

**CONSOLIDATED COMMUNITY FUNDING POOL
FISCAL YEAR 2003 - 2004
PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS**

ACCA Emergency Food Program

ACCA, Inc.

Region 2

The program provides emergency food, furnishing a balanced diet for one week to individuals and families by supplying their basic need for food. The program is supported by volunteers and serves the areas of Annandale and Baileys Crossroads. Food is delivered to individual homes as needed.

ACCA Family Assistance Program

ACCA, Inc.

Region 2

The program provides emergency funding for rent, security deposits, utilities, prescriptions, medical/dental care, and other non-food essentials. Services are provided in Annandale and Bailey's Crossroads. All clients are referred by the County's Consolidated Services Planning staff, churches and community agencies or organizations. The program is operated entirely by volunteers.

Access to Health/Mental Health & Social Services Counseling

Vietnamese Resettlement Association, Inc.

Countywide

This program provides health and mental health counseling services to Vietnamese newcomers throughout Fairfax County. Clients are assisted to access County health, mental health and social services to become self-sufficient.

ADDRESS (Aggressive Dynamic Debt Reduction, Elimination & Savings Strategies)

Homestretch, Inc.

Countywide

The program helps low-income families enrolled in the Homestretch Transitional Housing Program (for homeless families) learn financial management skills, reduce debt, resolve credit issues, and establish savings.

Administration of Affordable Housing Capital Projects - Briarcliff

Townhomes

Catholics for Housing

Region 3

The program provides: (1) the provision of security deposits for low and moderate income families to obtain rental housing; (2) a senior rental assistance program for low income seniors who cannot meet the minimum income requirements of Fairfax County's housing for senior citizens; (3) a homebuyer education/counseling program; (4) acquisition of the Briarcliff Townhomes, and (5) special needs housing for the mentally retarded.

Administration of Affordable Housing Capital Projects

Wesley Housing Development Corporation (WHDC)

Region 2

The program supports three multifamily properties: Wexford Manor, Strawbridge Square and Senior and Disabled Housing at Coppermine.

Adult Day Health Care
Alzheimer's Family Day Center
Countywide

The program provides supervised activities for individuals at two different levels: the Day Care level meets the needs of people in the middle stages of Alzheimer's and The Sunshine Club assists people with advanced dementia. Activities include social interaction, cognitive skills and a variety of therapies.

Adult Literacy and ESL Programs
Literacy Council of Northern Virginia
Countywide

The program provides ESL and adult literacy to individuals by offering different levels of ESL to students, depending on their skill level. The classes cover English grammar and structure, communication skills, life tasks, and culture. Students attend classes and use the computers to enhance their skills. The Basic Literacy Program provides students with instruction to develop their basic reading and writing skills that are below 5th grade level. The Learning Disabilities Project screens students and works with their tutors to develop a curriculum; vision screening and the dictionary projects are also provided.

Affordable Housing Capital Projects: Acquisition of Briarcliff
Catholics for Housing
Region 3

The program provides the provision of security deposits for low and moderate-income families to obtain rental housing. Funds will be used toward the acquisition of Briarcliff Townhomes (30 units) that will be used to house tenants who have Section 8 vouchers. The townhomes are located the area of Tyson's Corner and serve large families.

Affordable Rental Housing Program
Robert Pierre Johnson Housing Development
Corporation (RPJ)
Countywide

The program enhances transitional housing programs for six homeless men and seven homeless families through case management and project coordination; initiates the acquisition of 50 to 75 units of affordable rental housing; assesses and retools property management of existing rental housing stock and pursues feasibility studies on the development of 25 to 35 efficiency units for working, single individuals.

APD Housing Administration
Alliance for the Physically Disabled
Countywide

The Alliance for the Physically Disabled operates a group home which provides affordable permanent rental housing for seven severely disabled adults.

Basic Needs
United Community Ministries (UCM)
Region 1

The program assists people in crisis to meet basic needs and learn about resources for longer-term self-sufficiency. Free groceries and basic toiletries (upon request and availability) are distributed from UCM's Food Closet. Clients also receive crisis information and referral services, including budget counseling; referral to UCM's Employment Unit, legal clinics and negotiation with landlords and utility companies.

**Bilingual Rehabilitation Specialist
Town of Herndon
Region 3**

The program is designed to encourage greater community involvement in strengthening and improving Herndon neighborhoods. The Bilingual Housing Rehabilitation Specialist works predominantly with the limited English speaking population residing in Herndon's older, moderately priced residential communities to foster housing rehabilitation, modernization and maintenance.

