



PARTNERS IN CARE

Oahu Continuum of Care

Partners in Care is a coalition of Oahu's homeless service providers, government representatives and community stakeholders working together in partnership to end homelessness.

MINUTES

AWARENESS Committee Meeting

January 4, 2022

TIME: 10:00am to 10:45am

LOCATION: Video/Phone Conference via Microsoft Teams

Attendees: Jere Kalima, Sharaleen McShane, Roberta Maldonado, Jason Kasamoto, Dani Gella, Cheryl Bellisario, Maile Daniel, Rhea Nuguid, Keala Souza, Summer Pakele Scott Morishige, etc...

Agenda Topic	Discussion	Outcome/Action
Intro:	Welcome everyone....	
I. Call to Order	The meeting was called to order by Jere Kalima at 10:00am. The following members were absent: a. Laura Thielen b. Sharon Baillie c. Oli Shimasaki	NA
II. Approval of Minutes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • November 2, 2021 minutes reviewed and approved. • No minutes for December as meeting was cancelled. 	Approved
III. Continuing Business:	1) 2021 Awareness Conference Updates: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Donations/Sponsorships/Budget Report: No report was given due to not having confirmed numbers. Will follow-up by next meeting. b. Registration: Approximately 500 participants were registered. For this year's conference. c. Breakout Sessions: Jere reviewed participation numbers for each session. Nearly 500 people participated collectively within each 1-hour breakout session. 450 attended the opening plenary while 295 joined the closing plenary. d. CEU Requests/Evaluations: 113 people completed a conference evaluation form, in which 85 requested for CEU Certificate. Certificates were all submitted on time. Evaluation feedback had positive reviews stating a great conference overall. Many liked the online format, variety of topics and knowledgeable speakers. 	<p>Jere</p> <p>Jere</p> <p>Jere</p> <p>Jere</p>

	<p>e. Committee Meeting Schedule: The committee received the upcoming calendar for the Awareness Committee Meetings for the year.</p> <p>2) 2022 Awareness Conference Updates:</p> <p>a. Conference Date: An in-person conference will be planned for Friday November 18th, 2022 at Ko'olau Ballroom. Committee will revisit this option in May/June to see if the pandemic will alter the conference from in-person to virtual.</p>	<p>Jere</p> <p>Jere</p>
IV. New Business:	<p>3) Raising more Awareness for Homelessness.</p> <p>a. New ideas: An idea was mentioned to incorporate more awareness from the committee on homelessness such as sign waving and other involvement with other counties on promoting upcoming events on homelessness. One suggestion was to use homeless awareness week to add these new ideas to help highlight more on the conference and other homeless projects to come. Committee Chair advised committee members to think of ideas to help raise more awareness with these ideas in mind.</p>	<p>Scott/Jere</p>
V. Other Issues:	<p>1) None</p>	
VI. Next Meeting:	<p>The next meeting will be on Tuesday, February 1st via Microsoft Teams Video/Phone Conference from 10:00am – 11:00am.</p>	
Minutes Prepared by:	<p>Jere Kalima, Awareness Committee Chair</p>	

(NOTE: Minutes must be distributed to Committee members and posted on the PIC website prior to the next Committee meeting. Committee Chair/designee must also forward minutes to the PIC Chair prior to the PIC general meeting (held on 3rd Tuesday of month).