

Subject: Washington State Continuum of Care (CoC) Homeless Assistance Program

4People can help you meet the requirements of the CoC Homeless Assistant Program (3 year grant due 9/15/2008). This includes the counties under the Balance of State (contact CTED for application) Federal Register (<http://edocket.access.gpo.gov/2008/E8-15664.htm>) with the following features:

- 4People county specific websites provide public listings of resources, services, and housing for at-risk families and individuals. This same site can provide the community outreach, promotion, and transparency of CoC information to the community.
- 4People Community Case Management system interfaced with the county specific resource website provides a centralized and standardized intake form.
- 4People Housing Registry provides a way for landlords to sign up to provide housing for at-risk families if a caseworker helps with the transition.
- 4People online Self Sufficiency form to evaluate effectiveness of services to increase self sufficiency.
- 4People reports and evaluations over time to determine effectiveness of services provided to clients and their effect on permanence of housing.

Become a 4People Partner:

1. Adopt the 4People County website of resources and provide CoC information on the website or put a link to 4People on your CoC site.
2. Review current online resources; develop comprehensive housing inventories, medical and dental listings, etc, to be posted on the 4People county site. Service is free but donations are accepted.
3. Promote the county website in your area for people to find the help they need.
4. Register and get trained to use the Community Case Management system
5. Write into the CoC Grant application due 9/15/08 that 4People is a partner and will provide a website and coordinated case management system for your community.

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