**Capital Support for Coppermine Place Disability Housing
Catholics for Housing (CFH)
Region 4**

The program provides for site development of Coppermine Place, an accessible apartment building designed for people with physical disabilities who are very low income.

**Cedar Ridge Community Center Program
Reston Interfaith, Inc.
Region 3**

The on-site program provides unique and quality services to the 650 residents of this 198 unit project-based Section 108 complex. Services include emergency and supplemental food and clothing distribution, parenting classes, youth mentoring, leadership development, ESL classes, employment workshops, and many others.

**Challenge to Change: Offender Services
Opportunities, Alternatives and Resources (OAR)
Countywide**

The program offers services to offenders, ex-offenders and their families. It provides opportunities, alternatives, and resources to restore criminal offenders to productive roles in the community and offers options to prosecution and/or incarceration. Activities include: 1) mentoring, counseling and encouraging incarcerated offenders in planning and preparing for release back into the community and resuming productive and self-reliant roles; 2) providing direct assistance to offenders, ex-offenders, and their families to meet basic needs and deal with hardships created by arrest and incarceration; 3) assisting offenders and ex-offenders in education and vocational efforts to improve their employability and self-esteem; 4) offering alternatives to criminal prosecution and/or incarceration for non-violent misdemeanor offenders through community service placement and supervision; and 5) encouraging legislative, judicial and public support of community based alternatives within the criminal and civil justice system.

**Chantilly Mews Family Preservation Project
Black Women United for Action
Region 4**

The program provides a range of services that support the residents directly or increases the sense of community that allows the residents to support each other.

The activities include education, crisis intervention and coping skills, temporary emergency assistance, mentoring, educational workshops for parents, holiday activities, summer educational activities.

Community & Family Initiatives
Center for Multicultural Human Services (CMHS)
Regions 5

The program offers multilingual social service activities and is designed to assist individuals and families needing the supports and the skills to be self-sufficient. The program also assists individuals and families emotionally unstable to be healthy, stable and independent and individuals with financial difficulties to be able to meet their basic needs. The following activities are provided: ESL and life skills classes, word-processing, maintenance and computer repair, assistance with job search and cultural orientation, intensive case-management (including school registrations, job applications, couples communications skills, medical care for children, and securing child-care), parent support services (interpretation, after-school programs, child reading program while parents are in ESL classes), and citizenship classes.

Community Program for Youth on Probation & Youth in the Less Secure Shelter
Community Mediation Services, Inc.
Countywide

The program provides group sessions to youth on probation and in one less secure shelter. The program works to help 150 court-involved youth develop the interpersonal problem solving skills that are critical to avoid future violent behavior and help youth anticipate and weigh the consequences of their behavior in order to make safe, responsible decisions. The sessions are designed to reduce avoidable conflict and repeated acts of violence; prepare youth with the choice to respond appropriately in dispute situations with adults; prevent future disputes from escalating into incidents requiring police and court intervention; teach problem solving skills, develop personal pride, self esteem and multicultural sensitivity and provide job seeking skills and present employment opportunities.

Comprehensive, Emergency and Long-Term Assistance to Refugees and Immigrants (CELARI)
Boat People SOS
Countywide

The program assists Vietnamese County residents whose critical needs were exacerbated by the September 11th disaster and subsequent events. Mental health screening and referral, emergency assistance, information and referral relating to human and legal services, and employment preparation and placement will be provided.

Construction Trades Opportunity
Northern Virginia Family Service (NVFS)
Countywide

The program provides an 8-10 week job-training program for men and women throughout the County. It provides a combination of skills instruction and on-the-job training to gain entry in the construction industry. Blue collar careers are identified and almost immediate wage earning opportunities are available for participants to "earn while they learn". The Association of Builders and Contractors teaches

construction trade skills. NVFS and Reston Interfaith provide case management, which will continue beyond graduation to provide post-employment support.

Crisis & Suicide Prevention Hotline

Crisislink

Countywide

The program addresses the need for individuals in crisis to access a stable service where they can voice their ailments, their depression, finances, fears and anxieties and significant life crises. Callers seek assistance with acute emotional trauma and/or serious mental illness as well as community resources to address basic needs. The core activities of the project are suicide prevention, crisis de-escalation and information and referral.

