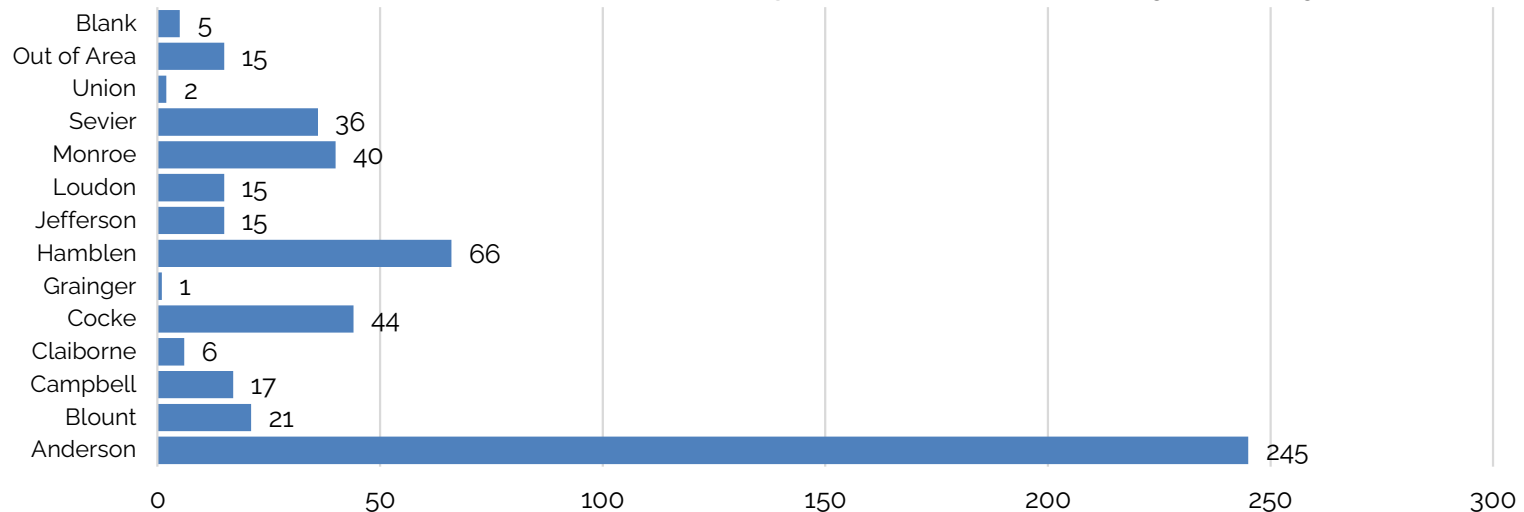
CoC Data Reports



Total CE Participation by Month & Year

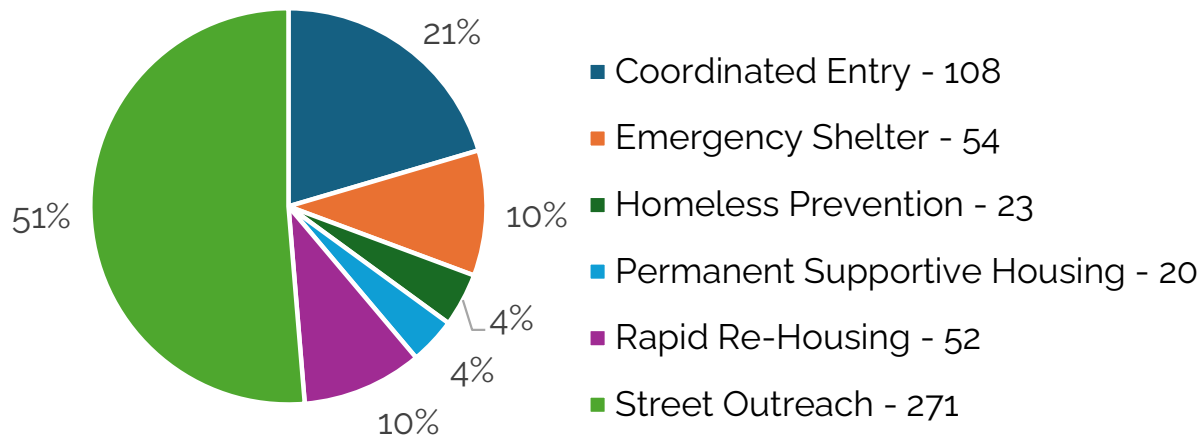


Number of Active Program Participants by County



CoC Data Reports

Percentage of Total Active Enrolments by Program Type



Total number of unduplicated individuals that are actively enrolled: 445

Percentage of Veterans – 8.31%

Percentage of Domestic Violence Victims – 3.15%

Percentage of Disabled Individuals – 41.57%

Percentage of Chronically Homeless – 20.90%

CoC Data Report



GRADE BASED ON COUNT FOR EACH ELEMENT:	HUD UDE ONLY	Additional ONLY	HUD Verification ONLY	OVERALL
	B	B	C	B
	93.77%	90.14%	81.22%	90.54%

Data Element	Required for	Number of Applicable Entry Exits	Number of Non-Null Values	Percentage Complete
*HUD Universal Data Elements:				
Length of Stay in Previous Place	Adults/HoH	796	728	91.46%
Additional Data Elements:				
Income Received (Y/N)	Adults/HoH	796	702	88.19%
Non-Cash Benefit Received (Y/N)	Adults/HoH	796	699	87.81%
Covered by Health Insurance (Y/N)	All	1092	965	88.37%
HUD Verification: (Elements measure completeness at entry ONLY)				
Disability Type	All	1092	824	75.46%
Income Source	Adults/HoH	796	627	78.77%
Non-Cash Source	Adults/HoH	796	646	81.16%
Health Insurance Type	All	1092	922	84.43%

September 2024 Timeliness Calculation		
Timeliness Calculation	# of Project Start Records	# of Project Exit Records
0 days	18	14
1 - 3 days	16	7
4 - 6 days	0	3
7 - 10 days	1	0
11+ days	0	5
Timeliness Percentage:	85.94%	

See the Report PDF in the Chat for the full data report.

HUD CoC Program Glossary



- HUD – US Department of Housing and Urban Development
- e-Snaps – The online application portal required for all levels of CoC Program applications.
- Collaborative Application – The TVCoC Application for funding includes the Project Applications, Collaborative Application questions, and Priority Listing.
- Collaborative Application – The CoC designated entity that is responsible for facilitating the local CoC Program Competition and completing all steps of the CoC Program Competition from January through the CoC Program funding opportunity due date.
- Project Applications – Agency application for funding
