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	Topic:	Date(s):	Location:
Basic Trainings	**BT1 – Entry Point Basic Training, Part 1** *(Tentative, based on demand)* *This training covers the history and structure of SubCook Coordinated Entry, and an overview of the housing matching process, and our evidence-based foundational values and frameworks.*	Friday, 1/17/2020 9:30am-12:30pm	Alliance to End Homelessness 4415 Harrison St., Conference Room #408, Hillside, IL Click to register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/bt1-entry-point-basic-training-part-1-registration-81855161993
	BT2 - Entry Point Basic Training, Part 2 *(Tentative, based on demand)* *This training covers how the housing matching process works, how to complete the SubCook Phased Assessment and VI-SPDATs, and how to document a client's homeless history and disability*	Friday, 1/17/2020 1:30pm-4:30pm	Alliance to End Homelessness 4415 Harrison St., Conference Room #408, Hillside, IL Click to register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/bt2-entry-point-basic-training-part-2-registration-81855699601
	BT3 – DV 101, Screening and Safety Planning with Kerry Hill *Basics about DV, how to recognize survivors of domestic violence, sexual assault and trafficking, and how to make plans and take steps to ensure their safety, healing, and access to care.*	Wednesday, 3/4/2020 1pm-4pm	Housing Forward 1851 S. 9th Ave., Maywood (park on Lexington or in the lot on the south side of Lexington that opens onto 8th Ave., and enter the building on 9th Ave.) Click to register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/bt3-dv-101-screening-and-safety-planning-with-kerry-hill-registration-81855811937

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Basic Trainings	**BTU – Entry Point Annual Update** *This training covers updates about how our Coordinated Entry System works. Possible topics include: new HMIS Coordinated Entry "event" tracking, common difficulties navigating the housing process, and other topics.* ***Assessors and their supervisors should attend at least one of these every year.*** ****these dates are tentative and are based on processes involving HUD and our HMIS network provider which are difficult to predict.***	Wednesday, 4/1/2020 1pm – 4pm	Housing Forward 1851 S. 9th Ave., Maywood (park on Lexington or in the lot on the south side of Lexington that opens onto 8th Ave., and enter the building on 9th Ave.) Click to register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/btu-entry-point-annual-update-west-registration-81856036609
		Wednesday, 4/15/2020 1pm – 4pm	Alliance to End Homelessness 4415 Harrison St., Conference Room #408, Hillside, IL Click to register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/btu-entry-point-annual-update-west-registration-81856209125
		Friday, 4/17/2020 10am – 1pm	Evanston Civic Center 2100 Ridge Ave., Evanston, Parasol Room, room #4900 Click to register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/btu-entry-point-annual-update-north-registration-81856443827
		Thursday, 4/30/2020 1pm – 4pm	Aunt Martha's 400 Forest Blvd., Park Forest Click to register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/btu-entry-point-annual-update-south-registration-81856680535

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Cultural Competence	**CC1 - Cultural and Developmental Competence for Transition Aged Youth (TAY)** *This training explores unique developmental, cultural and social factors for understanding TAY, and how to be culturally and clinically competent and successfully engage young people experiencing homelessness or housing crisis.*	Wednesday, 3/11/2020 1pm-4pm	W.I.N.G.S. 5104 Tollview Dr., Suite B., Rolling Meadows Click to register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/cc1-cultural-and-developmental-competence-for-transition-aged-youth-tay-registration-81856961375
	CC2 - Cultural Competency and Making Safe Space for LGBTQI-GNC People *This training reviews current terminology and concepts around gender and sexuality, explores special risk factors faced by LGBTQI-GNC people, and provides best practices and skill building for making safe space and providing sensitive and competent care and support.*	Tuesday, 3/10/2020 1pm-4pm	South Suburban PADS 4411 W. Gatling Blvd., Country Club Hills Click to register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/cc2-cultural-competency-and-making-safe-space-for-lgbtqi-gnc-people-registration-81857741709

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Evidence Based Practice Frameworks	**EBP1 - Housing First Framework and Efficacy** *Explores the basic principles of Housing First, how it works, and how we apply it in order to house clients with the greatest vulnerability and most complex needs.*	**Wednesday, 1/15/2020** **1pm-4pm**	Aunt Martha's 400 Forest Blvd., Park Forest Click to register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/ebp1-housing-first-framework-and-efficacy-registration-81860706577
	EBP2 - Trauma and its Impact *Explores how trauma impacts people emotionally, psychologically, physically, etc., and how post trauma response shows up in people's behaviors and functioning.*	Monday, 1/13/2020 2pm-5pm	Northwest Compass 1300 W. Northwest Highway, Mount Prospect Click to register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/ebp2-trauma-and-its-impact-registration-81854152975
	EBP3 - Trauma Informed Care *How to use research and evidence based practices to set up environments and programs that are sensitive to and safe for those who have experienced trauma.* ***This training will be more helpful for those who have attended "Trauma and its Impact" first.***	Monday, 2/10/2020 2pm-5pm	Northwest Compass 1300 W. Northwest Highway, Mount Prospect Click to register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/ebp3-trauma-informed-care-registration-81854682559

