



Sonoma County Continuum of Care (CoC) Board  
2022 Nomination Form

Name of Nominee: Teresa Tillman Agency: None; I am a Community Health Executive currently working as an independent contractor.

Telephone: [REDACTED] Email: [REDACTED]

Geographical Area or Subpopulation(s) Represented: South Sonoma County County. I live in Petaluma.

Other reasons the nominee should be considered for the CoC Board: I am a mission-driven, dynamic health care leader with over 20 years experience leading multi-organi-  
utilizing outcome based, data informed approaches to community health innovations. I live in Petaluma and am an active community member and I am concerned about the unhoused individuals I seen in Petaluma. I have been volunteering with COTS for 1.5 years  
supporting the Client Enrichment Services Manager, Edean Morris. I have engaged directly with clients on job applications, resume building, cover letter building. For the past 4 months, I have supported clients to complete housing applications during COTS' weekly Rent Tape Club. I enjoy suppo  
who are taking active steps to pursuing housing opportunities. I have seen first-hand that affordable housing shortages are contributing to long-term homelessness, even for clients who have secured housing vouchers to pay for housing. I have the professional experience establishing collaborati-

**Please fill out this section only if you are nominating someone other than yourself. Please ensure you forward the Statement of Interest form to the individual you are nominating for completion.**

Name of Nominator: Teresa Tillman - self Agency: None; I am a Community Health Executive currently working as an independent contractor.

Contact Information: [REDACTED] Signature of Nominator: \_\_\_\_\_

**Vacant Seats for Election**

**1 Second Provider:** One representative of a homeless services provider different than the one with an appointed seat, as elected by CoC voting members

**1 Licensed Health Care Organization:** One representative from a licensed health care organization, as elected by CoC voting members.

**2 At Large:** at large seats as selected by voting CoC members; the candidates need not be CoC members themselves.

**Lived Experience:** individual currently experiencing homelessness or who has experienced homelessness within five years (at the time of election) prior to the Board election, as elected by the Lived Experience and Planning body if functioning (as determined by the Board) or if not then by the CoC voting membership.

Candidates may run for no more than two seats. Should a candidate run for two seats, one of them must be an at-large position.

**Please select which seat(s) the individual is being nominated for:**

- Provider  Licensed Health Care Organization  At Large  Lived Experience

**Nominations and Statement of Interest must be received by 5:00 pm on February 23, 2022**

Signed forms may be scanned and emailed to [Karissa.White@sonoma-county.org](mailto:Karissa.White@sonoma-county.org) or delivered to Sonoma County Continuum of Care, c/o Sonoma County Community Development Commission, 1440 Guerneville Road, Santa Rosa CA 95403. The information on the statement of interest is to be filled out by the nominee. This information will be shared publicly and personal contact information will be redacted. Self-nominations are permitted.



## Sonoma County Continuum of Care (CoC) Board 2022 Statement of Interest

This section is to be filled out by the individual being nominated and will be shared publicly.

Name of Candidate: Teresa Tillman Agency: None: I am a Community Health Executive currently working as an independent contractor.

### Please provide a statement of your interest in the Sonoma County Continuum of Care Board:

I am a mission-driven, dynamic health care leader with over 20 years experience leading multi-organizational collaborations utilizing outcome based, data informed approaches to community health innovations. I am well versed in systems thinking when pursuing collaborative initiatives. Since 2007 I have been working in community health to increase access to quality comprehensive care for all in the safety-net. I served as the interim Chief Executive Officer and Chief Operating Officer for the Redwood Community Health Coalition, a regional coalition of community health centers across North Bay who serve as the medical home to over 240,000 patients at 73 locations. RCHC provides grant funding and program support to member health centers in the areas of advocacy, community outreach and public insurance and nutrition programs, evidence based population health initiatives and informatics for the health center use of use of health IT and analytics. Prior to that, I served as the Chief Administrative Officer at the Petaluma Health Center, a nationally recognized federally qualified health center (FQHC) that provides comprehensive primary medical, behavioral, dental and wellness care. At PHC, I led several strategic initiatives including writing and leading PHC's quality and performance improvement programs that were based on national key performance indicators and were implemented utilizing Plan-Do-Study-Act cycles, supported by analytics for ongoing monitoring. My experience includes pursuing mental health parity through integrated behavioral health services during primary care visits, and incorporating social determinants of health linkages to community services to advance well-being and self-sufficiency of every member of our community. I now work as a Community Health Consultant providing strategic advisement, program development consultation and technical assistance to FQHC and FQHC consortia.

I have lived in Petaluma for 17 years and been active in my community as a PTA and school site council board member, and a coach with the Petaluma Youth Soccer League.

I am concerned about the un-housed individuals in Petaluma. I have been volunteering with COTS for 1.5 years supporting the Client Enrichment Services Manager, Eileen Morris. I have engaged directly with clients on job applications, resume building, cover letter building. For the past 4 months, I have supported clients to complete housing applications during COTS' weekly Red Tape Club. I enjoy supporting clients who are taking active steps to pursue housing opportunities. I have seen first-hand that affordable housing shortages are contributing to long-term homelessness, even for clients who have secured housing vouchers to pay for housing. I have the professional experience establishing collaborative community systems, extensive non-profit operating knowledge, and the personal commitment to add value to the CoC.

I respectfully submit my self-nomination to the CoC Board as an At Large member. Thank you for your time and for your thoughtful consideration of my application.

Signature of Candidate: Teresa Tillman

Digitally signed by Teresa Tillman  
DN: cn=Teresa Tillman, o=co, email=tillm@sonoma.com, c=US  
Date: 2022.02.23 10:20:03 -0800

Date: 02/23/2022