



El Cajon Collaborative Homeless Services Work Group  
 April 4, 2017--Meeting Agenda  
 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.  
 Little House 131 Avocado Ave. El Cajon, CA 92020

Agenda Items	Time	Presenter	Action
I. <b>Welcome and Introductions:</b>	9:00	Carol Lewis, Collaborative Coordinator	
II. <b>Overview of Meeting</b>			
<b>A. Results of March Meeting</b>	9:05	Carol Lewis	
<b>B. East Co. Regional Homeless Task Force Committee Updates</b>	9:10	Group	
III. <b>East Region Homeless Outreach Team (HOT)</b>	9:30	Erica Bjerneboe, Human Services Specialist, HHS El Cajon FRC	
IV. <b>Family Health Centers El Cajon Homeless Support Group</b>	10:00	Noemi Garcia- FHCSD	
V. <b>Work Group Action Items</b>			
<b>A. Webpage Information</b>	10:10	Group	
<b>B. Streamlined Approach</b>	10:15		
VI. <b>Agency Announcements</b>	10:25	Group	
VII. <b>Adjournment</b>	10:30		

**Next Homeless Services Work Group Meeting:**  
 Tuesday, May 2, 2017 9:00 a.m. CVUSD Board Room  
 750 E. Main St., El Cajon  
**El Cajon Council Meetings:**  
 Tuesday, April 4 & May 2, 2017 12:30 p.m. CVUSD Board Room  
 750 E. Main St., El Cajon  
**Newcomers' Collaborative Meeting** Tuesday, April 11 10:30 a.m.  
 HHS East Region, Magnolia Conference Room

*“Sometimes it's easy to walk by because we know we can't change someone's whole life in a single afternoon. But what we fail to realize is that simple kindness can go a long way toward encouraging someone who is stuck in a desolate place.”*

– **Mike Yankoski**

## 2016-2020 Overall Strategic Focus

### El Cajon Collaborative

#### Goals:

1. Increase pro-social activities for children and youth:
  - A. Objective: Increase access to safe & healthy recreational opportunities
  - B. Objective: Increase opportunities for meaningful youth leadership and civic engagement.
  
2. Increase community involvement in Collaborative partnerships:
  - A. Objective: Increase community engagement in self-sufficiency opportunities.
  - B. Objective: Increase community partnerships to support cultural inclusion.
  - C. Objective: Mobilize residents to proactively participate in community enhancement activities.
  
3. Enhance prevention strategies using the public health model:
  - A. Objective: Advance opportunities to create safe, healthy and livable neighborhoods (universal)
  - B. Objective: Improve community health & wellness through resident engagement (secondary)
  - C. Objective: Increase culturally appropriate healthcare services (targeted)
  
4. Increase advocacy efforts to support policies that:
  - A. Objective: Ensure safe, fair and affordable housing across the continuum of need;
  - B. Objective: Promote economic development to adequately ensure self-sufficiency;
  - C. Objective: Provide educational opportunities leading to career pathways;
  - D. Objective: Address community environments and norms to foster health.

**Mission:**

The El Cajon Collaborative builds relationships, leverages resources and promotes best practices to enhance the quality of life for children, youth and families in our community.