HCH Leadership Brainstorm Notes

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***Program Direction***

* Hire new director with expertise appropriate to direction and scope of HCH
* Quadruple mobile medical outreach capacity and do it ourselves (Kathleen)
* Develop a Multi-Disciplinary Team approach to outreach, including MH clinicians and leverage Medi-Cal Billing (Rebecca)
* Develop Specialty CM for acute/chronic discharge transitions (Kathleen)
* Develop medical respite capacity for Homeless folks to assist with d/c transitions
* Establish mechanisms for sustainability of changes and initiatives
* Increase partnership with ACBHCS and MHSA Funding/Efforts

***Priority Discussions/Decisions to be Made***

* Housing VS Health *or* Move system towards integrated service
* HCH Help to move homeless services system towards integration of Housing and Health?
* HCH Unique and Separate from the County Structure *or* Integrated (program has been very insular)
  + Insulation limits reach
  + Integration increases reach, influence and resource
  + Integration could look like operating and staff a specialty clinic/site/hub that serves as a model for the County, facilitate convening and expert role
* Relationship with Everyone Home/efforts to end homelessness
  + What does relationship look like?
* How to respond to urgent demands from political leadership/Cities
  + Clarify scope and devise strategy

***Potential Threats to Planning and Implementation***

* Supervisor Miley’s desire to have ability to “dispatch” HCH
* Other Supervisors interests
* BACS Funding/Relationship (not clear on this one)
* HCH leadership and staff resource limited, resulting in program vulnerability to impact of turnover

***Key In-County Stakeholders***

1. Board of Supervisors, Staff and/or Sups
2. Colleen Chawla, HSA Director
3. Susan Muranishi, AC CAO
4. Lori Cox, Director, SSA
5. Linda Gardner, Director HCD
6. Sarah Bedford, City of Oakland HHS
7. Elaine De Coligny, Director, Everyone Home
8. EriKa Pan PHD, Director of Infectious Disease, PH
9. Kitko Malin, Director of Family Health, PH
10. Kimi Watkins-Tartt, Deputy Director of PH
11. Nancy O’Malley, AC District Attorney
12. Bay Area Community Services
13. Oakland Community Organizations
14. Faith Community Representatives

***Additional Info from Out-of-County Stakeholders***

* Who do you serve?

***Suggestions for In-County Stakeholder Survey***

* Integrate/dovetail with HCH Needs Assessment
* Identify priority questions
* Conduct focus groups as efficient way to gather data
* “Multiple choice,” not open-ended questions, to get usable, aligned input