

**CONSOLIDATED COMMUNITY FUNDING POOL
FISCAL YEARS 2005-2006
PROJECT DESCRIPTIONS**

***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.

***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, and Savings Strategies)
Homestretch, Inc.
Countywide***

The ADDRESS 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. For homeless families poor credit and debt are major obstacles to self-sufficiency.

***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 Sunshine Club for people with advanced dementia. Training and support for the families, and training for community caregivers is also provided. Socialization activities such as art therapy, movement therapy, outings, music, physical exercise, cognitive skills and a variety of therapies are also a part of the program.

***Adult Health Partnership Direct Medical Assistance Services
Northern Virginia Family Service (NVFS)
Countywide***

The program responds to the need for access to health care for uninsured adults in Fairfax County by requesting emergency direct assistance funds. The program will provide emergency medical and dental assistance by educating clients on when and how to access healthcare services, how to *utilize* healthcare services (once accessed), and how to *utilize* preventive/home healthcare strategies and techniques.

***Affordable Rental & Homeownership Program Administration
Robert Pierre Johnson Housing Development
Corporation (RPJ)***

RPJ will administer affordable rental and homeownership programs. Funds will be used to pay staff to acquire 20 townhouse units to be used as affordable rentals for very low and low- income households, and to acquire another 20 townhouse or condo units for resale to low- income first-time homebuyers.

***Affordable Rental Housing Program
Robert Pierre Johnson Housing Development Corporation (RPJ)
Region 1***

RPJ Housing will address the need for safe, appropriate and affordable housing through the acquisition of 20 townhouse or condo units to be used as rental units for low and very low income people. Project-based housing choice vouchers will be used to further increase affordability.

Barrios Unidos KIDS Club
Barrios Unidos/United Neighborhoods, Inc.
Regions 2, 4

The program addresses issues of self-worth, community acceptance, a sense of control over the lives of youth and strong family resiliency. Barrios Unidos will provide active nurturing and support, non-judgmental guidance and caring advocacy for the community.

Basic Literacy and English as a Second Language one to one Tutoring
Literacy Council of Northern Virginia
Countywide

The Adult Literacy and ESL Program will teach adults the basic skills of reading writing, speaking and understanding English. The basic literacy program will provide one-on-one instruction to adults who need to develop their basic reading and writing skills. Volunteers are recruited and trained to work with students who are below a fifth grade level. The English as a Second Language program will provide non-English speaking adults to read, write, speak and understand English in a one-on-one environment. The staff provides ongoing instructional support services to all volunteers. Different levels of ESL are provided to students depending on their skill 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.

Basic Needs
United Community Ministries (UCM)
Region 1

The program assists people in crisis in southeastern Fairfax County 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 etc.

Bilingual Rehabilitation Specialist
Town of Herndon
Region 3

The project 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.

Bryant Early Learning Center
United Community Ministries
Region 1

Developmental Day Care Services at the Bryant Early Learning (BEL) Center is a nationally accredited, comprehensive child development program for children six weeks to five years old. BEL 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 BEL's Social Worker assists parents with linkage to UCM's array of services, such as employment counseling, referrals to other agencies and limited financial assistance to parents awaiting subsidy approval. At least ten slots are available to Project Opportunity teen mothers so they may earn their high school degrees in the building where their children receive care.

Building for the Future
Wesley Housing Development Corporation, Inc.
Region 3, 4

The program will provide after-school and summer camp program for low-income children at Strawbridge Square (Lincolnia) and Wexford Manor (Falls Church). Computer skills, mentoring, educational skills, and recreational opportunities will be offered. It is based on HUD's Neighborhood Network's model. The athletic component will be a collaborative effort with the Joy of Sports Foundation.

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 8 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 and Family Services

OAR of Fairfax County, Inc.

