

MULTIDISCIPLINARY APPROACHES TO ENDING HOMELESSNESS



A County of Riverside Continuum of Care Webinar Series



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Riverside University Health System: Whole Person Care Program

Speaker: Judi Nightingale, Director, Population Health

Whole Person Care is one of four Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) funded programs under the 2020 1115 Medical waiver. The Riverside County Whole Person Care (WPC) program is the only program funded under this initiative focusing on the needs of transitioning justice involved adults. In the last five years, the program has directly assisted more than 12,000 adults under probation service supervision. Registered Nurses (RNs) provide screening for substance use, housing, behavioral, physical and social service needs to adults. These much needed services are coordinated during a first appointment with the Probation Officer and after release from incarceration. The WPC program also links each adult with an RN care manager and housing outreach specialists to assist those with complex problems and housing.



Starting Over, Inc.: Premier Services for System Involved Individuals

Speakers: Vonya Quarles, Executive Director, Emma Li, Media and Communications Specialist, Michael Wahome, Employment and Special Projects Manager

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