### **NYC CoC Newsletter**

#### What's on Deck

#### **How Prepare for the 2025 NOFO!**

- 1. Sign up to the CoC Mailing List!
- 2. Ensure your Unique Entity ID (UEI) is up to date in SAM.gov.
- 3. Identify your e-snaps users and ensure access to the system.
- 4. Communicate any concerns about your renewal right away!

#### **NYC CoC September Public Meeting**

Join us for a light breakfast and networking session followed by presentations from the NYC CoC and our partners.

Location: LGBTQ Center - 208 West 13th Street, Room 101,

New York, NY 10011

**Date:** Tuesday, September 9th **Networking:** 9:00 am - 10:00 am **Event Time:** 10:00 am - 12:00pm

### Stay Informed

To ensure you are staying up to date, please sign up for following mailing lists:

- CoC Mailing List
- HUD Exchange
- NAEH Mailing List
- NLIHC
- SHNNY's Newsletter
- NYU Furman Center
- The City of NY

#### Resources

#### Mental Health Resource Tool Kit

The NYC CoC is excited to share the <u>Tool Kit: Companion</u> to Your Recovery, a resource guide for outpatient mental health resources compiled by

#### Click here to Register!

#### In Case You Missed It

#### **CoC Special Grantee Meeting**

<u>Click here to download the August 6th Special Grantee</u>
<u>Meeting Power Point!</u>

#### **Meeting Resources**

#### 1. Federal Funding FY26

• <u>National Alliance to End Homelessness (NAEH) – The</u> <u>President's FY26 Budget Proposal</u>

#### 2. Litigation

- <u>King County v. Turner</u>
- <u>State of New York v. U.S. Department of Justice</u>

#### 3. Executive Order

• Ending Crime and Disorder on America's Streets

## Table at NYPL's upcoming Job Fair and Expo at the Bronx Library Center

Are you a healthcare employer or workforce development agency? <u>Fill out this form</u> to apply for a table at New York Public Library's upcoming Bronx Job Fair and Expo!

the Patient-Family Advisory Council (PFAC) of the Payne Whitney Clinic of New York-Presbyterian Hospital (NYP). The PFAC consists of patients, family members, staff, and faculty of Payne Whitney, the psychiatric department of NYP.

The Tool Kit is a comprehensive directory of resources and information that anyone recovering from a mental illness can utilize. It originated due to the perceived lack of outpatient resources for patients facing mental health challenges.

We hope you will share the Tool Kit with program staff and participants in your agency! For more information, please email <a href="mailto:chw9025@nyp.org">chw9025@nyp.org</a>.

#### Click here to view the Toolkit!

#### New York Public Library Adult English Literacy & Learning

The New York Public Library is here to help your program participants improve their writing, reading, speaking, and listening skills in English. Whether they are starting to learn the language, getting better, or are already advanced,

This event is scheduled for 10 AM-3 PM on Friday,
September 12, 2025, at the <u>Bronx Library Center</u>. This year's theme will be "Supporting Healthcare Careers". The application deadline is August 22nd.

Click here to for more information and to apply!

#### My Dog Is My Home NYC Open House

My Dog Is My Home would like to invite you to an in-person Open House, hosted by My Dog Is My Home, on Thursday September 11th, 2025 in New York City from 10:00 AM to 1:30 PM. Attendees will have the opportunity to tour one of Urban Resource Institute's domestic violence shelters, hear about their policies and procedures, and listen to stories from people with lived experience, all with the goal of building a regional network of providers that can support each other through the various phases of cosheltering. Please share the flyer with colleagues who might be interested in My Dog Is My Home's work.

The open house is **free to attend**, and our RSVP deadline is September 4th.

#### Click here to RSVP!

Email <u>collaborative@mydogismyhome.org</u> for additional information.

they can sign up for online or in-person classes offered at libraries across the Bronx, Manhattan, and Staten Island—all free! For more information, visit <a href="mailto:nypl.org/english">nypl.org/english</a>.

<u>Click here to see the program</u> <u>flyer!</u>

For a copy of the flyer in other languages, contact Genesis Ledesma at <a href="mailto:genesisledesma@nypl.org">genesisledesma@nypl.org</a>"

New Yorkers with SNAP benefits offered free Museum of Natural History membership

The American Museum of Natural History is offering free membership for New York residents enrolled in the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP). Once signed up for the Discoverer program, SNAP recipients can start using their membership that same day and will receive a digital membership card and be able to reserve advance tickets on the museum's website.

Click here to learn more!

## Homebase's Overview of Co-Sheltering with Pets

<u>Homebase</u> recently shared an overview on sheltering, which is sheltering people and animals together in a temporary or emergency housing facility. The overview supports addressing barriers created to housing when shelters and service create fail to accommodate pets.

#### Resources Shared by Homebase:

- Check out Homebase's video for a quick explainer!
- Click here to view Homebase's guide!
- <u>Click here for Homebase's background on pet-inclusive shelter policies presentation slides!</u>

# Liberty Link brings free or low-cost internet service to parts of Manhattan and the Bronx

Liberty Link is a \$3 million pilot program with a three-year plan to bring high-speed Wi-Fi to more than 2,000 affordable and Section 8 housing units across Bronx and Upper Manhattan. The program expands Big Apple Connect, which brought Wi-Fi to more than 200 NYCHA buildings.

Click here to learn more!

### **CoC Spotlight**

#### **NYC Cooling Centers**

Looking for a cool place to get away from the heat? Please check out NYC Cool Options.

Click here to find a Cooling Center near you!

#### NAEH's CEO Corner

Overview of Targeted & Mainstream Cuts Impacting Homelessness.