Countywide

This program offers services to offenders, ex-offenders and their families. The goal is to provide opportunities, alternatives, and resources to restore criminal offenders to productive roles in the community and offer 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

BWU provides a range of services that include emergency assistance in the form of food, financial support, transportation, and clothing to families in need. Additionally, families will be assigned a mentor to provide support, advocacy and act as a role model. The program will continue the work with the girls mentoring group and proposes to establish a boy's academic group. Opportunities to acquire strategies to cope with adolescent and teenage issues will be provided including group discussions. Tutoring will be conducted on a one-on-one basis.

Chesterbrook Residences

Chesterbrook Residences, Inc.

Region 3

Chesterbrook Residences, Inc. proposes to construct 97 new assisted living units for the elderly.

Childhelp USA Children's Center of Virginia

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Countywide

The program will provide a comprehensive abuse prevention and intervention program. The project will consist of five basic elements: awareness, prevention, identification, intervention and treatment. The awareness program will provide presentations on the nature and forms of child abuse and how to report suspected incidents of child abuse and resources available. A mentoring program is planned to match children with adult volunteers to provide educational and emotional support, enhance self-esteem, and serve as an advisor to parents.

Club Phoenix/Vienna Teen Center

Town of Vienna

Region 3

The Teen Center provides a safe alternative place for teens to gather, socialize, and learn new experiences. Activities are developed on a quarterly basis and include special events, themed dances, high school band concerts, trips, educational and recreational classes, summer camp, group sessions, community service projects, job fairs, etc.

Community and Family Initiatives

Center for Multicultural Human Services

Region 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. Support services include citizenship classes, language interpretations and translations.

Community Self-Sufficiency Project

Korean Community Service Center Of Greater Washington (KCSC)

Countywide

The Multi-service Self-Sufficiency Program provides comprehensive social services which include affordable housing search and placement, ESL, civics education, (citizenship) health fairs and workshops, health care program, employment assistance, youth prevention program, and an elderly program

Computer Skills Employment Training Program at Buckman Rd.

Community Preservation and Development Corporation

Region 1

The Computer Skills Employment Training Program will offer Microsoft Office skills training, soft skills courses, supportive services, and a comprehensive referral network to assist low income immigrant families living along the Route1 Corridor with the training necessary to overcome the barriers of self-sufficiency and ensure employment success.

Construction Trades Opportunity

Northern Virginia Family Service (NVFS)

Countywide

CTOP conducts an 8-10 week job-training program for men and women throughout the County. The program provides a combination of marketable skills training and skills certification in construction trade; ongoing case management, soft skills training, job development services, employer outreach, interviewing, and job fairs. The program identifies blue collar careers and provides almost immediate wage earning opportunities for participants to "earn while they learn". The Association of Builders and Contractors teaches construction trade skills.

Coppermine Place Supportive Services Program

Wesley Housing Development Corporation, Inc.

Region 3, 4

The Coppermine Place Supportive Services Program will provide referrals, collaborative programs for elderly and disabled/handicapped person at Coppermine I and II complexes in Oak Hill, Virginia.

Culmore Character Club

Boys and Girls Clubs of Greater Washington

Region 1, 2

The 4-H Character Club consists of a summer day camp which focuses on character and life skills, community service, improving academic skills, and fitness and nutrition. The program 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 programs at the center for more than 650 youth. In addition, the Alternative House bilingual outreach therapist provides counseling to approximately 100 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.

Day Labor Project

Reston Interfaith, Inc.

Region 3, 4

The project will provide a dedicated site where day laborers can connect for employment. It offers broad-based community services to the laborers, who are of the most vulnerable populations in Herndon: Hispanic low-income males with limited English and limited social support.

Dual Diagnosis Supported Housing Options Program (DD SHOP)

Pathway Homes, Inc.

Region 2, 3, 4, 5

The program will provide Intensive case management and other residential counseling and comprehensive supportive services to twelve homeless adults who are dually diagnosed with serious mental illness and co-occurring substance abuse disorders.

***Emergency and Self-Sufficiency Services Program
Reston Interfaith, Inc.
Region 3, 4***

This is a combination of two program; 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, Medicine & Special Needs
Falls Church Community Service Council, Inc. (FCS)
Region 2 – Zip codes 22041, 42, 43, 44, and 46***

FCS 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. Fairfax County agencies rely on FCS and similar groups for this emergency response.

