

# FRANKLIN & ESSEX COUNTY HOUSING COALITION

*WORKING TO END HOMELESSNESS IN THE NORTH COUNTRY*



## Franklin-Essex Housing Coalition 2017 Membership Application

New Member    Renewal    Corporate Sponsor

The Franklin-Essex Housing Coalition serves the counties of Franklin and Essex. The purpose of the Franklin-Essex Housing Coalition is to provide supportive community structure with agencies and individuals concerned with meeting the needs of the homeless and/or those at risk of homelessness within the two counties. Franklin-Essex Housing Coalition, a HUD-approved *Continuum of Care*, provides participating member agencies avenues for improving housing access including submission of HUD, OTDA, and Department of Veterans Affairs grant applications. The Coalition informs regional and local jurisdictions of needs assessments in order to participate in housing planning.

### **Exactly what is a Continuum of Care?**

It is a comprehensive community plan to organize and deliver housing and human services to individuals who are homeless as they move through the rehabilitation process. The final goal is to prevent a return to homelessness and to help create the greatest achievable level of self-sufficiency for our consumers.

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### **What are the benefits of joining Franklin-Essex Housing Coalition?**

The greatest advantage to any constituency of those in need of services is **power**. The coalition gives **voice** to a community's needs — a loud, unified, compelling voice. The larger and more fully representative the coalition is, the more effective it can be as it works for change.  
Join now!

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### **How can I participate in the Coalition?**

**2017 Meeting Dates** – February 9, May 11, August 10, November 9. All meetings take place from 1:30pm-3:30pm. Locations to be announced. Please mark your calendar.

Everyone who is interested in the issue of homelessness in the North Country is welcome to attend the meetings.

Annual membership dues are:  
Student: \$15  
Individual: \$25  
Private Agency: \$235  
Applicant Agency: \$470 (payable in 2 installments)  
Funded Agency: \$705 (payable in 3 installments)  
Corporate Sponsorship: \$500 - \$2500  
Non-Voting Stakeholder: No Charge

Our members commit to as much or as little time as they can spare. A variety of committees allow members to volunteer in accordance with their areas of interest & expertise. In case of financial hardship, the Steering Committee reserves the right to waive dues. Homeless and formerly homeless persons are exempt from paying dues.

**Name of Organization, Agency, Business or Corporation** (or individual name if applying as individual/community member)

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Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ FAX \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Website address (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Name of person who will be acting as a representative and voting member on the organization's behalf:

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Name Title

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Email Phone

Checks should be made out to *Franklin-Essex Housing Coalition*. Dues payments are due within 30 days of application submission. New member applicants will receive a pro-rated dues statement from date of application submission. Complete and return form and check to:

Franklin-Essex Housing Coalition  
89 Church St  
Saranac Lake, NY 12983  
Attention: Rich Loeber, Treasurer of the Coalition