Culmore 4-H Character Club

Culmore Character Club

Region 2

The program consists of a summer day camp which focuses on character and life skills, community service, improving academic skills, and fitness and nutrition. It serves approximately 50 low-income youth, ages 5-12, residing in the Bailey's community.

Culmore Youth Outreach Program

Alternative House

Region 2

The program offers the coordination and facilitation of activities at the center for more than 650 youth. In addition, the bilingual outreach therapist provides counseling to low-income youth and their families in the Culmore area. The target population is youth who are at risk of dropping out of school and becoming involved in drugs and violence. In addition, six neighborhood youth are hired and trained to work part-time at the community center.

Developmental Day Care Services at the

Bryant Early Learning Center

United Community Ministries (UCM)

Region 1

The program is a nationally accredited, comprehensive child development program for children six weeks to five years old. It provides a developmentally appropriate curriculum; field trips; free USDA-approved breakfast, lunch, and snacks; monthly parent newsletter; family activities; health; developmental, speech and language screening and therapy through Early Intervention and Prevention Project. Consultation with a Social Worker assists parents with linkage to UCM's services, such as employment counseling, referrals to other agencies and limited financial assistance to parents awaiting subsidy approval. Services are available to teen mothers who are enrolled in Bryant Adult Alternative High School (Project Opportunity) so they may earn their high school degrees in the building where their children receive care.

Emergency & Self-Sufficiency Services

Reston Interfaith, Inc.

Region 3

The program provides food and nutrition and community self-sufficiency. Clients who apply for emergency services will be assessed and provided services and supports to

stabilize their household crises and cultivate long-term stability and self-sufficiency. Services include emergency food, diapers and clothing; case management, information and referrals, surplus food, new clothing for children and supplies and holiday assistance.

**Emergency Assistance Rent, Utilities and Medicine
Falls Church Community Service Council, Inc. (FCS)
Region 2 - Zip codes 22041, 42, 43, 44, 46**

The program assists clients in need of emergency rent, utilities, and medicinal support. This program is operated entirely through the use of volunteers. The goal of FCS is to provide immediate help to persons in crisis, which enables clients to move toward self-sufficiency or to provide a bridge until social workers can arrange for long term assistance.

**Emergency Food
Falls Church Community Service Council, Inc. (FCS)
Region 2 - Zip codes 22041, 42, 43, 44, 46**

The program provides food for the preparation of meals for one week until long-term help can be acquired or solutions found. Perishable food is purchased to supplement the total food package delivered to clients. The program is operated solely through the use of volunteers.

**Emergency Services Program
Western Fairfax Christian Ministries
Region 4 (22033, 39, 20151, 20, 21, 24 zip codes)**

The program provides emergency assistance services that help families in times of crisis. Services include rent, mortgage payments, and utility payments. Assistance is provided to anyone with a demonstrated need.

**Employment Services
United Community Ministries (UCM)
Region 1**

The program offers comprehensive employment services including self-employment and computer training. It focuses on immediate work experience, skills development for better quality employment, and improved job readiness.

**Entrepreneurship Development for New Americans
Business Development Assistance Group, Inc.
Countywide**

The program assists new Americans to overcome obstacles by providing multi-lingual business counseling, technical assistance, and training geared toward starting their own businesses.

**Fairfax CASA
Fairfax Court Appointed Special Advocates, Inc.
Countywide**

The program operates through a system of trained volunteers who provide one-to-one advocacy for children in court cases of severe abuse and neglect to assure that: (1) they are safe from further abuse; (2) their treatment needs are identified and effectively addressed; and (3) whenever possible, parent(s) change the circumstances that led to the abuse/neglect charges.

**Fairfax Housing Counseling Program
Northern Virginia Family Service (NVFS)
Regions 1, 3, 4, 5**

The program provides housing counseling, financial assistance and comprehensive case management to Fairfax County residents who are experiencing crises.

**Fairfax Resource Mothers
Urban League, Northern Virginia Branch
Regions 2, 3, 4**

The program is dedicated to preventing low birth weight babies and infant death, and to enhancing a diverse teenage population through a one-on-one mentoring program. The program provides services to girls between the ages of 12-19 who are pregnant or parenting. Community healthcare workers are trained as mentors to provide the motivation, access, advocacy, and friendship needed to get the pregnant teen into early prenatal care. The mentors encourage the teens to continue their education, and provide parenting education.

