

Co-living, CoHousing, or Cohouseholding: What's the Difference?

*A virtual workshop for Mature Adults/Seniors, who are -
considering a house-share or roommate situation.*



The difference lies in the explicit intentions, degree of common values and in some cases the legal structure/ownership. In this workshop, we don't suggest which values to prioritize in your home, but give you some examples and ways to think about it. We'll discuss an array of co-living models that exist and how participants can discover what style might suit their needs. We will touch on the benefit in members of any shared living group to be explicit about how they see themselves, and how each person can and should advocate for themselves around their "must-haves" and "cannot live with..." factors, and we discuss ways to identify and describe shared values and intentions.

We will discuss how to prepare before even looking for potential people or sites. Also, ideas for where to look, how to interview prospective housemates, and some best practices to wisely choose one. Syd suggests having some agreements in writing – in addition to a lease — and how to get started. We will also discuss the reasons why many people enjoy shared living, and ways to “warm up” to it!

Participate Online (from wherever!)

Please join us for an informal, fun and participatory discussion about this topic. You may bring your questions and share your experiences on this topic as well. Two dates offered:



Time: 7 - 8 PM, Pacific Time

Date: Tuesday, August 11, 2020

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Time: 3:30 PM – 4:30 PM, Pacific Time

Date: Saturday, August 15, 2020

HOW TO SIGN UP: Send an email to syd@under1roof.info to hold your spot.

In response, you will get a Zoom link sent via email to join your chosen online session. You can use Zoom with any type of internet connected device. We advise you to download the Zoom app in advance, and test it out beforehand, if you've not used it before.

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