The Corporation for Supportive Housing (CSH) works to advance solutions that use housing as a platform for services to improve the lives of the most vulnerable people, maximize public resources, and build healthy communities. CSH will support Mentees that are interested in strengthening partnerships across sectors that serve a shared population to address health, housing and other social needs. Mentees will explore the opportunity to integrate administrative datasets (e.g., incarceration, behavioral health, hospital/health care utilization) with their Homeless Management Information System (HMIS). Examples of opportunities for use of integrated data include enhancing Coordinated Entry Systems, use for prioritization for housing initiatives, improvement of care coordination around vulnerable populations experiencing homelessness and housing instability, among others. Further, CSH has an open source data integration tool that mentees may receive technical assistance in using that can integrate homeless services and jail data.

**Proposed Key Learnings / Objectives**

For this mentorship program, CSH would support Mentees in using integrated data to improve prioritization of resources for high need populations, including supportive housing. Mentees will:

1. Build buy-in among a core set of partners from across sectors for data integration to address the needs of frequent users of public service systems.
2. Consider how to leverage multi-sector data to best align and measure a set of shared interests for stakeholders including clients, housing authorities, payers, homeless service providers, health care providers and others.
3. Strategize and define priority use cases for integrated data and develop community engagement strategies.
4. If appropriate, receive technical assistance in using CSH’s open data integration tool for jail and homeless data, and navigating the data sharing agreement/legal process and structuring the data for integration, analysis, and visualization (e.g. data dashboards).

**Mentee Eligibility and Fit**

This mentorship opportunity is best suited for organizations participating in local health and housing collaboratives working to share data in order to identify a shared population and address a person’s full health and social needs. Mentees will participate in teams that may be comprised of representatives from sectors including housing, health care, public health and criminal justice. For example, staff from county and city level government agencies, such as public health and human services, Continua of Care (CoC) leaders addressing homelessness, and healthcare systems who are interested in utilizing a data integration tool that will help them incorporate matched administrative data into existing community processes, such as Coordinated Entry Systems. At minimum Mentee teams should include CoC and HMIS management leads with demonstrated support from jail/Sheriff leadership and/or healthcare. Other partners such as universities or researchers are welcome to participate on Mentee teams.

*Mentors will work with their Mentee cohorts to narrow the focus of program activities from the list of potential topics. At the end of the mentorship, each group will have the opportunity to share tools and resources developed throughout the program with the All In network.*