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

The Emergency Food Program provides food for the preparation of meals for a week---until long-term help can be acquired or solutions found. Perishable food is purchased to supplement the total food package delivered to clients from FCS. The program is operated solely through the use of volunteers, including a volunteer coordinator.

***Emergency Services: Keeping Families at Home
Good Shepherd Housing and Family Services, Inc.
Region 1***

This project involves short-term assistance to families which are in danger of becoming homeless. Program support would include direct assistance and counseling. It estimates to serve 1, 296 individuals (480 households) in this effort. This is an offshoot of the currently funded HOMES for the Working Poor, Elderly, and Disabled Program.

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

Western Fairfax Christian Ministries provides emergency financial assistance (medical, rent/mortgage, utilities), food and clothing donations, transportation to medical and other facilities, and counseling/mentoring.

***ESOL for Mothers/Infants & Landscaping Workers
Progreso Hispano
Region 1***

The program will offer ESOL for Mothers/Infants & Landscaping Workers classes to non-English speakers who are placed depending on their English writing abilities and oral level.

***Fairfax Accessible Medication Program
Northern Virginia Family Service
Countywide***

The program will ensure that low-income un-insured and under-insured individuals are able to effectively and efficiently access prescription assistance services in a timely manner. Lack of access to primary health care and preventive care can result in loss of employment, underemployment, poor school performance and poor health. Individuals may be referred by community agencies, physicians, hospital social workers, family, and friends or by self-referral.

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

Countywide

Fairfax Court Appointed Special Advocates, Inc. (CASA) works Countywide with children who are victims of severe abuse. CASA operates through a system of trained volunteers who provide one-to-one advocacy for children in court cases of 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 emergency financial assistance, housing counseling, short-term case management services (partnered with Good Shepherd to provide services to the Route One Corridor) to Fairfax County residents who are experiencing crises.

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

Resource Mothers 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, and living in Fairfax County. 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. Ongoing education is provided that includes group sessions, visits to the schools to ensure unreported difficulties in schoolwork, problem solving, pregnancy prevention, and family planning. The program also provides school-based group sessions in middle schools to prevent pregnancy and gang violence among teens identified for at risk behavior. Teen moms enrolled in school join peer groups for parenting and pregnant teens. Topics may include, juggling responsibilities of parenthood, school and work, decision-making and pregnancy prevention.

Family Assistance Program Bethany House of Northern Virginia (BHNV) Countywide

Bethany House provides services to homeless spouses and children who have been victims of physical and psychological abuse. BHNV helps victims of abuse to access and benefit from a range of social and human services that move each person as expeditiously as possible to self-sufficiency, and to continue monitoring them for a period of up to two years.

Family Child Care Teachers Training and Professional Business Development Project Infant Toddler Family Day Care of Northern Virginia, Inc. Countywide

This project provides childcare provider training. The program will assist the emerging immigrant population develop the skills needed to be self-sufficient and increase the availability of highly trained childcare providers. Program activities include a workplace ESL program specially designed for the child care profession as well as a mentoring, first aid including CPR, safety and nutrition, financial assistance, professional development, parent orientations, marketing, and self-evaluation. Mentors also enroll at NOVA to increase education and skills and are encouraged to pursue an Associate Degree.

The training program incorporates. The goal is to facilitate the successful entry of program participants into the child care profession.

Family Emergency Assistance 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 to ACCA by the County's Consolidated Services Planning staff, churches and community agencies or organizations. The program is operated entirely by volunteers.

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

Region 4

Family Enrichment Services project provides life skills training, employment, and counseling supports needed to overcome barriers to self-sufficiency. Educational and recreational activities for youth helps them gain knowledge, skills and abilities so that they can make safe, responsible decisions, while recreational programs provides opportunities for youth and adults to socialize and have fun while engaged in positive, community building activities. The Family Enrichment Services activities serve residents who live in four public housing or subsidized housing communities in Human Services Region Four: Robinson Square (Fairfax area), Barros Circle (Centreville), Ragan Oaks (Fair Oaks area) and Yorkville Cooperative (Fairfax area).

