

National Health Care for the Homeless Council Learning Collaborative on the Adoption and Implementation of **Trauma-Informed Health Care for the Homeless Projects – Year One**



Participant Learning Objectives

As an individual participant, what will you have learned by the end of our last session?

- List how trauma can impact an individual:
 - Physically
 - Cognitively
 - Behaviorally
 - Emotionally
 - Interpersonally
 - Spiritually
- Relate the dynamics between micro and macro level responses to trauma.
- Explain the relationship between homelessness and trauma.
- Describe various trauma-informed (TI) models and their principles
- Demonstrate how the principles of various TI models appear as:
 - Organizational policies, practices, and procedures
 - Interactions, such as relational behavior and communication
- Describe challenges and barriers to changing systems/organizations
 - Include potential solutions

Participant Action Objectives

As an individual participant, what will you have done by the end of our last session?

- Meet and discuss trauma with staff from other health care for the homeless (HCH) programs
- Share experiences in addressing trauma at your organization or community
- Learn about available trauma resources
- Share information and knowledge about available resources
- Receiving training
- Ask questions
- Share challenges
- Receive guidance from subject-matter experts
- Receive and offer peer support
- Help Council staff with planning logic models for TI HCH programs, and achieving the larger goals of the LC

As a collaborative, the group will have accomplished the following:

- Identified tools for how to conduct a TI organizational assessment at a Health Care for the Homeless program
- Identified organizational and systems change plans for how to become a TI organization
- Decide to choose an existing OR develop a new assessment tool and/or organizational plan, which will include steps for readiness, a structure for assessment, a process for implementation, and metrics and methods for evaluation.