**Family Assistance Program
Bethany House of Northern Virginia (BHNW)
Countywide**

The program provides services to homeless spouses and children who have been victims of physical and psychological abuse. Victims of abuse are helped to access and benefit from a range of social and human services that move each person as expeditiously as possible to self-sufficiency. Participants continue to be monitored for a period of up to two years.

**Family Day Care Provider Training & Professional Business Development
Infant Toddler Family Day Care of Northern Virginia, Inc.
Countywide**

This program provides childcare provider training. It assists the emerging immigrant population develop the skills needed to be self-sufficient and increases the availability of 30 highly trained childcare providers. The training program incorporates a workplace ESL program specially designed for the child care profession as well as a mentoring program.

**Family Enrichment Services
Fairfax Area Christian Emergency and Transitional Services, Inc. (FACETS)
Region 4**

The program provides educational and recreational activities for adults and youth who live in two public housing communities in Human Service Region Four: Robinson Square (Fairfax area) and Barros Circle (Centreville).

**Family Literacy & Academic Support Program
Community Preservation & Development Corporation
Region 1**

The program provides parenting skills and early literacy activities that include academic assessments, basic literacy, homework and research assistance, after-school tutoring and programs, leadership training, computer skills training and a teen assistant internship program.

**Family Renewal
United Community Ministries (UCM)**

Region 1

The program provides chronically homeless families with transitional housing and offers these families weekly group meetings and case management. Through a cooperative agreement between UCM and Christian Relief Services, if one of the parents is employed, the family qualifies to be provided with transitional housing. The program is designed to support chronically homeless families, primarily families living in motels, marginal families living in Section 8 housing, and "double-up" families who have the potential to become homeless overnight.

Food for Others/Fairfax

Food for Others, Inc.

Countywide

This project provides food to needy residents throughout Fairfax County. FFO obtains and distributes free food to the hungry of Northern Virginia and supports food programs of other community-based organizations. Activities include the provision of emergency food distributions at the warehouse to low-income families; the provision of supplementary food 3-5 nights each week at low-income apartment complexes; and the provision of bulk food distributions to support 22 other Fairfax County community-based organizations in their feeding of needy families and individuals.

Food Outreach and Family Assistance

Our Daily Bread

Regions 2, 3, 4, 5

The program is comprised of three components: Delivered Groceries, Financial Assistance, and Adult Mentoring. Weekly deliveries of groceries are provided through participating congregations to families and emergency groceries are delivered as needed. Financial Assistance requests are processed through a team of trained volunteers who receive referrals from other area agencies' social workers. The Mentoring Program trains and supports adult mentors to work with adults in crisis. The Mentors focus on life skills, problem solving and decision making.

For Immediate Sympathetic Help (Financial Assistance)

Fairfax FISH

Regions 3, 4, 5

Fairfax FISH provides assistance to the poor and elderly in the greater Fairfax City area. Food, transportation, and financial assistance for items such as prescriptions, rent, and utility bills are provided.

Hermanos y Hermanas Latino Outreach

Big Brothers/Big Sisters of the National Capital Area

Regions 2, 3, 4

Big Brothers/Big Sisters screens, matches and trains volunteers to mentor at-risk youth living in primarily single-parent homes across the Washington Metropolitan area. "Hermanos y Hermanas" provides immigrant Latin youth with role models that understand their language and culture. The program serves disadvantaged Latino children, parents and volunteers residing in the Culmore/Baileys Crossroads community and Human Service Regions 3 and 4, but accepts applicants outside the targeted areas. Once officially matched, each "Big" and "Little" engages in weekly activities of their choosing which take place in the surrounding community.

Herndon Elementary Enrichment Program

Reston Interfaith, Inc.

Region 3, 4

The program provides evening academic enrichment activities targeting 3rd-5th graders identified by their teachers as at-risk of school failure. Professional teachers and volunteer assistants work with students to help solidify basic skills.

**Herndon Employment Program
Reston Interfaith, Inc.****Region 3, 4**

The project offers broad-based community services to laborers, Hispanic low-income males with limited English and limited social support, at a dedicated site where day laborers can connect for employment.

**Herndon-Reston FISH Emergency Family Assistance Program
Herndon-Reston FISH****Region 3**

FISH (Friendly, Instant, Sympathetic Help) provides short-term emergency assistance to low and moderate income clients primarily in the Herndon-Reston area.