Family Renewal

United Community Ministries

Region 1

The Family Renewal program responds to the housing needs of clients in the Region 1 area by providing chronically homeless families with transitional housing and offering these families weekly group meetings and case management. Support and guidance are provided in their parenting, personal growth and development skills. The program seeks to teach the adults in the families' good parenting skills, family interaction, meal preparation and how to be good tenants. Children in the program learn social skills such as sharing, manners and working on craft projects. 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 would include (a) the provision of emergency food distributions each month to 130 low-income families; (b) the provision of supplementary food 3-5 nights each week for 150 low-income families; and (c) 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 & Family Assistance

Our Daily Bread

Regions 2, 3, 4, 5

The program is comprised of three components: Delivered Groceries, Financial Assistance, and Adult Mentoring that provide services in HS regions 2-5. 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.

Food/Nutrition 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 Emergency Food Program is supported by volunteers and serves the areas of Annandale and Baileys Crossroads. Food is delivered to individual homes as needed. The program is operated entirely by approximately 300 volunteers.

For Immediate Sympathetic Help (Financial)

Fairfax FISH

Regions 3, 4, 5

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

Habitat Homes – Stevenson Street Condominiums

Habitat for Humanities

Region

This project involves capital support for constructing an eight unit condominium building on a ½ acre which HFHNV owns adjacent to its Stevenson Street town homes. The parcel has already been through most stages of predevelopment. Approximately 55% of the total project cost will be leveraged by HFHNV. Finished units will be sold to income eligible Fairfax County families.

Healthy Kids: Seeing the Star in Every Child**Joy of Sports Foundation****Regions 1, 2, 4**

The program will offer sports and fitness activities in soccer, tennis and basketball in three regions (1, 2 & 4) of the County. Life skills will be integrated on the court to will help children develop self-esteem, cooperation, concentration, imagination and relaxation. Nutrition education will be added to the curriculum to increase the children's knowledge and improve their eating habits. A pilot at the Mt. Vernon Woods Computer Learning Center will be used to provide technology training. This new approach will help deliver nutrition and life skills using computers.

Hermanos y Hermanas Mayores Latino Outreach Initiative and JUMPStart School-Based Mentoring Services- Fairfax County**Big Brothers/Big Sisters of the National Capital Area****Regions 2, 3, 4**

The program provides mentoring services by placing a caring adult to help a Latino child overcome significant barriers of family circumstances, poverty and inadequate education that affect positive childhood development. Volunteers spend four hours a week with their match and participate in activities such as homework, outings, reading, etc. Matches last for four or more years and produce positive results. The JUMPSTART School based mentoring services was initiated this fiscal year and includes one-hour weekly visits during the school year with mentors from local corporations, civic groups, high schools and colleges faith based groups, and military and service clubs.

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. Services are provided in basic math, reading, and writing skills to students who come from low income families and are at risk of not academically succeeding. It targets an area of five elementary schools in the Herndon-Oak Hill-Reston area of the County where up to 28-36% of students receive a subsidized or free school lunch. Professional teachers and volunteer assistants work with students to help solidify basic skills.

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.

HIV Prevention Education Programs for Youth**Northern Virginia AIDS Ministry****Countywide**

The program will provide presentations and community outreach sessions for 1,350 youth between the ages of 13-21, informing them of facts related to preventing HIV and other sexually transmitted diseases, as well as facts related to the risks associated with alcohol and substance use. Youth will also be taught skills to help them avoid personal risk behaviors and make healthy choices.

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

The NRRF provides neuromuscular training that incorporates stretching and relaxation exercise, tai chi and yoga; therapeutic dance/movement that focuses on balance and coordination, strength and endurance, cognitive processing skills, motor memory and social competency skills. The sessions will provide holistic approaches addressing persons' physical and psychosocial health and overall independence.

