

Application Form

Profile

Alejandra

First Name

Chamberlain

Last Name

Middle Initial

[Redacted]

Home Address

Suite or Apt

Pleasant Hill

City

[Redacted]

State

[Redacted]

Postal Code

[Redacted]

Primary Phone

[Redacted]

Email Address

Which supervisorial district do you live in?

District 3

Education

Select the option that applies to your high school education *

High School Diploma

College/ University A

Name of College Attended

California State University, Sacramento

Degree Type / Course of Study / Major

Master of Science in Counseling

Degree Awarded?

Yes No

College/ University B

Name of College Attended

California State University, Sacramento

Degree Type / Course of Study / Major

Child Development BA

Degree Awarded?

Yes No

College/ University C

Name of College Attended

Degree Type / Course of Study / Major

Degree Awarded?

Yes No

Other schools / training completed:

Course Studied

Hours Completed

Certificate Awarded?

Yes No

Board and Interest

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Contra Costa Council on Homelessness: Submitted

Seat Name

Education and Vocational Services

Have you ever attended a meeting of the advisory board for which you are applying?

Yes No

If you have attended, how many meetings have you attended?

Attending board meetings since appointed

Please explain why you would like to serve on this particular board, committee, or commission.

The COE Youth Services department provides support and resources to the 18 school districts in the county, CCCOE-operated schools, and charter schools to implement McKinney-Vento. Technical assistance and trainings are available to District Homeless Liaisons and other staff who are involved in working with homeless children and youth. As the County Office of Education County Homeless Liaison, my team and I coordinate with the 18 school districts to ensure that homeless students have access to the same free, appropriate public education, including public preschools, as provided to other children and youths. Furthermore, COE Youth Services gathers a network of District Homeless Liaisons quarterly for the Homeless and Foster Youth Collaborative meetings, facilitated by the County Homeless Liaison. These collaborative meetings provide an opportunity for LEAs to work together to develop policies and protocols for services. Other functions of the quarterly meetings are for Education for Homeless Children and Youth staff to provide designated updates, inform LEAs about Continuum of Care and Council on Homelessness activities, provide guest speakers on relevant topics and community services, review homeless children and youth data and to provide a venue for districts to share concerns, case studies and best practices from the experience working with homeless students. As the Education and Vocational representative on the Contra Costa Council on Homelessness, I advocate and bring awareness to the issues relating to children and youth homelessness. I also advise on policies relating to youth homelessness in the context of representing our 18 districts.

Qualifications and Volunteer Experience

I would like to be considered for appointment to other advisory boards for which I may be qualified.

Yes No

Are you currently or have you ever been appointed to a Contra Costa County advisory board, commission, or committee?

Yes No

List any volunteer or community experience, including any advisory boards on which you have served.

Describe your qualifications for this appointment. (NOTE: you may also include a copy of your resume with this application)

As the Education and Vocational representative on the Contra Costa Council on Homelessness for the past four years, I advocate and bring awareness to the issues relating to children and youth homelessness. I also advise on policies, coordinate, and collaborate with community stakeholders relating to youth homelessness in the context of representing our 18 districts. As previously mentioned, as the County Office of Education County Homeless Liaison, my team and I provide support, resource, TA and PD to the 18 school districts in order to ensure that homeless students have access to the same free appropriate public education as their peers. Furthermore, I am passionate and committed to ending children and youth homelessness while ensuring student facing homelessness have access to the education.

[Upload a Resume](#)

Conflict of Interest and Certification

Do you have a Familial or Financial Relationship with a member of the Board of Supervisors?

Yes No

If Yes, please identify the nature of the relationship:

Do you have any financial relationships with the County such as grants, contracts, or other economic relations?

Yes No

If Yes, please identify the nature of the relationship:

As the CCCOE Youth Services Manager receives contracts to provide services for foster youth through EHSD and services for WIOA through the WDB.

Please Agree with the Following Statement

I certify that the statements made by me in this application are true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, and are made in good faith. I acknowledge and understand that all information in this application is publicly accessible. I understand that misstatements and/or omissions of material fact may cause forfeiture of my rights to serve on a board, committee, or commission in Contra Costa County.

I Agree