



## Featured Programming

Co-Sponsored Webinar: [The Tax Code, Equity, and Access to Affordable Housing: A Conversation for Funders](#)  
Thursday, October 24, 3:30pm ET / 12:30pm PT

How do tax policy, housing affordability, and equity intersect? In what ways did the 2017 tax law move equity efforts backward and how can we strengthen those provisions that are progressive and inclusive? What is the role of the Low-Income Housing Tax Credit program and what do we know about Renters' Tax Credit proposals?

In conjunction with EITC Funders Network and Funders for Housing and Opportunity, this webinar will provide an overview of the ways the federal tax code intersects with equity in the realm of housing affordability, and take a closer look at the Low-Income Housing Tax Credit (LIHTC) - the largest federal housing program in the US that redirects funds toward the creation and preservation of rental housing for low-income residents - as well as current proposals for a Federal Renters' Credit to help low-income renters offset high housing costs.

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## Funders Together Events



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**2020 FUNDERS FORUM**

FEBRUARY 19, 2020 | OAKLAND, CA

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2020 Funders Forum  
February 19, 2020

The 2020 Funders Forum, in conjunction with the [2020 Solutions for Individual Homeless Adults national conference](#), will take place **February 19, 2020** in Oakland, CA. More information, including registration and a working agenda, will be available soon, and you can be the first to know!

Registration will open soon so **RSVP** below if you'd like to be notified when registration to both the Funders Forum and Solutions for Individual Homeless Adults conference is available. In the meantime, be sure to save February 19 in your calendars!

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## Funders Together Webinars

Domestic Violence Webinar Series: [State Domestic Violence Coalitions and National Funder Relationships: How Effective Partners Can Increase Safe Housing Options for Survivors](#) | October 30, 3:30pm ET / 12:30pm PT

Join this webinar to learn about how philanthropy can partner with state coalitions and their role in housing policy and program implementation. We'll highlight the Washington State Coalition Against Domestic Violence and their vision to prioritize safe housing by building their statewide victim service provider coalition base to increase housing resources, statewide policy efforts, and implementing their research, training, funding Housing First efforts in partnership with the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation. Learn about NNEDV's role as a membership organization of State Domestic Violence Coalitions and allied organizations to understand the ongoing and emerging needs of domestic and sexual violence survivors to advance housing best practices at the federal level and with state DV coalitions and advocacy programs.

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**Philanthropy Northwest Webinar: [The Foundation for Success is Housing Stability](#) | November 1, 1:00pm ET / 10:00am PT**

In this webinar for Philanthropy Northwest, Funders Together to End Homelessness will share how housing and homelessness are connected to almost all other systems and how, no matter what your funding priorities are, you can and should think about the role housing stability plays in the success of your community. Three funders will share how they think about housing and homelessness across multiple systems and how they are supporting grantees to do the same.

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**Webinar: [The Divest/Invest Framework: What Does It Mean for Funders Working in Housing and Homelessness?](#) | November 4, 1:00pm ET / 10:00am PT**

Join this webinar to learn about Neighborhood Funder Group (NFG)'s Democratizing Development Program and the Divest/Invest framework of their Funders for Justice program. We'll also hear from other funders and organizations about the work they're doing to create vibrant, stably housed communities that support the leadership of the residents from their community.

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**Webinar Recording: [Secure Jobs CT: A Holistic Approach to Increasing Income and Stabilizing Housing](#)**

Secure Jobs Connecticut takes a holistic approach to increasing income for families and aims to address the issues at the intersection of employment and housing. Rebecca Allen, Senior Program Officer at Melville Charitable Trust, led us in exploring the lessons learned and challenges of this three-year pilot. Based on the findings, she discussed the next iteration of these efforts, set to launch this fall, and what role funders can explore in supporting similar approaches in their community.

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**Webinar Recording: [Introduction to the Intersection: Domestic Violence, Sexual Violence, Housing, and Homelessness 101](#)**

Persons experiencing domestic and sexual violence, particularly women and children, communities of color, and LGBTQ communities with limited economic resources, are at increased vulnerability to homelessness. This webinar explained the intersection between domestic and sexual violence and homelessness; highlighted effective strategies for stakeholders to share in their commitment to finding effective ways to serve this population; provided a deeper understanding of the specific barriers survivors face in accessing and maintaining safe housing; addressed the role of effective partnerships across the homeless and victim service provider systems; and explored innovative housing model approaches to address the myriad of safe housing needs for survivors.

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**Webinar Recording: [Housing Rights for Survivors: How Public Policy Can Address Housing Instability for Domestic and Sexual Assault Survivors](#)**

This webinar discussed housing scenarios that arise for domestic and sexual violence survivors, including obstacles posed by landlords in the admissions process; evictions due to domestic violence; the issue of nuisance ordinances and crime-free housing policies and remedies to enable safety such as early lease terminations, lock changes, lease bifurcations, and emergency transfers. We addressed these scenarios by examining federal and state housing laws and policies that provide specific safeguards for survivors and share resources on federal and state housing laws that funders can support.

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**Webinar Recording: [New Research on Racial Inequities in Coordinated Entry System Assessment Tools](#)**

C4 Innovations released findings from their latest [research project](#) examining how coordinated entry system assessments are perpetuating racial inequities by prioritizing white people for housing services and capturing vulnerabilities that white people are more likely to experience. This webinar brought this new research to our members. In this webinar, participants were one of the first to hear their research findings, what this means for funders working in homelessness, and what needs to happen next to end racism in the homelessness system.

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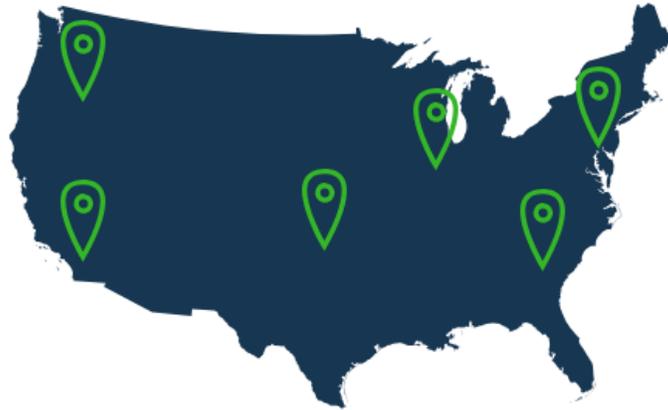
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## Where We Will Be

In addition to our Funders Together programming, check out these [partner events that Funders Together will be at](#), representing and highlighting philanthropy's work in the efforts to prevent and end homelessness. If you are attending any of these events or would like to attend and meet up, please contact [Amanda Andere](#) or you can find more information directly on the [Where We Will Be page](#).

Click on the map below to see what events we will be at in the coming months!



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