Housing, Health and Human Services

**Housing Development Goals**

- To develop, maintain, and preserve affordable housing and promote equal housing opportunity through the acquisition, renovation, and/or construction of affordable housing units.
- To develop affordable housing programs for persons with disabilities, homeless, and elderly which provide or have access to supportive services to facilitate independent living.
- To locate affordable housing as close as possible to employment opportunities, public transportation, and community services.
- To promote economically balanced communities by developing affordable housing in all parts of the County.
- To maintain the quality of existing units in the Fairfax County Rental Program as they age in order to promote the stability of the neighborhoods in which they are located.
- To maximize the use of federal, state, non profit, and private sector housing development programs and funding.

**Health and Human Services Goals**

- To provide community services as an alternative to institutional placements.
- To provide facilities and services which will enhance the physical health, mental health, and social well-being of County citizens.
- To establish additional group homes which promote integration within the community for persons who have developmental disabilities.
- To provide facilities and services that will assist in the rehabilitation of individuals recovering from alcohol and drug abuse.
- To establish additional treatment facilities in new growth areas to accommodate the human services needs for local residents.
- To continue partnerships with Virginia Department of Medical Assistance Services for maximizing Medicaid revenues to fund clinical residential supports.
- To continue a commitment to privatization by working collaboratively with private service provider agencies for the delivery of residential support services.
- To support, promote and provide quality childcare and early childhood education services in Fairfax County.