**Holistic Approaches to Achieving Independence for Persons with Disabilities
National Rehabilitation & Rediscovery Foundation (NRRF)****Countywide**

The program provides independent therapeutic dance/movement and neuromuscular training. The sessions focus on holistic approaches addressing a persons' physical and psychosocial health and overall independence.

Homeless Intervention Services**Fairfax Area Christian Emergency and Transitional Services, Inc. (FACETS)****Region 4**

The program addresses basic needs for homeless people temporarily residing in and around three local motels, and for homeless people living in wooded areas or on the streets in Region IV of Fairfax County. The project addresses the needs for food, emergency supplies, baby formula, clothing, and personal hygiene items. The project also addresses the need for homeless persons to develop life skills and employment skills.

Homes for the Homeless**Christian Relief Services Charities (CRSC)****Countywide**

The program provides housing and human services. CRSC provides two years of transitional housing to homeless families and disabled individuals countywide. Residents pay a monthly service fee of 30% or less of their adjusted net income. Utilities are paid by CRSC. The Homes for the Homeless Transitional Housing Program provides property management and daily maintenance. Case management and support services are delivered through partnerships with 13 sponsoring agencies.

HOMES for the Working Poor, Disabled & Elderly**Good Shepherd Housing and Family Services, Inc.****Region 1**

The program addresses the need for low-income people to have access to decent rental housing and supportive services to make long-term improvements in their

ability to maintain housing. The program provides services to help clients obtain and maintain housing, as well as to acquire skills and resources to be independent.

Homestretch English as a Second Language (ESL)

Homestretch, Inc.

Countywide

The program provides homeless low-income adults, (enrolled in the Homestretch Transitional Housing Program below) with limited or no English skills, 48 weeks of professionally taught, intensive ESL classes. Forty adults are served at any give time and childcare is provided.

Homestretch Housing Acquisition Project II

Homestretch, Inc.

Countywide

The program provides transitional housing for low income homeless families with children under the age of 18 in Fairfax County and the cities of Fairfax and Falls Church. Six condominium units will be used for transitional housing for homeless families participating in the Homestretch Transitional Housing Program (below).

Homestretch Transitional Housing

Homestretch, Inc.

Countywide

The program provides comprehensive transitional housing services for homeless families with children under age 18 for up to two years to help them achieve self-sufficiency, family stability, and permanent affordable housing. In addition to housing and rental assistance, families receive individual case management, job counseling, skills training and job placement assistance, ESL instruction, credit and budget counseling, life skills training, child/teen enrichment services, substance abuse counseling, and domestic violence counseling.

Housing Case Management and Advocacy Services

Housing & Community Services of Northern Virginia, Inc.

Regions 1, 4, 5

The program provides direct case management, financial assistance to families in crisis situations, and outreach and advocacy services. The program prevents eviction and utility cut-off, assists in maintaining housing and maximizes self-sufficiency. Emergency financial assistance grants stabilize crisis situations.

Housing Counseling Program

Vietnamese Resettlement Association, Inc.

Countywide

The program assists low-income, English-limited, Vietnamese-American families, independent elderly and disabled persons. Services include: translation and interpretation, housing education, case management and referral, and tenant-landlord conflict resolution.

Housing Counseling Training Courses I & II

Center for Housing Counseling Training, Inc. (CHCT)

Countywide

The program provides training courses to certify human service professionals as housing counselors and to prepare low to moderate-income clients for homeownership. The 12-week courses target professionals to become knowledgeable

in areas including eviction prevention, financial counseling, and fair housing. Homeownership training targets and educates low to moderate-income purchasers presently living in subsidized or other rental housing on achieving homeownership.

Housing Development Administration

Reston Interfaith, Inc.

Region 3

This program involves affordable housing development and provides housing-related services to low and moderate income residents. The program focus is on acquisition and preservation of affordable rental housing, as well as acquisition and rehabilitation of homes to be offered for purchase or rent with option to purchase to low income families. Program also oversees acquisition process of Cedar Ridge Apartments.

Job Seeker Assistance

Senior Employment Resources

Countywide

The program provides job search and placement help to hard-to-place job seekers over age 50 to meet their income needs, and to help employers find older workers who can be productive.

