

Community Convening on Homelessness

Friday, October 18, 2019

9 a.m.-2 p.m.

Reginald F. Lewis Museum



WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE.

Welcome! Today, you join a diverse cross-section of leaders for an honest conversation about homelessness. See what's in store.

AGENDA

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| 9 a.m. | Welcome |
| 9:15 a.m. | Morning Speakers
How We Got Here: Examining the Root Causes of Homelessness |
| 9:40 a.m. | Panel Discussion and Q&A
Where We are Now: The Dynamics of Homelessness in Baltimore |
| 10:50 a.m. | Break |
| 11 a.m. | Table Time: Guided Scenario Discussions |
| 12 p.m. | Buffet Lunch and Fireside Chat |
| 1:15 p.m. | Afternoon Speaker
Where We Go from Here: Identifying Innovative (Structural) Approaches to Addressing Homelessness |
| 1:30 p.m. | Table Time: Facilitated Debrief and Survey |

OUR GOAL FOR TODAY

Our primary goal is to generate new working relationships across sectors to address issues of homelessness with greater empathy and awareness.

WELCOME

Kevin Lindamood, MSW

President and CEO, Health Care for the Homeless

Kevin Lindamood has worked for over 20 years at the intersection of homelessness and health. He has been an outreach worker, clinician, community organizer, advocate—and since 2011, the CEO of Maryland’s leading provider of integrated health services for people experiencing homelessness. Lindamood serves on Maryland’s Interagency Council on Homelessness, as the Governance Committee Chair for The Journey Home: Baltimore’s Continuum of Care and as the Policy Committee Co-Chair for Behavioral Health Systems Baltimore. He holds an MSW from the University of Michigan, a bachelor’s degree from Valparaiso University and is a graduate of the Greater Baltimore Committee Leadership Program.



John “Johnny O” Olszewski, Jr., PhD

Baltimore County Executive

Johnny O served in the Maryland House of Delegates for nearly nine years, representing District 6. Since his election to County Executive in 2018, Olszewski has focused on improving education and making government more transparent and accountable—providing record funding for Baltimore County Public Schools and creating an Office for Ethics and Accountability. He earned an undergraduate degree from Goucher College, a master’s degree from The George Washington University and a PhD in public policy from the University of Maryland Baltimore County.



MORNING SPEAKERS

Andre M. Davis, Esq

Baltimore City Solicitor

Andre Davis served for 30 years as a judge on four courts: the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit; the United States District Court for the District of Maryland; the Circuit Court for Baltimore City; and the state District Court. In September 2017, Davis retired from the bench and was appointed by Mayor Pugh as Baltimore City Solicitor. In this role, he heads the City Law Department, comprised of more than 100 lawyers and support personnel, and serves as one of five members of the City’s Board of Estimates. Davis received a bachelor’s degree in American history from the University of Pennsylvania and graduated cum laude from the University of Maryland School of Law.





Joe N. Savage, Jr., PhD

Regional Coordinator, U.S. Interagency Council on Homelessness

Joe Savage is a recognized leader with over 15 years of experience in the fields of homelessness, social policy, economic development and human services administration. His passion for this work has cultivated years of skills and expertise that have helped bring over \$150 million of funding to support housing and services for homeless and community development projects. Savage's commitment to this work is rooted in his belief in the dignity of human life. He has a PhD in urban affairs and public policy from the University of Delaware.

PANEL DISCUSSION AND Q&A

Monique Brown

Lieutenant Colonel, Baltimore City Police Department

Monique Brown joined the Baltimore Police Department in 2000 and is assigned to Neighborhood Services. She served as an Executive Board member of the Vanguard Justice Society, Inc. and for WiLEP (Women in Law Enforcement Professionals). A native of Baltimore City, Lt. Col. Brown grew up in East Baltimore and graduated from Mergenthaler Vocational Technical High School, the University of Maryland Criminal Justice Leadership program and SMIP (Senior Management Institute for Police). She is attending Strayer University to complete a bachelor's degree in criminal justice.



Jim French

President, French Development LLC

Jim French has been active in the field of housing for over 30 years. Since 2008, he's been responsible for the oversight of all company real estate development projects, many of which include low income housing tax credits and a focus on greater regional equity in affordable housing. He serves on the Baltimore City Commission on Historical and Architectural Preservation and the boards of the Bromo Tower Arts and Entertainment District, and the Baltimore Arts Realty Corporation. French received a bachelor's degree at the University of Pennsylvania, and he has a master's degree in community planning and a housing finance professional certificate from the University of Maryland at College Park.



Jalal “Jay” Greene, MBA, MCRP *Chief Operating Officer, Baltimore City Department of Housing & Community Development*

Jay Greene, a Harlem native, joined the Department of Housing & Community Development in 2018. Greene, DHCD’s first COO, has expertise in affordable housing, real estate development, and community development and redevelopment. As COO, Greene is responsible for daily operations, strategic planning, budgets and operations for the Agency’s core activities. He also oversees all development activities, demolitions, federal funds and resource allocation. Greene earned master’s degrees in business administration from Pace University and in city and regional planning from The Pratt Institute. He has a bachelor’s degree in economics from City College of New York.



