



More Choices for More Families

6th National Conference on Housing Mobility

July 15-16, 2015

Chicago, Illinois

John Marshall Law School, 315 S Plymouth Court

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DRAFT AGENDA

Wednesday, July 15

5:30-7:30: Reception hosted by the Chicago Area Fair Housing Alliance
(Location TBD)

Thursday, July 16

John Marshall Law School

8:30 Registration and breakfast

9:00 Welcome and goals for the day (Philip Tegeler, PRRAC)

9:15-9:45 Why housing mobility is important for children and families

- Margery Austin Turner, The Urban Institute
- Dolores Acevedo Garcia, Brandeis University
- Barbara Samuels, ACLU-Maryland, moderator

9:45-11:15 Understanding voucher families' housing search process

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- Stefanie Deluca, Johns Hopkins University
- Seth Embry, Housing Opportunity Program, Philadelphia
- Maria Krysan, University of Illinois-
- Eva Rosen, Harvard University
- Sheryl Seiling, Cook County Housing Authority
- Breann Gala, Metropolitan Planning Council, moderator

11:15 Break

11:30-12:15 Using project-based vouchers to access opportunity areas

- Stephen Norman, King County Housing Authority
- Robin Snyderman, BRicK LLC, Chicago
- Antonio Riley, HUD Regional Administrator, moderator

- 12:15-1:30 Lunch and Keynote speaker
- Introduction by MarySue Barrett, Metropolitan Planning Council
 - Keynote Speech: Secretary Julian Castro (invited)
- 1:30-3:00 Best practices in assisted housing mobility
- Mary Cunningham, Urban Institute
 - Christine Klepper, Housing Choice Partners, Chicago
 - Demetria McCain, Inclusive Communities Project, Dallas
 - Peter Rosenblatt, Loyola University-Chicago
 - Alison Bell Schuman, Baltimore Regional Housing Partnership
 - Heather Schwartz, RAND
- Barbara Sard, Center on Budget and Policy Priorities, moderator
- 3:00-3:15 Break
- 3:15-4:30 Policy opportunities and challenges
- Lourdes Castro Ramirez, HUD Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary, Office of Public & Indian Housing (invited)
 - Alexander Polikoff, BPI
 - Barbara Sard, Center on Budget and Policy Priorities
 - Philip Tegeler, PRRAC
- Ianna Kachoris, MacArthur Foundation, moderator
- 4:30 Closing reception (downstairs- 3rd floor)



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