Just Neighbors Ministry Legal Services Project

Just Neighbors Ministry

Regions 2, 3 - Bailey's Crossroads, Herndon, Reston Areas

The program provides free legal services to immigrants, refugees, and asylum seekers who live primarily in the Baileys Crossroads, Herndon, and Reston areas of Fairfax County. The program also provides education and information forums and training in immigration law to community organizations and agencies that serve this population.

Laurie Mitchell Employment Center

Service Source

Countywide

The program provides a drop-in center that serves anyone with mental illness without further qualification, residency requirement or time limit. The focus is primarily on adults with serious mental illness and related brain disorders, and secondarily other adult consumers of mental health services who can benefit from help. Services include help with skill and career assessment, education on balancing work and mental illness and other disability issues related to work, help with resumes and job seeking, training on modern computers, peer support, and follow-up support after employment.

Housing and Employment

Legal Services of Northern Virginia

Countywide

The program provides Legal Services to low-income residents of Fairfax County. Clients who are at risk of the deprivation or loss of shelter and/or income will be assisted.

Families and Consumers

Legal Services of Northern Virginia

Countywide

The program provides Legal Services to low-income residents of Fairfax County. Clients who, without legal assistance, are at risk of deprivation or loss of basic needs, such as food, income, medical care, family stability or personal safety will be assisted.

**Immigrant Law Project
Legal Services of Northern Virginia
Countywide**

The program provides Legal Service to low-income immigrants of Fairfax County in the areas of immigration, civil rights, housing, family law, consumer rights, employment, public benefits, elder law and children's law.

**LIFT One and LIFT Two
Residential Youth Services, Inc.
Countywide**

The program provides transitional living and support services to homeless youth and foster care youth, ages 17-21. Living Independently for Tomorrow (LIFT) One (homeless youth) and LIFT Two (foster care youth) focuses on five key areas: housing, vocational/educational services, life skills preparation, therapeutic services, and developing a community-wide network of services including health providers, employers, and community mental health agencies.

**Mental Health Homeless Prevention Program
Psychiatric Rehabilitation Services, Inc.
Region 1**

The program makes specialized psychiatric rehabilitation and residential support services available to public housing tenants with serious mental illness. The program incorporates four components: 1) home-based residential supports including eviction prevention counseling, 2) a modified psychiatric and vocational rehabilitation program available during evening hours, 3) tenant education workshops, and 4) a consumer-operated support program. Twelve program participants will receive the full range of services, and an additional 15 will receive tenant education, housing counseling, and linkage to emergency support services.

**Microenterprise Development Project
Ethiopian Community Development Council, Inc.
(ECDC)
Countywide**

The program provides micro-loans, training, and on-going technical assistance to low- and moderate-income persons/businesses. ECDC provides business counseling and training and post-loan assistance to businesses.

**Multicultural Housing Services
Center for Multicultural Human Services (CMHS)
Regions 2, 3, 4, 5**

The program assists low and moderate-income families find and maintain affordable housing. The program serves new recipients of Section 8 and Public Housing through bimonthly orientation workshops and helps low and moderate-income residents of Assisted Housing at Stonegate Village, Yorkville Cooperative Housing and Cedar Ridge Apartments through bilingual workshops to retain their housing. Clients are approved for homeownership through a first time homebuyers program by

conducting monthly homebuyer's seminars. Multilingual services are offered in 27 languages.

Multicultural Information and Referral Outreach Program

Center for Multicultural Human Services (CMHS)

Countywide

The program provides information, outreach, and referral services to residents in 27 languages. Community agencies and providers receive cross-cultural consultation and perspectives to promote clients' independence, stability, and active participation in the community.

Multicultural Mental Health Services

Center for Multicultural Human Services (CMHS)

Countywide

The program helps individuals and families from all cultural and language minorities achieve health, stability, and independence. Services include free or reduced-fee comprehensive mental health services; assistance with communicating and functioning without aggression or violence at home and at work; elimination of structural and cultural barriers to needed care; assistance in becoming independent and fully participating members of the community. Services are provided in 27 languages.

Multi-service Program for Self-Sufficiency

Korean Community Service Center Of Greater Washington (KCSC)

Countywide

The program provides a comprehensive social service program, health care program, employment assistance, youth prevention program, and an elderly program.

Newcomer Self-Sufficiency Project

Newcomers Community Service Center (NCSC)

Countywide

This program provides English as a Second Language, classroom training, job counseling and placement, housing referral, immigration services, citizenship classes, and vocational training to refugees and immigrants. Services enable clients to become citizens, acquire employment, and to reach economic self-sufficiency.

