

# IForums 2017



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Since 2012, Connecticut has been building a system that enables us to identify, assess, prioritize and match the most vulnerable people experiencing chronic homelessness to housing resources within a short period of time. While we have been able to greatly reduce the number of people experiencing chronic homelessness, this is an ongoing and complex problem that we must continue to address.

This IForum will explore how we integrate mainstream systems, such as behavioral health, criminal justice, and health care systems, and assure that they are equipped to address issues related to affordable and supportive housing. Adequate case management and health services to promote housing stability for those experiencing chronic homelessness will also be discussed, along with ways to sustain our progress.

## Keynote Speaker:

**Terri Power, LISW S**

Senior Program Manager - Returning Home Ohio

## Panel discussion exploring:

*Intersection of feeder systems and innovative approaches to ending chronic homelessness*

**Kevin Kane**

Chief State's Attorney

**Dr. Kathleen Maurer**

Medical Director, CT Department of Corrections

**Fred Morton**

CT Dept. of Mental Health and Addiction Services

**Staci Peete**

Norwalk Hospital

**Kathy Flaherty**

CT Legal Rights Project

**David Gonzalez Rice--Moderator**

CT Coalition to End Homelessness

Join us on May 31st for our  
final 2017 IForum!

## Preventing Future Chronic Homelessness

**Wednesday, May 31, 2017**

The Lyceum, 227 Lawrence Street, Hartford, CT  
Directions: [www.lyceumcenter.org](http://www.lyceumcenter.org)

**8:30am – 9:00am Breakfast & Conversation**  
**9:00am – 11:00am Program**

Event is free and open to the public. Register early to ensure a seat as we expect strong attendance.

To register, go to:

<https://may2017iforum.eventbrite.com>

More information:

[www.psychousing.org/2017-iforums](http://www.psychousing.org/2017-iforums)

## Introductions by:

**Evonne Klein**

Commissioner, Department of Housing

**Miriam Delphin-Rittmon**

Commissioner, Department of Mental Health and  
Addiction Services

## Presentation by:

**Steve DiLella**

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