

September 29th & 30th

Capital Hill Hilton, 525 New Jersey Avenue NW, Washington, DC, 20002

Thursday, September 28, 2023

6:00 P.M. - 8:00 P.M. | Welcome Reception for Scholarship Recipients | Room: Ballroom Foyer & Hermitage

Friday, September 29, 2023

7:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M. | Registration (Available All Day) | Room: Grand Ballroom

8:00 A.M. - 9:00 A.M. | Breakfast | Room: Grand Ballroom

9:00 A.M. - 10:00 A.M. | **Opening Plenary: News from the Federal Government** | Room: Grand Ballroom

10:05 A.M. - 11:00 A.M.

How Do We Beat Cicero? | Presenters: Eric Tars, Matt Mollica | Room: Hermitage

What's in the Research: Recent Reports and Releases | Claudine Sipilli, Samatha Batko | Room: Madison

Changing the Narrative | Marisol Bello, Lynn Lewis | Room: Grand Ballroom

11:05 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.

How A Bill Becomes Law | NCH Policy Team | Room: Hermitage

Data and Change Work | Bree Taylor, Shenadoah Gale | Room: Madison

Leading with LETA | Roderick Woodruff, Rajni Shankar-Brown, Donald Whitehead | Room: Grand Ballroom

12:05 P.M. - 1:00 P.M. | **Lunch Plenary: Representative Cori Bush** | Room: Grand Ballroom

1:00 P.M. - 1:10 P.M. | Break | Grand Ballroom Foyer

1:10 P.M. - 2:00 P.M. | **National Advocacy Executive Directors Roundtable Discussion** | Ann Oliva, Kathryn Monet, Bobby Watts, Diane Yentel, Donald Whitehead | Room: Grand Ballroom

2:05 P.M. - 3:00 P.M.

TBA | Room: Hermitage

How To Write A Policy Brief | NCH Policy Team | Room: Madison

Grassroots Organizing 101 | Ramina Davidson, Paul Boden | Room: Grand Ballroom

2:45 P.M. - 3:15 P.M. | Break | Room: Grand Ballroom Foyer

3:05 P.M. - 4:00 P.M. |

Building Youth Power | Marcella Middleton, Alexander Perez | Room: Hermitage

The Homeless WANDERland: Your Game, Your Show | Room: Madison

More Than Storytellers: Utilizing Live Experience for Advocacy and Social Change | Rachelle Ellison, Michelle Miller, Jeffrey Bingham | Room: Grand Ballroom

4:05 P.M. - 5:00 P.M. |

From Lived Experience to Leadership | Kansas City COC Leaders, Erika Wright | Room: Hermitage

What is Housing Justice? | Sarah Hunter, Amanda Andere | Room: Madison

Using Film & Media for Advocacy | Mark Horvath, Caletta Harris | Room: Grand Ballroom

6:00 P.M. - 7:00 P.M. | **Social Hour, Networking & Karaoke** | Room: Grand Ballroom Foyer

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Saturday, September 30, 2023

8:00 A.M. - 9:00 A.M. | Breakfast | Room: Grand Ballroom Foyer

9:00 A.M. - 10:00 A.M. | **Opening Plenary: Bring America Home NOW!** Donald Whitehead, Rajni Shankar-Brown, Francis Kalombo Ngoy, Sue Watlov Phillips, | Room: Grand Ballroom

10:05 A.M. - 11:00 A.M. |

Exploring Racial Equity and Homelessness | Regina Cannon, LaMont Green, Lori Pampillo-Harris, David Peery | Room: Hermitage

Tenant Organizing | Susie Shannon | Room: Madison

Breaking Down Silos and Building Capacity for Legislative Change: One State's Model | Delaware HOMES Campaign, Delaware ACLU, Delaware Community Legal Aid Society | Room: Grand Ballroom

11:05 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.

NCH Membership: How to be an Ambassador of NCH in Your Community | Room: Hermitage

How Data Is Used In Advocacy: Acronym Soup | Room: Madison

Climate Change & Environmental Impact on Homelessness | Room: Grand Ballroom

12:05 P.M. - 1:00 P.M. | **Lunch Plenary: Ruth Jones Nichols** | Room: Grand Ballroom

1:00 P.M. - 1:15 P.M. | Break

1:15 P.M. - 2:00 P.M. | **New Faces of Homelessness** | Christina Garcia, Iffat Walker, Marcella Middleton, Albert Townsend, Rashema Melson | Room: Grand Ballroom

2:05 P.M. - 3:00 P.M. |

Breaking the Prison to Homelessness Pipeline | Don Gardner, Christina Garcia, Ramina Davidson | Room: Hermitage

Fostering Care: Youth Access to Housing Supports | Ruth White, Adaora Anoura | Room: Madison

Incorporating People With Lived Experience into Your Work | Matthew Mollica, Robert Warren, Street Sense | Room: Grand Ballroom

2:45 P.M. - 3:15 P.M. | Break | Room: Grand ballroom Foyer

3:05 P.M. - 4:00 P.M.

Looking at Arts as Advocacy | Anita Beaty, Tammy DeGruchy Grubbs, Street Sense Media | Room: Hermitage

Advocacy in Small-Town America and Outside the Mainland | Barbara Anderson, Iffat Walker | Room: Madison

Using Your Voice for Technical Assistance | Abt Associates | Room: Grand Ballroom

4:05 P.M. - 5:00 P.M.

Innovate Housing Options | Finny Mathew, Terrick Moyer | Room: Hermitage

Lived Experience Leadership Development | Path Academy, Amanda Richer, Lamont Green, William Higgins | Room: Madison

Funding Non-Profit Startup Facilitated | Brian Davis, George Levanthall | Room: Grand Ballroom

6:00 P.M. - 8:00 P.M. | **NCH Awards** | Room: Grand Ballroom

6:00 P.M. - 7:00 P.M. | Dinner | Room: Grand Ballroom Foyer