Homeless Intervention Services

Fairfax Area Christian Emergency and Transitional Services, Inc. (FACETS)

Region 4

The Homeless Intervention Services project 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 of food, emergency supplies, baby formula, clothing, and personal hygiene items. The project also addresses the need for homeless persons to develop the life skills, employment skills, and other skills that, when not equipped with, act as barriers to self-sufficiency.

Home 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, Elderly, and Disabled

Good Shepherd Housing and Family Services, Inc.

Region 1

This 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. The program keeps families out of homelessness and moving toward self-sufficiency.

Homestretch Affordable Permanent Housing Acquisition

Homestretch, Inc.

Countywide

Homestretch will acquire units to be rented to Housing Choice Voucher families whereby they are entitled to participate in all Homestretch programs.

Homestretch English as a Second Language

Homestretch, Inc.

Countywide

Homestretch, ESL Program provides homeless low-income adults (enrolled in the Transitional Housing Program) 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 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 Administration

Wesley Housing Development Corporation (WHDC)

Region 2

Housing administration supports on-going and future capital projects.

Housing & Case Management Services

Housing & Community Services of Northern Virginia, Inc.

Regions 1, 2, 4, 5

The Housing component was previously in collaboration with NVFS. Provides financial assistance, counseling/case management & advocacy services, information/referral, outreach/home visits, monthly educational workshops in homeownership.

***Housing Counseling Training Courses
Center for Housing Counseling Training, Inc. (CHCT)
Countywide***

The CHCT provides training courses countywide 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.

***Immigration and Citizenship Services
Progreso Hispano
Region 1***

The program provides immigration services such as English classes, citizenship preparation, naturalization, adjustment of status, petition for alien relatives, translation of documents and Temporary Permanent Status (TPS), to residents along the Route One Corridor.

***Just Neighbors Ministry Legal Services Project
Just Neighbors Ministry
Regions 2, 3 - Bailey's Crossroads, Herndon, Reston Areas***

This 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 focuses on the complex and diverse legal problems associated with immigration such as providing seminars on immigration law, completing authorization documents, legal advice and counsel and court representation.

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 Laurie Mitchell Employment Center (LMEC) serves primarily adults with serious mental illness and related brain disorders, and secondarily other adult consumers of mental health services who can benefit from help. LMEC is a drop-in center that serves anyone with mental illness without further qualification, residency requirement or time limit. The specific services offered are: 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. The services are offered to countywide residents.

***Leadership, Education, Achievement, & Diversity (L.E.A.D.) Program
Center for Multicultural Human Services
Region 2, 4***

The Leadership, Education, Achievement, & Diversity (L.E.A.D.) Program targets low-income minority students at three high schools, two middle schools, and two 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.

***Legal-Aid Families & Consumers
Legal Services of Northern Virginia***

Countywide

The project seeks to provide 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.

**Legal Aid – Housing and Employment
Legal Services of Northern Virginia****Countywide**

The project seeks to provide Legal Services to low-income residents of Fairfax County. It is critical that low-income families and individuals have access to the assistance of counsel when facing civil legal problems concerning such basic concerns as shelter and income. Clients who are at risk of the deprivation or loss of shelter and/or income will be assisted.

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

The project seeks to provide legal representation in court and administrative hearings, non-litigation advocacy, advice and counsel, community education and outreach to immigrants in need of: employment law services; housing/family law services, Immigration and citizenship services, public benefits, elder, children's and consumer law services.

**Legal Services for Low-Wage Immigrant Workers
VA Justice Center for Farm and Immigration Workers****Countywide**

Virginia Justice Center's bilingual attorneys will offer free legal education and representation to immigrant workers who earn less than 187.5% of the federal poverty guidelines, to give them the knowledge and support they need to recover unpaid wages that unscrupulous employers dishonestly withheld from them.

