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# OML Pre-Conference Workshop: Collaborative Strategies for Addressing Homelessness

September 9, 2025

Oklahoma City Convention Center  
Rooms 208 A&B  
100 Mick Cornett Dr, Oklahoma City, OK 73109

8:30 - 9:00 a.m. Registration

9:00 - 9:10 a.m.

### **Welcome & Introductions**

9:10 – 10:00 a.m.

### **Fireside Chat**

Dr. A.J. Griffin, Chief Executive Officer, Potts Family Foundation

10:10 – 10:15 a.m. **Break**

10:15 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.

### **Use the Data, Identify the Needs - Housing Needs Assessment & Social Vulnerability Index**

Darrell Beavers, Housing Development Programs Director, OHFA  
Zack Stoycoff, Executive Director, Healthy Minds Policy Initiative

11:15 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

### **Lunch on your own**

1:00 p.m. - 1:50 p.m.

### **Uncovering the Roots of Homelessness**

Moderator: Aubrey McDermid, Oklahoma City  
Carrie Blumert, CEO, Mental Health Association of Oklahoma

Major Dan Stewart, Oklahoma City Police Department

Erin Goodin, President & CEO, City Rescue Mission

Jamie Caves, Strategy Implementation Manager, Oklahoma City

1:50 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. **Break**

2:00 p.m. - 2:45 p.m.

### **Supportive Employment for the Unhoused**

Whitley O'Connor, Curbside

2:45 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

### **Wrap Up and Next Steps**

Dr. AJ Griffin, Chief Executive Officer, Potts Family Foundation