60 Participants/ Programs Represented:
Kaiser Fremont Hospital, Homeless Action Center, HCSA, LifeLong Medical, Central Alameda County Homeless Advocacy Group, City of Emeryville, BACH, Crisis Services/Mobile Crisis Team, CAL-PEP, Bay Area Legal Aid, Tiburcio Vasquez, St. Mary’s Center, Family Bridges, ACBH, LLMC, etc.

1. Introduction: This is the 35th weekly call hosted by the Alameda County Health Care for the Homeless program. Calls are every Wednesday from 2:00pm-3:00pm. Due to County Holiday, Wednesday November 11 call is CANCELLED. Next call Wednesday Nov 18.

   • Thank you for all your hard work! This is a marathon not a sprint, so please take care of yourself so that we can continue to support the unsheltered community. This is currently a lull in COVID activity, and a good time to prepare for the Winter and Fall.
   • The purpose of this call is to bring together countywide outreach providers to share updates, knowledge, practices, build supportive community, and develop effective responses to protect our health and the health of the persons living unsheltered in Alameda County.
   • If teams have specific issues or challenges with individuals who may be symptomatic, infected or at-risk of COVID-19, please email details to ACHCH at achch@acgov.org for follow up.
   • To be added to the email list for additional updates contact Kathy Barron at kathryn.barron@acgov.org.

2. Situation Report:

   David Modersbach, Alameda County Health Care for the Homeless

   • Refer to Alameda County COVID-19 Dashboards
     o Countywide totals as of 10/28/2020: 24,095 confirmed cases, 464 deaths
     o 164 people confirmed positive (83 sheltered; 81 unsheltered)
   ACHCH:
     o HCH Testing: over 2,081 tests given
     o Positivity rate for homeless: 2.5% (not including Project Roomkey)
   • Check Alameda County Public Health website for testing sites; https://covid-19.acgov.org/testing.page
   • New site: Henry J. Kaiser in Oakland. Tu-Sa 8:30-11:30 Frontline Staff, Tu-th-Sa 12:30-4pm public.
   • If you need COVID supplies, please contact your city EOC or supply chain before contacting ACHCH. If there are supplies they are unable to provide, please contact Kathy Barron at kathryn.barron@acgov to order and pick up supplies.
   • Frontline Workers Counseling Project; www.fwcp.org
   • Winter shelters: HUD information sheet re: winter shelters and COVID-19. Alameda County is working with partners regarding logistics in opening warming centers.
We appreciate all of you and your creativity to support the unhoused community. Please continue to remind people to wear a mask, wash hands, and practice social distancing.

3. City and County Update:

   **Tara O'Flaherty** Lifelong Medical Care:
   - Free Flu Vaccines, every Tuesday 12-3:30pm at TRUST Clinic 384-14th Street, on sidewalk in front of clinic, free no insurance required. Provided by Samuel Merritt Nurses SPREAD THE WORD!

   **Talia Rubin, City of Oakland**
   - City of Oakland will be distributing winter supplies (blankets, woolies, gloves) soon. Please contact trubin@oakland.ca Community Day of Thanks is November 24th; food pantry sites will be set up throughout Oakland with 3,000 meals delivered. Talia will supply a list by end of next week.
   - Winter Shelter plans – No St. Mary’s this year, they will fund senior outreach services, overflow beds at EOPC, flex funding for St.Vincent’s, and working on extreme cold warming centers paralleling the Safer Air/Cooling Center sites.
   - Union Point park has been noticed by BCDC/City of Oakland for January clear, and City has already been working to locate housing resources to relocate current residents.
   - Bottled water distribution started again. Hours are Tu-Th 10-12, 2-4pm. New warehouse is 9812 Bigge Street in Oakland. **Maximum number to take is 5 cases** at one time. Please register and complete inventory tracking sheet when you take water.

   **Laurie Flores, City of Fremont**
   - City of Fremont will open a Winter Shelter around Dec 1. Stable Cohort model.
   - Navigation Center is open and filled – 25 folks; next to City Hall.

   **Melissa Moore, TVHC**
   - Working with Abode to coordinate and register folks for mid-county winter shelters (First Pres in CV and South Hayward Parish).

   **Emi Theriault, City of Emeryville**
   - Shellmound encampment residents are being engaged by Op Dignity; goal is relocation to prepare for construction of housing project there.

   **Street Health Leads** Ryan Wythe, Dr. Williams, Katie:
   - The Street Health Teams are all working well, focusing on Flu vaccines, no big updates

4. Presentation: Alameda County Mobile Crisis Expanded Services:

   Stephanie Lewis, Alameda County Behavioral Health: 510 891-5600 stephanie.lewis@acgov.org

   Please see attached PPT for description of new mobile mental health crisis services provided by Alameda County Behavioral Health.

   Additional Community-based Mental Health Resources (these are city- and community-level, not ACBH services:
   - MACRO: Mobile Assistance Community Responders of Oakland. TBA, currently in RFQ status seeking community providers to join, based on Eugene OR CAHOOTS model.
5. Highlights

- Frontline Workers Counseling Project; fwcp.org
- Bottled water distribution starts Thursday, October 29th
- Please Review ACBH Crisis Response PPT
- NEXT WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 11 Meeting CANCELLED

Thank you all for the coordinated efforts being made to support persons living unsheltered! Be compassionate in your care for yourself and others!