Redonda G. Miller, MD, MBA *President, Johns Hopkins Hospital*

Redonda Miller is President of The Johns Hopkins Hospital, a 1,100-bed academic medical center with a dual mission of innovation and community care. A physician by training, Dr. Miller continues to advance the hospital’s focus on high value care, enhancing safety and the patient experience, and improving the overall health of all populations. Dr. Miller serves as chair of the 2019 Greater Maryland Heart Walk, as a member of the Maryland Hospital Association executive committee, and on Gilchrist’s Board of Directors. Her many honors include being named by *Modern Healthcare* as one of their Top 25 Women in Healthcare for 2019.



Lawanda Williams, LCSW-C *Director of Housing Services, Health Care for the Homeless*

Lawanda Williams oversees five distinct housing programs that currently help 400 people experiencing homelessness to obtain and maintain housing. During her eight-year tenure at Health Care for the Homeless, she has been a strong advocate for client inclusion and practices that center around client choice. Williams serves on the National Health Care for the Homeless Council’s Network Steering Committee. She earned her associate’s degree in human services, with a concentration in substance abuse counseling, and earned both bachelor’s and master’s degrees of social work from Morgan State University.



AFTERNOON SPEAKER



Jazz Lewis, MPP

Senior Policy Advisor, Office of Congressman Steny Hoyer; District 24 Delegate, Maryland House of Delegates

Jazz Lewis advises Majority Leader Hoyer on both Maryland and national policy issues, including transportation, small business and government contracting, housing and community development and judiciary and criminal justice reform. He also represents Prince George's County in the Maryland House of Delegates, serving on the House Judiciary Committee as Chair of the Family Law Subcommittee and as the Chair of the Maryland House Democratic Caucus. In these roles, Lewis focuses on criminal justice reform and economic opportunity. A University of Maryland alumnus, Lewis has a bachelor's degree in government and politics and a master's degree in public policy.



Health Care for the Homeless works to prevent and end homelessness for vulnerable individuals and families by providing quality, integrated health care and promoting access to affordable housing and sustainable incomes through direct service, advocacy and community engagement.

**Questions? Contact Eddie Martin,
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LUNCH MENU

Caesar Salad

Crisp romaine lettuce dressed with homemade caesar dressing and topped with freshly made seasoned croutons

Penne Pasta with Blackened Chicken

With sundried tomatoes, peas, capers and peppers in a light cream sauce

Vegetarian Penne Pasta

With sundried tomatoes, peas, capers and peppers in a light cream sauce

Grilled Vegetables

Roasted squash, zucchini, tri color peppers, asparagus, red onions and roasted mushrooms drizzled with balsamic vinegar and extra virgin olive oil

Garlic Sticks

Dessert

Biscotti and chocolate eclairs

Beverages

Ice tea, lemonade and bottled water

Special thank you to today's facilitators

- **Marcus Coleman, MPA**
Fellow, Truman National Security Project; Senior Associate, HWC
- **Kevin Feldt, MPA**
Director of Development, Health Care for the Homeless
- **J. Kirby Fowler, JD**
President, Downtown Partnership of Baltimore
- **Leslie Graham, MHSA**
President & Chief Executive Officer, Primary Care Coalition
- **Rev. Dr. Alvin C. Hathaway, Sr., DMin, PhD**
Senior Pastor, Union Baptist Church; President & CEO, Beloved Community Services, Inc.
- **Rev. Debra Hickman, MDiv**
Co-Founder and CEO, Sisters Together and Rising (STAR)
- **Darnell E. Ingram, Esq**
Director, Office of Civil Rights Baltimore City
- **Amy Kleine, MPH, MSW**
Senior Program Officer, The Harry and Jeanette Weinberg Foundation
- **Stuart Levine, MD, FACP**
*President & Chief Medical Officer, MedStar Harbor Hospital;
Senior Vice President, MedStar Health*
- **Jazz Lewis, MPP**
*Senior Policy Advisor, Office of Congressman Steny Hoyer;
District 24 Delegate, Maryland House of Delegates*
- **Willy Moore**
President, Southway Builders
- **Sadiya Muqueeth, MPH, DrPH**
Grants Evaluation Strategist - Community Affairs, CareFirst BlueCross BlueShield
- **James C. Oliver, Esq**
Former Board Chair, Health Care for the Homeless
- **Marla Oros, RN, MS**
Founder and President, Mosaic Group
- **Winston Philip**
*Manager, Data Analysis and Performance, Center for Urban Families;
Board Chair, The Journey Home Baltimore*
- **Joe N. Savage, Jr., PhD**
Regional Coordinator, U.S. Interagency Council on Homelessness
- **Wendy Shaia, EdD, MSW**
*Executive Director, Social Work Community Outreach Service, and Clinical
Assistant Professor, University of Maryland School of Social Work*
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