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Evidence Based Practice Frameworks	**EBP4 - Motivational Interviewing Concepts and Skills** *This is an introduction to the clinical skill of motivational interviewing, its values, and how to use OARS skills to identify ambivalence in a client and collaborate toward greater client self-efficacy and goal-directedness.*	Wednesday, 2/12/2020 1pm-4pm	W.I.N.G.S. 5104 Tollview Dr., Suite B., Rolling Meadows Click to register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/ebp4-motivational-interviewing-concepts-and-skills-registration-81859996453
	EBP6 - Outreach and Engagement Best Practices and Skills Share *This trainings covers effective frameworks and strategies for conducting outreach to people experiencing homeless and to community stakeholders, and provides opportunities for seasoned Outreach Practitioners to share resources and best practices.* ***This training is required for all staff receiving outreach funding through the CoC or CE, but everyone interested in OR is welcome.***	Wednesday, 1/22/2020 10am-1pm	BEDS Plus Care 9601 Ogden Ave., La Grange Click to register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/ebp6-outreach-and-engagement-best-practices-and-skills-share-registration-81861571163

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Crisis Intervention Electives	**Mental Health First Aid (Adult)*** *How to recognize when someone might be developing a mental health disorder or experiencing a mental health crisis, and how to intervene in a helpful and productive way. Includes info on Depression, Anxiety, Substance use and Psychosis, and how to assess and respond to common crises, including suicidal thinking, panic attack, and severe reaction to a traumatic event.* **This training results in a MHFA certification and has an additional materials fee of $25.*	**Two-day class:** Thursday, 2/20/2020 AND Friday, 2/21/2020 12pm – 5pm (attend both)	Aunt Martha's 400 Forest Blvd., Park Forest Click to register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/mental-health-first-aid-adult-registration-81861065651
	Mental Health First Aid (YOUTH)* *How to recognize when a youth or young adult might be developing a mental health disorder or experiencing a mental health crisis, and how to intervene in a helpful and productive way. Includes info on Depression, Anxiety, Substance use and Psychosis, and how to assess and respond to common crises, including suicidal thinking, panic attack, and severe reaction to a traumatic event, with a special focus on developmental needs of youth.* **This training results in a MHFA certification and has an additional materials fee of $25.*	**Two-day class:** Tuesday, 3/17/2020 AND Wednesday, 3/18/2020 12pm – 5pm (attend both)	Park District of Oak Park Ridgeland Common, 415 Lake Street, Oak Park Click to register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/mental-health-first-aid-youth-registration-81862174969

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Crisis Intervention Electives	**Nonviolent Crisis Intervention* (CPI)** *CPI is an internationally-recognized and -employed model that examines how a person's anxiety and behavior might escalate, and identifies the appropriate staff response to deescalate behavior, including proper use of personal spacing, paraverbal behavior, nonverbal cues, and touch, as well as effective limit setting and productive debriefing of crisis incidents.* **This training results in a CPI certification and has an additional materials fee of $25.*	**Friday, 1/10/2020** **9:30am-5pm**	**Evanston Civic Center** **2100 Ridge Ave., Evanston,** **Parasol Room, room #4900** **Click to register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/nonviolent-crisis-intervention-cpi-registration-82076191097**
		Friday, 1/24/2020 9:30am-5pm	South Suburban PADS 4411 W. Gatling Blvd., Country Club Hills Click to register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/nonviolent-crisis-intervention-cpi-registration-81858688541
	Nonviolent Crisis Intervention* (CPI) REFRESHER *CPI is an internationally-recognized and -employed model that examines how a person's anxiety and behavior might escalate, and identifies the appropriate staff response to deescalate behavior, including proper use of personal spacing, paraverbal behavior, nonverbal cues, and touch, as well as effective limit setting and productive debriefing of crisis incidents.* ***This is a refresher training, and is only open to those who have been trained in CPI <u>in the last year.</u>*** **This training results in a CPI certification and has an additional materials fee of $25.*	Wednesday, 2/5/2020 1pm-4pm	Housing Forward 1851 S. 9th Ave., Maywood (park on Lexington or in the lot on the south side of Lexington that opens onto 8th Ave., and enter the building on 9th Ave.) Click to register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/cpi-nonviolent-crisis-intervention-refresher-registration-81859541091

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Other Elective Topics	**Allyship and Solidarity 101** *The people we work with have experienced many forms of oppression and disenfranchisement stemming from racism and white supremacy, homophobia, transphobia, sexism, ableism, ageism, religious discrimination, etc. We are all part of the system that privileges some and disadvantages others. We will learn how to identify the mechanisms of power and privilege, and learn practical ways to demonstrate solidarity and allyship with those in the margins.*	Tuesday, 1/28/2020 1pm-4pm	Housing Forward 1851 S. 9th Ave., Maywood (park on Lexington or in the lot on the south side of Lexington that opens onto 8th Ave., and enter the building on 9th Ave.) Click to register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/allyship-and-solidarity-101-registration-81859803877
	Disability Rights and Access for All with staff from Progress Center for Independent Living. *Trainers will address barriers faced by people who have disabilities, including issues of etiquette, and provide an overview of the Americans with Disabilities Act and the Fair Housing Amendments Act. The training will also cover provisions and accommodations that programs and landlords need to make in order to better include and serve all people.*	Monday, 3/23/2020 1:30pm-4:30pm	Oak Park Public Library 834 Lake St., Oak Park, Veterans' Room Click to register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/disability-rights-and-access-for-all-with-guest-trainer-gary-arnold-registration-83035558591 PROGRESS CENTER for independent living

