



KCRHA
King County Regional Homelessness Authority

Seattle Based Non-Congregate Alternative to Shelter RFP – Info Session #2

December 22, 2021 – 2:00pm – 3:00pm

Question: Can you define 24/7 on-site operations? For a scattered site operation say with tiny homes (not in a village setting), does this mean 24/7 operations need to be maintained at each site... or that those services need to be available to clients living in those settings 24/7

Answer/46.00 mins: It's open for flexibility. At minimum, it needs to be secure, and applicants should propose how that looks. Not necessarily the expectation that there will be clinical staff on site 24/7, but someone to deal with emergencies and ensure the community is safe and secure

Question: Hi I'm with Facing Homelessness and we provide housing through the BLOCK Project, where self-sufficient tiny homes are placed in single family backyards across Seattle. One of the stated requirements is in regard to CEA and referrals from the Hope teams. We are unlikely to be able to participate in CEA directly, however wondered what this statement means:

" KCRHA is open to operating a service provision partnership structure that includes an operating agency and a partner service provider."

Our clients come from referrals from Mary's Place and Chief Seattle Club among others. Would we possibly qualify for operations funding through a partnership with partners that participate in Hope and CEA?

Answer: We suggest you contact other service providers to see if they have creative ways on how to partner and see if they have capacity to fill in some of the criteria areas for this RFP that your organization cannot at this time. After the RFP is awarded, we can discuss capacity building.