Northern Virginia Dental Clinic

Northern Virginia Dental Clinic, Inc.

Countywide

The program addresses the critical need for dental health care services to low income and uninsured residents of Northern Virginia. The clinic provides low-cost comprehensive dental health care to eligible individuals which includes the following: examinations, X-rays, detailed treatment plans, fillings, oral surgery, biopsies, oral cancer screenings, root canal therapy, periodontal services, prosthetics (full and partial dentures) preventative services (cleanings and patient education) and emergency services. The Dental Clinic accepts all clients who have been screened and approved by one of the designated Fairfax County referring agencies.

NOVACO Transitional Housing for Victims of Torture

Lutheran Social Services, NCA

Regions 2, 3, 5

The program serves five families from six months to two years. Transitional housing

and supportive services are provided to families who have been victims of domestic abuse. Participants are assisted to achieve personal self-reliance and financial self-sufficiency. In addition to safe housing, clients receive comprehensive supportive services including counseling, job training, child care, budget counseling, life skills, continued education for job training, and other necessary services.

PALS Mentoring Program
Northern Virginia AIDS Ministry
Countywide

The program matches an adult mentor one-on-one with a child living with a family member (usually a parent) who has HIV/AIDS. It addresses the children's need for normalcy, a chance to escape the stress of their daily lives, and to just be kids. It also provides respite for parents and caregivers. Mentors visit their children at least twice a month for at least two hours and take them to recreational or educational activities.

Patient Care Fund
Hospice of Northern Virginia
Countywide

The program is dedicated to caring for the terminally ill and their families. by allowing terminally ill people who are indigent and lack insurance to remain in their homes until death. The services provide in-home visits from a registered nurse, a licensed social worker, a certified nursing assistant, a nonsectarian chaplain, and a trained volunteer.

Pro Bono Program
Fairfax Bar Foundation
Countywide

The program provides direct legal representation to those ineligible for services from Legal Services of Northern Virginia. The program provides legal services in the areas of domestic relations, housing, consumer and employment law. The program also provides training for attorneys who volunteer to accept cases on a pro bono basis.

Promising Futures
Wesley Housing Development Corporation
Regions 2, 5

The program offers a variety of adult training activities at community centers at two Wesley Development Housing Corporation (Wexford Manor and Strawbridge Square), multifamily properties. Activities include computer classes, ESL, job search assistance, and referrals to immigration and social services as well as a business skills technology program and cultural opportunities.

Promoting Acculturation & Educational Success Among Hispanics
Hispanic Committee of Virginia
Countywide

The program addresses the needs among Hispanic immigrants for immigration service, citizenship preparation and civic responsibility, ESL classes for adults and educational youth programs. The program will utilize volunteers to provide assistance with workshops and classes, serve as interpreters, data entry, special events, computer expertise and other administrative and clerical functions. Other services include consultation advice and counsel, individualized education and

problem solving, assistance with applications, assistance negotiation of immigration procedures, children's reading program and tutoring/mentoring.

Promoting Healthy Families
Lorton Community Action Center (LCAC)
Region 1 - Lorton

The program offers job skills classes and computer training, tutoring for grade school children and a teen recreation program for young teens. The program provides youth activities and opportunities for service, community involvement, and training in problem solving.

Promoting Self-Sufficiency Among Hispanic Families
Hispanic Committee of Virginia
Countywide

The Program addresses the need for immigrant Hispanic families to meet basic needs and achieve self-sufficiency by inter-connecting information and referral, employment assistance, microenterprise and social services. The project will utilize volunteers who will serve as interpreters, data entry, computer expertise and other support within the organization.

Reaching Adolescent Potential (RAP)
Center for Multicultural Human Services
Region 2, 4

The program serves low-income minority students at targeted high schools, middle schools, and elementary schools in the Falls Church, Baileys/Culmore and Herndon areas. The focus of the program is to increase attendance in school and decrease the number of student dropouts. Services include individual, group and family counseling, care management, tutoring, mentoring, enrichment activities, parent workshops, and other services to attain the goals of both the family and the student.

Resource Advisory Program
Northern Virginia Family Service
Regions 1 & 3

The program is designed to assist students at risk of dropping out of school in designated middle schools in Regions 1 and 3. Components of the program provide youth with personal growth sessions, crisis intervention, academic support, social and cultural enrichment, and higher educational opportunities.

