

Norfolk Homeless Consortium

2009-2010 Goals

Goal — Increase the number of non-CoC funded agencies participation in HMIS

- The NHC will encourage all agencies providing preventive services to participate in HMIS, search for grants to help fund data entry, and work to develop a plan that prevents duplications.

Goal – Increase participation in the Homeless Vigil

- Work with localities to initiate a regional day, increase awareness and grow the homeless vigil.

Goal – Increase the number of persons employed through continued Employment Connect Events in partnerships with the business community

- Increase awareness of employment resources including trainings, education resources, and certification programs.

Goal – Work with the City to expand the number of agencies participating in the Standards of Care review process through collaboration with the City

- Develop a review process with the City of Norfolk, Office of Grants Management to include agencies funded under CDBG funds.

Goal – Utilize the results of the community needs assessment to determine the priorities of the Norfolk Homeless Consortium

- Having data driven priorities will give additional guidance during the 2010 Continuum of Care application ranking and review process.

Goal – Increase focus on ex-offenders through targeted efforts in all NHC committees

- Encourage all NHC committees to devote time to addressing this issue.