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	Fair Housing with guest trainer Rachel Watson, Community Engagement and Education Coordinator for HOPE Fair Housing Center. *The training will include basic information on the Federal Fair Housing Act, Americans With Disabilities Act, and the Illinois Human Rights Act, covering protected classes and examples of housing discrimination. Special emphasis will be put on the rights of people with disabilities.*	Friday, 1/3/2020 1pm-4pm	Northwest Compass 1300 W. Northwest Highway, Mount Prospect Click to register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/fair-housing-law-and-discrimination-with-rachel-watson-registration-81866638319 HOPE FAIR HOUSING CENTER
Other Elective Topics	**Fair Housing Law with guest trainer John R. Petruszak,** Executive Director South Suburban Housing Center. *The training will include basic information on the Federal Fair Housing Act, Illinois Human Rights Act, and Cook County Human Rights Ordinance covering protected classes and examples of housing discrimination. Special emphasis will be put on the rights of people with disabilities and new protections for individuals with criminal histories.*	Thursday, 2/13/2020 10am-1pm	South Suburban Housing Center 18220 Harwood Avenue, Suite 1,Homewood Click to register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/fair-housing-law-and-discrimination-with-john-petruszak-registration-81867448743 SOUTH SUBURBAN HOUSING CENTER

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	Human Trafficking 101 with guest trainer KT McClure-González, Anti-Trafficking Outreach Specialist at the Salvation Army's STOP-IT program *Human trafficking is a crime that is hidden in plain sight. In this training, service providers will be equipped with information on the elements of human trafficking, risk factors that increase vulnerabilities to trafficking, and legislation that addresses the issue. Practitioners will learn how to identify and respond to potential situations of trafficking and will learn about community resources that can be of help to survivors.* *KT McClure works as an anti-trafficking outreach specialist with The Salvation Army STOP-IT Program. The STOP-IT program provides supportive services to survivors of both sex and labor trafficking through intensive case management, a drop-in center for female identified youth, and a 24/7 hotline.*	Thursday, 1/9/2020 10am-12pm	Aunt Martha's 400 Forest Blvd., Park Forest Click to register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/human-trafficking-101-with-kt-mcclure-gonzalez-registration-81861308377 THE SALVATION ARMY

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Other Elective Topics	**Immigrants' Rights and Public Benefits with guest trainer Andrea Kovach,** Healthcare Justice Attorney at the Shriver Center on Poverty Law. *Webinar attendees will receive an overview of the major sources of health care and coverage for immigrants residing in Illinois. Attendees will also receive an overview of the final public charge rule which is currently being temporarily blocked by federal court injunctions.* ***This training is a webinar.***	Wednesday, 1/8/2020 1pm-3pm	Please register for Immigrant Eligibility for Health Care and Coverage and the Public Charge Rule on Jan 8, 2020 1:00 PM CST at: https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/3950066294391570689 After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar. Shriver Center on Poverty Law
	Understanding Home and Homelessness - Systemic Deconstruction *What do we lose when we have no housing? This training explores the multiple ways this affects individuals and families, and the myriad individual, structural and systemic causes of homelessness. We also explore various community responses and potential systemic and structural solutions.*	Friday, 2/28/2020 10am-1pm	Evanston Civic Center 2100 Ridge Ave., Evanston, Parasol Room, room #4900 Click to register: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/understanding-home-and-homelessness-systemic-deconstruction-registration-81868108717

Likely Spring / Summer, 2020 trimester offerings:

BTU – Entry Point Annual Update as needed / requested
BT3 - DV 101 – North
EBP1 – Housing First – if requested
EBP2 - Trauma and its Impact – West
EBP3 - Trauma Informed Care – West
EBP4 - Motivational Interviewing – South
EBP6 – Harm Reduction Philosophy and Practice - West

CC1 - TAY Competence – West
CC2 - LGBTQI+ Competence – North
CPI Full – by request
MHFA – Adult – West or by request
YOUTH MHFA – North
Allyship and Solidarity 101 – South
Human Trafficking 101 – North **+ more**

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General Training program notes:

- All training sessions require advance registration on Eventbrite at the URL listed for each training. You do not need to print and bring a ticket.
- Trainings have an attendance capacity to ensure comfort for participants.
- Parking pointers, accessibility info, and other details will be provided after you register.
- Most trainings will be offered again in future trimesters in other regions.
- All trainings are FREE unless otherwise noted.
- This schedule is subject to change.
- Social Work CEUs are provided by Housing Forward, and may be available for an extra fee. Inquire at least one week in advance of the training if interested.

With any questions, please contact Jake Bradley: jake@suburbancook.org (Note the new email!)

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