



Continuum of Care Racial Equity Analysis

In November 2021, the Massachusetts Housing and Shelter Alliance (MHSA) launched a Racial Equity Analysis in collaboration with C4 Innovations and three Continuums of Care (CoCs) in Massachusetts - South Shore CoC, Three County CoC, and Worcester City and County CoC.

The goal of the Racial Equity Analysis is to review the delivery of housing resources in the coordinated entry system and make recommendations about how it can be as equitable as possible in its policies and services.

Now, we are excited to present the results of the Racial Equity Analysis, including an assessment by C4 Innovations based on feedback gathered from surveys and listening sessions, as well as details, methods, key takeaways, and recommendations.

JOIN US!

Who:

Staff and members of the Continuums of Care in Massachusetts, people in the communities served by them, and anyone interested in learning more about the coordinated entry system

When:

Friday, February 25 from 9:30-11:00 am

Where:

Zoom. To register, visit:
<https://bit.ly/3ADl1Xg>

Key steps involved in the Racial Equity Analysis:

- Two anonymous surveys and four listening sessions were conducted with service providers, community stakeholders, and people with lived experience of homelessness.
- C4 Innovations analyzed the information gathered from the surveys and the listening sessions to determine key takeaways and recommendations that can help the coordinated entry system be as equitable as possible.

ABOUT MHSA

The Massachusetts Housing and Shelter Alliance (MHSA) is a nonprofit, public policy advocacy organization dedicated to ending homelessness in Massachusetts. A Place to Live (PTL) is MHSA's latest initiative that promotes the development of more permanent supportive housing through innovative, cost-effective, and sustainable housing solutions. PTL is proud to be funded in part by the Massachusetts Community Health and Healthy Aging Funds.

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