**Living Independently for Tomorrow
Residential Youth Services, Inc.****Countywide**

The Lift One, Lift Two Program provides transitional living and support services to homeless youth and foster care youth, ages 17-21, Countywide. 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. (PRS)****Region 1**

The Mental Health Homeless Prevention Program involves a support service targeted toward HCD/FCRHA public housing and MIRP residents, as well as Housing Choice Voucher holders who have various degrees of mental health issues. The program allows for them to maintain their housing through case management, tenant education, assessing needs, home-based residential support, and a consumer-operated support program. 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.

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

The Micro enterprise Development Project provides loans for start-up and existing businesses to those unable to obtain funds from traditional financial sources; training and technical assistance. ECDC provides business counseling and training and post-loan assistance to businesses.

**Mission Support
ECHO, Inc.
Region 5**

This is an all-volunteer organization that has served the Burke/Springfield area. This program serves as a continuation of the organization's efforts to provide low-income individuals and families with temporary emergencies such as food, clothing, utilities, medical/dental services, house wares housing and transportation.

***Mt. Vernon Village: Scattered Site Homes
Good Shepherd Housing and Family Services, Inc.
Region 1***

Acquisition of units to be rented to homeless or at-risk families; these housing units will defray cost of renting from private landlords.

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

CMHS offers multilingual services in 27 languages and assist low and moderate-income families find and maintain affordable housing in Fairfax County. The program promotes stable housing by educating residents to live in compliance with housing regulations and lease terms, by helping to resolve disputes which could lead to eviction and by linking individuals and families with resources to reduce stress, strengthen the family unit and increase self-sufficiency. It focuses on low and moderate-income families particularly those facing language and other cultural obstacles by identifying, securing and maintaining safe, appropriate and affordable housing in Fairfax County. The transitional housing serves up to 37 individuals who are homeless or on the verge of homelessness in conjunction with providing counseling services that will lead to stable, affordable housing and thus leading them towards self-sufficiency.

***Multicultural Information and Referral Outreach Program
Center for Multicultural Human Services (CMHS)
Countywide***

MIROP provides information outreach and referral services to at least 3,200 English limited residents of Fairfax County in 30 languages. Individuals and families from cultural and language minority groups are not able to adequately access services due to limited or little English language ability. 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 Multicultural Mental Health Program helps individuals and families from all cultural and language minorities in Fairfax County achieve health, stability, and independence. Serves individuals whose mental stability is compromised as a result of trauma, chronic stress, poverty and other challenges posed by the process of cultural adjustment. The comprehensive mental health intervention services are provided in 27 languages.

***Newcomer Self-Sufficiency
Newcomers Community Service Center (NCSC)
Countywide***

This program provides ESOL classroom training, job counseling and placement, housing referral, immigration services, citizenship classes, and vocational training to refugees and immigrants. The objectives of these services are to enable clients to become citizens, acquire employment, and to reach economic self-sufficiency.

***Northern VA Community College Medical Mall Community Clinic
Northern VA Community College Educational Foundation
Countywide***

This project will address the need for culturally sensitive physical and oral health care for 7,000 low-income residents in Fairfax County. The project will serve clients referred by, but not limited to Fairfax County Department of Family Services (DFS), Fairfax County Office of Partnerships (OOP) and the Mission of Mercy Project. It will assist agencies to reduce and reopen currently closed client waiting lists.

***Northern Virginia Dental Clinic
Northern Virginia Dental Clinic, Inc.***

Countywide

The Northern Virginia Dental Clinic 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 and 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 Domestic Violence**NOVACO, Inc.****Regions 2, 4, 5**

The program serves five families from six months and two years. The program provides transitional housing and supportive services to families who have been victims of domestic abuse. The goal of the program is to enable participants 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.

Nutritional Needs of People Living with Life-Challenging Illnesses in Fairfax County***Food & Friends*****Countywide**

The program provides home-delivered meals and groceries meal equivalents along with nutritional counseling to 125 people who are suffering from AIDS, cancer, and other life-challenging illnesses.