- Priority Listing – The ranked list of projects created by the Rank and Review Committee
- CoC Program Funding – A competitive funding stream that supports programming for CoC programs such as Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH and Rapid Rehousing), HMIS, Supportive Services Only, Transitional Housing, and Joint Transitional Housing and Permanent Housing – Rapid Rehousing

HUD CoC Program Glossary



- **NOFO** – Notice of Funding Opportunity, the document that details all the grant eligibility criteria, requirements, due dates, etc.
- **Local Competition Notice** – Document provided via listserv to all CoC Members detailing a high-level overview of the NOFO
- **Local Competition** – The competitive competition at the local level (TVCoC) where agencies submit their applications, and they are ranked and reviewed for inclusion in the Priority List and Collaborative Application
- **Local CoC Program Timeline** – The timeline created for TVCoC detailing important dates in the local competition
- **Bonus Funding** – Funding available to a CoC outside their Annual Renewal Demand. This funding is awarded based on the score of the Collaborative Application and is a national competition

CoC Program Application Timeline



Please visit <https://tvhomeless.org/cocnofo2024/> to stay updated

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Any agency interested in applying for CoC Bonus funding or Domestic Violence Bonus funding must provide a written request to the Collaborative Applicant Lead detailing intent to apply *Collaborative Applicant Lead - Tennessee Valley Coalition for the Homeless Executive Director, Katelyn McGuire* | kmcguire@tvceh.org | 812-453-0354

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Agency applications due in e-snaps and agency questionnaires to due Rank & Review Committee

TBD

The Rank and Review Committee will convene and review individual agency applications to create a priority list of all accepted applications

10/12

Any applications not selected to be included in the Collaborative Application package will be notified in writing

10/24

A draft of the CoC Collaborative Application will be publicly posted on the TVCH webpage for CoC review. All CoC members will be notified when it is posted.