Self-Sufficiency
Lorton Community Action Center (LCAC)
Region 1 - Lorton

The program helps families by providing emergency services and intensive case management to help families achieve a higher level of functioning, reaching out to Spanish speaking families who need emergency services and helping families meet basic needs, such as food and clothing.

Self Sufficiency Training for Korean Americans in Fairfax County
Korean American Association of Northern Virginia, Inc.
Countywide

The program provides vocational training classes which include computer courses, heating and air conditioning installation and repair, tailoring, plumbing, auto repair and job related English language instruction for Korean American adults. Follow-up is

provided to help the jobless gain employment, and the employed improve their opportunities for advancement.

Services for Self-Sufficiency

Lincoln-Lewis-Vannoy Communities for Assistance & Improvement, Inc. (LLVCAI)

Region 4

The program provides needy residents with emergency food and job counseling to allow residents to become self-sufficient. Transportation is provided to job-related appointments, and particularly for the elderly and disabled clients who have difficulties getting to and from grocery stores and medical appointments. Direct financial assistance (emergency assistance) will be provided to families who require financial aid for utility bills and/or rent.

TEC 2000

Service Source

Countywide

The program addresses the unmet need of people with disabilities attempting to enter the workforce. The program provides training to 30 participants that will allow them to gain significant basic competencies through the completion of a preparatory program and a basic computer curriculum. It is designed to assist people with disabilities in becoming productive and independent members of society. Activities will include intensive and individualized training support, assistive technology consultation, accommodation and intensive case management, intensive job development, job placement, and on the job training and retention support.

Tennis Plus: Helping At-Risk Youth Win the Game of Life

Joy of Sports Foundation

Regions 1, 2, 4

The program combines tennis instruction with life skills training to help at-risk youth, ages 8-11, develop five key life skills: self-esteem, concentration, cooperation, self-control, and imagination. The skills are taught on and off the tennis court and then applied to school and life situations. The program focuses on the development of the whole child in body, mind, and spirit. Volunteer mentors are used to help establish positive role model relationships with the children.

The Adult Health Program

Northern Virginia Family Service

Countywide

The program provides access to health care for uninsured adults by providing emergency direct assistance funds. The program also links persons in need of acute medical care to medical providers and provides financial assistance with prescription medication costs.

Training Futures

Northern Virginia Family Services

Countywide

The program provides an intensive 16-week clerical skill training and placement program with follow-up services. The program's goal is to equip graduates with skills, confidence, recent successful work experience and current job references to enter the high-tech corporate world. The program also involves more than 50 local

employers and individual volunteers to prepare individuals to take advantage of the office jobs available in the local market.

Transitional Housing Program

Robert Pierre Johnson Housing Development Corporation (RPJ)

Region 1

The program provides transitional housing and case management services for six homeless men and six homeless families, and the supports they need to become self-sufficient.

Transportation and Financial Assistance Programs

Northern Virginia AIDS Ministry

Countywide

The program serves individuals and families who are affected by AIDS. Personalized rides to medical and support services appointments are provided. The Program helps clients adhere to their medical regimen by ensuring that they see their physicians or case managers on a regular basis.

Victims of Violence, Exploitation and Trafficking (VVETA)

Boat People SOS

Countywide

The program assists Asian victims of domestic violence and exploitation and trafficking to achieve a safe, dignified and stable life. Clients are assisted with case management services, specialized legal services and emergency cash assistance.

Volunteer Home Repair Programs

(Hearts and Hammers, Christmas/Sukkot in April)

Robert Pierre Johnson Housing Development Corporation (RPJ)

Countywide

The programs provide volunteers to rehabilitate homes at no cost to the occupants. Assistance is provided to extremely low income homeowners, particularly the elderly, disabled and families with children, as well as nonprofit facilities. Over the two-year funding cycle, RPJ anticipates improving 85 properties each year.

Youth In Action

United Community Ministries (UCM)

Region 1

The program provides services to youth ages 5 to 13, and their parents, the majority of whom are residents of the low and moderate-income multi-family housing complexes in the Hybla Valley and Sacramento neighborhoods, including Buckman Road, Murraygate, Janna Lee, and Colchester Apartments. The Youth in Action program focuses on parents and youth to assist in maintaining scholarly standards. Youth activities include sports involvement and computer mentoring. Parent assistance includes crisis intervention, counseling, immigration services, and tax and legal clinics and parenting skills.