Older Job Seeker Assistance***Senior Employment Resources*****Countywide**

This program provides job search Job search counseling, resume development, and job placement services 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.

Padres Unidos Program***Stop Child Abuse Now (SCAN) of Northern VA*****Region 1**

The program will offer information, education and assistance for parents to develop support systems with each other; expose parents to a variety of information and services including, public transportation, workshops on anger management and stress.

PALS Mentoring Program***Northern Virginia AIDS Ministry*****Countywide**

NOVAM's Pals Mentoring Program matches an adult mentor one-on-one with a child living with a family member (usually a parent) who has HIV/AIDS. The program 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.

Pro Bono Program***Fairfax Bar Foundation*****Countywide**

The Pro Bono Program provides free civil legal assistance through an outreach program on matters involving the family to low income, elderly, persons with disabilities and other special needs; works in conjunction with Legal Services of Northern Virginia (LSNV) in serving low-income populations throughout the County. Services are provided 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.

***Program for Youth on Probation & Youth in the Less Secure Shelter & the Juvenile Detention Center
Community Mediation Services, Inc.***

Countywide

The program provides group sessions to youth on probation and in less secure shelters. The program will specifically work to help 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.

Promising Futures

Wesley Housing Development Corporation

Regions 2, 5

The project offers a variety of adult training activities at two 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 Promoting Acculturation and Education proposal addresses the needs among Hispanic immigrants for immigration service, citizenship preparation and civic responsibility, ESL classes for adults and educational youth programs. Immigration services include consultations on immigration issues, advice and counsel, translations, assistance with the completion of applications and negotiating complex immigration procedures. Youth education services will include three programs: Aroz con Leche is an early literacy program for young children that encourages the early development of reading and English language skills for children between the ages of 6 and 10; Alianza Escolar is a tutoring/mentoring program that matches upper elementary and middle school students ages 9-13 with adult mentors; the Alianza summer camp is a four week activity that introduces students in grades 3 through 8 to science and technology and focuses on increasing academic achievement in the sciences, exposure to new career possibilities in science, medicine and technology and provides Hispanic role models in these fields.

Promoting Healthy Families

Lorton Community Action Center (LCAC)

Region 1 - Lorton

This program promotes healthy functioning families by offering job skills classes and computer training, tutoring for grade school children and a teen recreation program for young teens. The program addresses three primary needs: (1) services in close proximity for people without cars, (2) youth activities and opportunities for service and (3) an inclusive forum for community involvement and problem-solving. Services are offered at the LCAC or other community locations such as schools, the senior center and the library.

Promoting Self-Sufficiency Among Hispanic Families

Hispanic Committee of Virginia

Countywide

The Promoting Self Sufficiency Among Hispanics proposal addresses the needs of Hispanic families requiring help to overcome barriers to meet basic needs in crisis situations, obtain employment or learn how to succeed in self-employment, and connect with community resources. The program incorporates four components: information and referral, employment assistance, micro enterprise and social services. The project will utilize volunteers who will serve as interpreters, data entry, computer expertise and other support within the organization.

Residential Assistance Program

Western Fairfax Christian Ministries

Region 4 (22033, 39, 20151, 20, 21, 24 zip codes)

This project involves funding housing related expenses for a 9-month period for 10-12 families who are homeless. 100% of CCFP funds will be used for direct assistance (rent, utilities) and families will receive counseling/mentoring from WFCM staff so that after the 9 month period, they are stable and are approaching self-sufficiency.

Safe Youth Project

Alternative House

Region 4

The program will provide safe activities for youth (4th – 6th graders, primarily recent immigrants, extremely low-income and in a neighborhood that has high gang activity) which includes counseling, recreation, tutoring, computer skills and nutrition.

Self-Sufficiency

Lorton Community Action Center (LCAC)

Region 1 - Lorton

The Self-Sufficiency Project helps families by: 1) providing emergency services and intensive case management to help families achieve a higher level of functioning; 2) reaching out to Spanish speaking families who need emergency services; and 3) helping families meet basic needs, such as food and clothing. The program focuses on eight needs: food, clothing, furniture, financial assistance, case management, bilingual services, seasonal assistance and information and referral services.

