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Register Today: Final Point-in-Time (PIT) Count Office Hours: January 19, 2021

HUD is hosting the final Point-in-Time (PIT) Count Office Hours, in advance of the 2021 PIT count, on **Tuesday**, **January 19**, **2021 from 3:00 to 4:30 PM EST**. This PIT Count Office Hours will support Continuums of Care (CoCs) in finalizing their 2021 PIT count and Housing Inventory Count (HIC) plans. The end of the call will be reserved to answer any questions you have about conducting the 2021 PIT count.

Upcoming Office Hours

Session	Date and Time	Registration
Session #5 Finalizing 2021 PIT Count and HIC Plans	January 19, 2021 3:00 - 4:30 PM EST	Register Now

Past Office Hours

Recordings from all previous PIT Count Office Hours are available on the HUD Exchange <u>PIT Count Office Hours page</u>. Materials from each of the previous sessions in this 2021 PIT Count Office Hours series are linked below.

Session	Date and Time	Materials
Session #1 2021 Unsheltered PIT Count Flexibilities	November 24, 2020 3:00 - 4:30 PM EST	View Materials
Session #2 Using Sampling to Conduct an Unsheltered PIT Count	December 3, 2020 3:00 - 4:30 PM EST	View Materials
Session #3 Observation-Based PIT Counts, Brief Surveys, & Alternative Data Sources	December 15, 2020 3:00 - 4:30 PM EST	View Materials
Session #4 PIT Count Waiver Memo and CoC Questions on the 2021 Count Process	January 12, 2021 3:00 - 4:30 PM EST	Materials Coming Soon

Additional Resources

The <u>2021 PIT Count and HIC Guidance and Training page</u> will continue to be updated with new resources. Current resources include:

- <u>CPD Memo: Availability of Waivers for the Biennial Point-in-Time Count of Unsheltered Homelessness</u>: This memo legally formalizes HUD's requirements and flexibilities for the 2021 unsheltered PIT count. CoCs should follow this document's waiver notification process.
- Conducting the 2021 Unsheltered PIT Count: This document provides guidance
 to CoCs on how to safely conduct the 2021 PIT count during the COVID-19
 pandemic. CoCs should not follow the waiver request process outlined in this
 document and should instead refer to the updated process outlined in the CPD
 memo linked above.
- How to Use Sampling within a CoC to Conduct an Unsheltered PIT Count: This
 document provides an overview of how to use sampling to estimate a total count
 of people experiencing unsheltered homelessness on the night of the PIT count.
- Point-in-Time Survey Tools
 - Observation-Based Unsheltered PIT Count Guidance and Example Form
 Updated December 2020 (PDF Version)
 - Observation-Based PIT Count Example Form for Use on the Night of the Count - Updated December 2020 (Word Document Version)

To view all of HUD's PIT count and HIC resources visit the <u>PIT and HIC Guides, Tools, and Webinars Page</u>. This is a one-stop site where communities can access all of HUD's guidance on how to plan and implement their PIT counts. The resources include the <u>PIT Count Methodology Guide</u>, survey tool resources, implementation resources, etc.

Questions?

If you have any questions about planning, implementing, or reporting your HIC or PIT count data that are not covered in the resources listed above, please submit your questions to the <u>Ask A Question (AAQ) portal</u>. In Step 2 of the question submission process, select "HDX Homelessness Data Exchange (including PIT, HIC, AHAR, Sys PM, LSA, and PDX)" from the "My question is related to" drop down list.



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