10/26

Collaborative Applicant will submit the Collaborative Application

10/30

HUD CoC Program application deadline

HUD CoC Program Application



The HUD CoC Program Application is now OPEN

Things to review regarding the application:

- TVCoC Local CoC Program Competition Notice for FY2024
- Local CoC Program Timeline
- [Competition webpage](#) (*make sure all reference documents say FY2024 before using them*)
- [TVCoC NOFO Competition webpage](#)

Interested in learning more about this funding opportunity?

Contact the TVCoC Collaborative Applicant Lead

Katelyn McGuire
kmcguire@tvceh.org
865-440-8670

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Governing Council Nominations



The Governing Council will review nominations, and new Governing Council members will be voted on by the CoC Membership (Partner Agencies who have paid CoC Dues) at the November meeting

Interested in becoming a CoC Member Agency?

Please fill out the application [here](#)

PIT Committee Proposal



Changing the PIT Count App Vendor for 2025 count from SimTech to Hyperion.

Highlights:

- Seamless transition for end-users administering surveys
- Expanded survey customization for admins
- More data validation and clean-up tools
- Volunteer registration and region administrators
- Cheaper! - \$3,200 instead of \$14,100

Proposal:

- The contract with SimTech will end and the new software would be covered under the CoC Program HMIS Project grant.
- The HMIS Lead Agency, TVCEH, will manage the contract and invoice for Hyperion.
- The HMIS Systems Admin and PIT Chair will have Administrator access to the application software and will assign County Liaison contacts regional administrator access once the application is set up.

Upcoming Training



DV 101 Virtual Training

Provided by the YWCA of Knoxville and the
Tennessee Valley

October 17
12-1pm

Registration link to come

What is DV 101? Click [here](#) to find out!

TVCHomeless.org

CoC Committee Updates



HMIS & Data Management

Chair: Andy O'Quinn | andy.oquinn@oakridgetorch.org

Coordinated Entry

Chair: Tiffany Higginbotham | tiffany.Higginbotham@va.gov

PIT/HIC Committee

Chair: Nikki Lynn | nlynn@tvceh.org

Written Standards

Chair: Tonya Polidoro | directorofmats@gmail.com

Rank & Review

Chair: Angela Stolpe | astolpe@unitedwayblount.org

BFZ Improvement Committee

Co-Chairs: Angela Stolpe | astolpe@unitedwayblount.org
Katelyn McGuire | kmcguire@tvceh.org

PIT & HIC Committee

PIT Count Date: January 29, 2025

We are looking for County
Liaisons for:

- Campbell,
- Claiborne,
- Cocke,
- Grainger, and
- Union



Next PIT Committee Meeting:
October 29 @ 11 am on Zoom

If you are interested in becoming more involved and learning about the needs of our region, please reach out to Nikki Lynn at nlynn@tvceh.org

Rank & Review Committee



- Project applications submitted to the CoC for the FY 2024 application cycle must be reviewed and accepted/ ranked, approved, or rejected by the CoC.
- The Rank & Review Committee is looking for 3-5 individuals from community partners to help with the rank and review process for 2024 NOFO, which includes the following responsibilities:
 - Participate in the review and ranking process
 - Help document scores during the ranking process
 - Submit ranking outcomes to TVCoC membership
- Time Commitment
 - 4-6 hours (broken into 2 days) to rank projects as a committee
 - Time commitment will increase during the review week to accommodate the review of all project applications. This can vary depending on each committee member.
- If you are interested in becoming more involved and learning about the projects being funded by the TVCoC, please reach out to Allie Cohn at cohnab@ridgeview.com or Angela Stolpe at astolpe@unitedwayblount.org.
- We hope to continue to diversify our committee as we bring in new CoC members to uplift new voices and experiences that could help inform services and programs within the region we serve.

Discussion/Questions



The floor is open for other questions or discussions.

Next Meeting



Virtual Meeting-

November 5th @ 10 am

Link is provided via email before the meeting as well as in the invitation.

2024 CoC Meeting Dates



January 9—In person

February 6

March 5

April 2—In person

May 7

June 4

July 9—In person

August 6

September 3

October 1—In person

November 5

Thank you for attending!



Proud CoC Members