Self Sufficiency through Self Employment

Business Development Assistance Group, Inc.

Countywide

This project provides job seekers the opportunity to become self-sufficient through self-employment by assisting and teaching them how to start a small or home-based business and operate it successfully. To achieve this, BDAG proposes a three-step process: 1) Orientation and self-assessment, 2) Technical assistance and one-on-one counseling, and 3) Business training.

Self Sufficiency Training for Korean Americans in Fairfax County

Korean American Association of Northern Virginia, Inc.

Countywide

The Korean American Association of Northern Virginia, Inc. 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 will be 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 Services for Self-Sufficiency 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) is provided to families who require financial aid for utility bills and/or rent.

Springdale House

Wesley Housing Development Corporation, Inc.

Countywide

This project involves supporting minor, but necessary, renovations to a 6 unit elderly/disabled housing complex in the Bailey's Crossroads Area.

TEC 2000

Service Source

Countywide

The TEC 2000 proposal addresses the unmet need of people with disabilities attempting to enter the workforce. The program will allow Fairfax County participants 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 computer classes in Micro Office, workplace skills, employment and job search assistance, job placement, and on the job training and retention support.

Training Futures

Northern Virginia Family Service

Countywide

Training Futures is 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. The purpose of the program is to provide housing for the homeless and the support the need to become self-sufficient.

Transportation and Financial Assistance Programs

Northern Virginia AIDS Ministry

Countywide

The Transportation Program serves individuals and families who are affected by AIDS. The program provides personalized rides to medical and support services appointments for Northern Virginia residents living with HIV/AIDS. The Transportation 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 addresses the basic needs of trafficking to women and their families, and emergency assistance during a crisis situation. The program provides legal services as needed to assist them with filing applications to legalize their immigration status, protection orders, divorce, child custody and support.

Virginia Ely Senior Rental Assistance Program

Catholics for Housing, Inc.

Countywide

Catholics for Housing, Inc. will continue a senior rental assistance program for low income seniors who cannot meet the minimum income requirements of Fairfax County's housing for senior citizens.

Volunteer Home Repair Programs

Robert Pierre Johnson Housing Development Corporation

Countywide

The RPJ Volunteer Home Repair Programs - Christmas & Sukkot in April and Hearts and Hammers - rehabilitate homes (using volunteers to do the work), at no cost to the occupants, of 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.

Workforce Development Center

United Community Ministries (UCM)

Region 1

The program offers comprehensive employment services in southern Fairfax County including self-employment and computer training, ESL for work, clothing, job placement counseling. Because job seekers are at many levels, this Employment Services program focuses on the broad needs: 1) immediate work experience, 2) skills development for better quality employment, and 3) improved job readiness.

Youth Academic Support Programs at Buckman Road

Community Preservation & Development Corporation

Region 1

The Program provides reading fluency and literacy support activities that include a comprehensive reading/math assessment to all elementary children. Intensive instruction using a developmental reading program that promotes mastery of basic literacy and work attack skills will be used with ongoing assessments to help identify and address specific skill gaps. Math support is a new activity and focuses on identifying math deficits. The homework support program provides assistance for one hour for grades 1-3; two hours for grades 4-6 and grades 7-12.

Youth In Action

United Community Ministries (UCM)

Region 1

Services are provided to youth ages 5 to 13, and their parents in the Route 1 area of the county. The majority of the participants are residents of the low and moderate-income multi-family housing complexes in the Buckman Road corridor as well as Murraygate, Janna Lee, Hybla Valley, and Colchester Apartments. Access to some of the most critical areas that will allow children the possibility of attaining their potential such as assistance with homework, scholarships and life skills training is provided. This program is a collaborative, neighborhood-based project for community outreach, organizing and activities. The parent assistance component includes crisis intervention, counseling, immigration services, and tax and legal clinics.