



SAVE THE DATE

JAN 24, 2024

ABOUT THE COUNT

On the night of January 24th, 2024, hundreds of trained volunteers and experienced outreach professionals will conduct a count and survey of people experiencing homelessness in the District of Columbia.

The Point-in-Time (PIT) Count creates a "snapshot" of the scope and scale of homelessness in DC that provides policy makers and funders with critical information on the number and demographic characteristics of the families and individuals experiencing homelessness. DC is one of hundreds of communities across the country that conducts a PIT Count on one night during the last ten days in January to secure federal homeless assistance funding from the U.S. Dept. of Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

POINT-IN-TIME FAQs

How do I sign up?

Volunteer surveyor slots are first filled by staff and outreach teams that work for DC's homeless provider agencies. Volunteer registration will open to the general public on January 2nd, visit: www.DCPIT.org to register.

Can I choose the neighborhood I want to volunteer in?

Yes, you can select your neighborhood preference during the volunteer registration. Once a neighborhood is full it will not be available on the registration form.

Can I sign up with another person?

Yes, the volunteer registration form will allow you to sign up with one other person. If you are looking to sign up with a group of friends, just make sure that everyone selects the same neighborhood and pairs off or adds a note of each other's names. If you want to sign up as a group of 7 or more, contact: pit@community-partnership.org for assistance.

How will I know what to do?

All surveyors must attend one training session in advance of the Count. The training session will go through everything you will need to know to be a surveyor. Additionally, each neighborhood team has Team Leads who will be a resource to you on the night of PIT.

What happens if bad weather is forecast?

If there is severe inclement weather, volunteers will be notified before noon on the PIT day if the Count is cancelled that night. In that event, the Count will be rescheduled for Thursday, January 25th, 2024.

VOLUNTEER REQUIREMENTS

- Are at least 18 years old on 1/24/24
- Attend one training session
- Commit to stay for the duration of the Count (8pm to 2am)
- Adhere to all health and safety rules indicated in the volunteer waiver and as directed by Team Leads or TCP staff leading up to and on the night of PIT

TRAINING DATES

Wednesday, January 17th
12pm to 1:30pm

Thursday, January 18th
9:30am to 11am

Thursday, January 18th
5:30pm to 7pm

Friday, January 19th
3pm to 4:30pm

FOR MORE INFORMATION

VISIT: WWW.DCPIT.ORG OR EMAIL: PIT@COMMUNITY-PARTNERSHIP.ORG



The DC PIT Count is conducted by The Community Partnership for the Prevention of Homelessness (TCP). TCP is an independent, non-profit corporation that coordinates federal homeless assistance funding for the District of Columbia Continuum of Care. Visit: www.community-partnership.org for more information.