



## CONTINUUM OF CARE (CoC) ANNOUNCES

### OPEN LEADERSHIP COUNCIL SEATS

Do you want to be directly involved with the CoC and be part of a community-wide, strategic and coordinated response to preventing and end homelessness?

The Leadership Council is made up of community influencers and decision makers who are dedicated to understanding homelessness and the powerful role each sector of our community can play in preventing homelessness, and ensuring that, it is rare, brief, and non-recurring for those that enter the system.

Leadership Council members understand we must all work across systems, in a coordinated way, for a collective, lasting community impact. There are currently 24 members on the Council, including Sarasota and Manatee County Commissioners, the Sarasota City Manager, CEO's and Executive Directors of local non-profits, private sector members, homeless advocates, and leaders representing mental health and drug and alcohol rehabilitation programs.

Open positions include:

- At Large member
- Chamber of Commerce
- Law Enforcement representative from Manatee County
- Public School/Education representative from Sarasota County
- Public School/Education representative from Manatee County
- Representative of the business community from Manatee County
- Representative of the business community from Sarasota County
- Representative of the Unaccompanied Homeless Youth (16-24)
- Service provider specializing in Minor/Youth Transition Age services
- Service provider specializing in Permanent Supportive Housing services
- Service provider specializing in Rapid Rehousing services (Serving the remaining 1 year of an unexpired term. Term will expire 9/30/2021)
- Service provider specializing in Veteran services (Serving the remaining 1 year of an unexpired term. Term will expire 9/30/2021)
- State Certified Domestic Violence provider
- State Certified Behavioral Health provider from Manatee County
- State Certified Behavioral Health provider from Sarasota County

Elected members of the Leadership Council shall serve two-year terms, unless otherwise stated. If you currently hold a seat that is up for election, you may apply that seat by submitting the below application.

Click [here](#) to download the [Leadership Application](#) today! Submit your completed [application](#) to [lauren@suncoastpartnership.org](mailto:lauren@suncoastpartnership.org) by noon, August 7th, 2020.

#### Mark your Calendars!

**Full CoC Annual Meeting** (Continuum of Care members, Leadership Council members and the Suncoast Partnership Board of Directors) to be held on **Wednesday, August 19th** from **9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.**

The Annual Meeting will include new CoC Leadership Council elections, funding updates, annual securities training, and updates to CSIS.

Annual CoC Meeting

Wednesday, August 19, 2020

9:00-10:30 a.m.

Location: TBD