Click here to view the analysis!

### Funding Opportunit y

Stay Tuned for Upcoming Funding Opportunities.

#### **Events**

PSY's National Symposium on Solutions to End Youth Homelessness

The Symposium will take

## Advocacy & Information: Organizations at the Forefront

The CoC would like to highlight organizations that have been critical in digesting and support everyone in these rapidly changing times.

#### The Newtork (SHHNY)

The Supportive Housing Network of New York serves as a voice for the provider community, ensuring supportive housing's quality and proliferation through advocacy, policy analysis, training, technical assistance and public education. The Network was created in 1988 seeking to collectively end homelessness among the most vulnerable New Yorkers through the creation of sufficient supportive housing. <u>Click</u> here to learn more about SHHNY!

#### The National Alliance to End Homelessness (NAEH)

Founded in 1983, the National Alliance to End Homelessness takes a leadership role in shaping policy, driving innovation, and supporting communities in ending homelessness. The National Alliance to End Homelessness seeks to prevent and end homelessness in the United States, supporting the building of stronger and more resilient communities. Click here to learn more about NAEH!

#### The National Low Income Housing Coalition (NLIHC)

The National Low Income Housing Coalition works to preserve existing federally assisted homes and housing resources, expanding the supply of low-income housing. Founded in 1974, NLIHC educates, organizes, and advocates for racially and socially equitable public policy, ensuring that people with the lowest incomes have accessible, affordable and quality homes. Click here to learn more about NLIHC!

place October 7-8th
in Baltimore, Maryland. Early
Bird registration deadline is
June 27th for a discounted rate
for PSY's National Symposium
on Solutions to End Youth
Homelessness. Click here to
learn more and to register!

Any event or news you want to share please reach out to the NYC CoC Team at <a href="mailto:nyc.coc@dss.nyc.gov">nyc.coc@dss.nyc.gov</a>

To view events happening at the CoC, see our <u>Calendar of Events!</u>

#### Job Opportunities

The New York City
Department of Housing
Preservation (HPD) is hiring!

Director of CoC Contracts for the Division of Housing Stability

Restore NYC is Hiring!

**Housing Specialist Position** 

#### The National Immigration Law Center (NILC)

Working at the intersection of immigrant, economic, and racial justice, the National Immigration Law
Center advances and defends the rights and opportunities of low-income immigrants and their loved ones. NILC was established in 1979 and has been committed to building an inclusive future for low-income immigrants through impact litigation, policy advocacy, movement-building, and narrative and culture change. Click here to learn more about NILC!

#### The National council of non-profits

The National council of non-profits seeks to support nonprofits in building diverse representation in their organization, leveraging tools, research, and resources. n operation for more than 30 years, the National Council of Nonprofits commitment to fostering a diverse and inclusive workplace, creating programming that expands outreach, enhance access to opportunities, and cultivates inclusive environments. Click here to learn more about NCN!

### **Housing News**

## New York opens homeless shelter for transgender people

New York City has officially opened its first shelter for transgender and gender-nonconforming people who are homeless. The facility will be located in Long Isnad City and will cost \$65 million to operate through 2030. Hailed as the

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only city-funded shelter of its kind in the country, the shelter will support 150 150 transgender New Yorkers.

Click here to learn more!

## Housing Market Impact of Proposed HUD Budget Cuts & Term Limits

New York Housing Conference issues a policy brief highlights the impact of HUD's proposed budget cuts and term limits for tenants, landlords and lenders, including potential affects on the Government Sponsored Enterprises' (GSE) exposure to HUD programs and the top lenders in neighborhoods with the highest Section 8 concentration in New York City

Click here to learn more!

## NLIHC Publishes Analysis of Bipartisan "ROAD to Housing Act"

On Tuesday, July 29, the Senate Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs unanimously passed the bipartisan "Renewing Opportunity in the American Dream (ROAD) to Housing Act". This bill was endorsed NLIHC and includes provisions that will cover financial literacy, housing supply, manufactured housing, homeownership, program reform, veterans' housing, and oversight and coordination of housing programs and agencies. Last week, NLIHC released a memo that includes <u>analysis of the bill</u> and the provisions introduced.

Click here to read their memo!

#### **CoC Eats**

For information on where you can find free food from food pantries and soup kitchens, click here!

#### Mark's Recommendations

This one is for all my pancake lovers out there. Summer is a great time for some of that griddle magic — anytime, really. I hope this list leaves you with the same comfort I get from a perfectly crisp and delicious flapjack.

#### Mark's Top 5:

- 1. <u>Clinton Street Baking Co</u>. My favorite is the blueberry pancakes, but you can't go wrong with the others. Their maple butter...chef's kiss!
- 2. <u>Breakfast By Salt's Cure</u> Love their "OG" Oatmeal Griddle Cake. A slightly different texture in typical pancakes. They're thin, soft, and crispy, but amazing nonetheless.
- 3. <u>Golden Diner</u> Their Honey Butter Pancakes are so good. They're more cake-like, so bring a buddy. People line up for hours during brunch. But if you're like me and love pancakes at night also, visit for dinner and bypass the rush
- 4. <u>NAKS</u> You ever had a salted egg pancake? I didn't think so. Well, their version with a hint of citrus is PHENomenal. Its uniqueness alone requires a visit.

5. <u>Frenchette</u> - The pancakes here are more pricy, but have the perfect crisp-to-fluffy ratio. It's soaked with syrup, reminding you of your childhood, and topped with salted butter; gold, Jerry, gold! Also, cake-like, so bring a date or find a family looking to share.

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