

MAG Continuum of Care Regional Committee on Homelessness

FY 2011 Objectives

- Strengthen the region's response to homelessness by increasing the capacity and effectiveness of homeless assistance programs.
- Work to end homelessness in the region by striving to create a positive place for each person in the community.

FY 2011 Outcome Measures

- Continue to implement the FY 2010 MAG Regional Plan to End Homelessness. Complete at least two action steps in FY 2011. This will result in people experiencing homelessness having better access to housing, services, and stability. The MAG Continuum of Care Regional Committee on Homelessness will evaluate success achieved by the fourth quarter of FY 2011.
- Coordinate services to meet the transportation needs of people experiencing homelessness. This will result in improved access to shelter, employment, and work preparation activities. Research will be completed in the first quarter of FY 2011 resulting in at least two recommendations being developed and presented to the MAG Continuum of Care Regional Committee on Homelessness by the second quarter of FY 2011.
- Facilitate activities to submit a consolidated Stuart B. McKinney application to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) for homeless assistance funding through the fourth quarter of FY 2011. This includes conducting an annual Homeless Street Count, a gaps analysis, application training and review process for agencies, and completion of HUD Exhibit One materials. The impact will be that homeless people have consistent access to transitional housing, permanent supportive housing, and supportive services. Success of this goal is defined as increasing the HUD award by \$1 million.
- Coordinate with stakeholders through a summer heat relief planning group to create and distribute summer heat relief maps showing water hydration locations and refuge locations available to homeless individuals. Maps will be distributed throughout the region beginning in June and will be listed on the MAG Web site and on the Community Information and Referral Web site. Successful coordination will be documented through a 10 percent increase in sites.

Regional Community Partners

FY 2011 Objectives

- Engage MAG member agencies and the community in special projects or events that improve collaboration to maximize the effectiveness of regional human services public policy.

FY 2011 Outcome Measures

- Host the Annual Appreciation Luncheon in the third quarter. One hundred and fifty people will attend. Of this number, at least 80 percent will indicate the event has increased their motivation to end homelessness and has supported the collaborations they have with other people striving for the same goal as reported in evaluations of the event.