Health Care for the Homeless Overview

- Mission: Improve the health of persons in Alameda County who are homeless or at risk of homelessness.
- 2015 stats
  - 9,289 patients served in 36,884 encounters
  - $7M budget
  - 27 FTE Alameda County staff
  - 9 contracts for patient care services ($2,122,131)
Current Initiatives:
Alameda Health System collaborations

- Homeless Coordinating Office established in 2013
- Mobile Health redesigned as County/AHS partnership

Current Initiatives:
Street Medicine Contracts

- New contracts focused on outreach and access
- Adapting successful model promoted by National Health Care for the Homeless

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Current Initiatives: Results-Based Dental Contracts

Goals:
95%-Restorative plan reviewed with patient
75%-Restorative plan completed

Current Initiatives: TRUST Clinic—Whole Person Care

- Integrating services and organizations for seamless client experience
- Housing First philosophy and resources
Current Initiatives:
Home Stretch- Coordinated Entry for PSH

At least 4200 individuals in AC have spent a night experiencing homelessness. Data indicates that 60% have self-reported long term disabilities, 26% report serious mental illness, 30% struggle with substance abuse disorders.

- A collaboration between EveryOne Home, Housing Services Office, and Health Care for the Homeless
- Housing First philosophy
- Coordinated entry & prioritization system for the most vulnerable
- Employs 4 core strategies: measure, prioritize, coordinate, & expand

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