

KCEOC BI-MONTHLY



"Creating change since 1964"

Community Action Month Edition



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Proclamation

2022 Community Action Month

WHEREAS, Community Action has made essential contributions to individuals and families across this Nation by creating economic opportunities and strengthening communities; and

WHEREAS, Community Action is a robust state and local force connecting people to life changing services and creating pathways to prosperity in 99% of all American counties; and

WHEREAS, Community Action builds and promotes economic stability as an essential aspect of enabling and enhancing stronger communities and stable homes; and

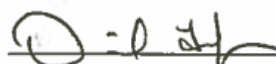
WHEREAS, Community Action promotes community-wide solutions to challenges throughout our cities, suburbs, and rural areas; and

WHEREAS, Community Action delivers innovative services and supports that create greater opportunities for families and children to succeed; and

WHEREAS, Community Action insists on community participation and involvement ensuring that all sectors of the community have a voice and will be heard; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I Barbourville City Mayor, David Thompson, Knox County Judge Executive, Mike Mitchell, and KCEOC President/CEO, Paul Dole, do hereby proclaim May 2022 as Community Action Month in recognition of the hard work and dedication of all Community Action Agencies.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of Barbourville, KY on this day May 2, 2022.



Mayor, David Thompson



Knox County Judge Executive, Mike Mitchell



President/CEO, Paul D. Dole



THE PROMISE OF COMMUNITY ACTION

Community Action changes people's lives,
embodies the spirit of hope,
improves communities,
and makes America a better place to live.

We care about the entire community,
and we are dedicated to helping people
help themselves and each other

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AGENCY

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We're in this together

KCEOC Community Action Partnership serves on the frontlines in the war on poverty; we take our promise to recognize human potential, improve communities, and create opportunities for change very seriously. We believe lending a hand up and not hand out empowers people to create a better life for themselves and their families. That's why your donation is so meaningful; it impacts families not just once- but for generations! As always 100% of your donation will go to directly support those living in poverty.

*All Donations are tax deductible as allowed by law.



HONORABLE ORDER OF KENTUCKY COLONELS



AWARD 314 GRANTS TOTALING \$3.1 MILLION KCEOC Community Action Partnership, AN HONORED 2022 RECIPIENT



Gray KY – KCEOC Community Action Partnership is proud to announce being chosen to receive a grant from the Honorable Order of Kentucky Colonels (HOKC) in the amount of \$4,425.25 to purchase outreach supplies for the homeless community, including tents, blankets, coats, and personal hygiene items. KCEOC Community Action Partnership serves rural Appalachian communities by addressing all aspects of poverty and providing a hand up to people in need.

HOKC awarded \$3.1 million in grants supporting 314 non-profits, impacting more than 3.9 million Kentuckians. Grants are made possible through donations from contributing Kentucky Colonels from

throughout the Commonwealth and around the world who chose to exercise this honor in a meaningful way.

According to **Commanding General Gary Boschert**: “The year 2021, early 2022 was a challenging year and the Kentucky Colonels stepped up to the challenges. Through extremely generous individuals we were able to increase our regular grant impact for the Good Works Program by over \$1,000,000.00. This year we are awarding 3.1 million dollars, the most money we have ever been able to spend on the program. In addition, the horrible storms that devastated Western Kentucky, Colonels stepped up and donated millions of dollars and we are able to grant 3.7 million for the long-term recovery of the region. Thank you, Colonels, for your generosity and continued support. Your help allows all the Trustees to help impact millions of Kentuckians.”

About the Honorable Order of Kentucky Colonels

The Honorable Order of Kentucky Colonels is a 501(c) (3) entity dedicated to supporting charitable activities throughout the Commonwealth of Kentucky. The organization is governed by an all-volunteer Board of Trustees. The “Kentucky Colonel” commission is an honorary title granted by the Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky. Since 1951, the organization has pursued its mission through annual grants totaling \$60 million to more than 1,600 nonprofits. Of those Colonels’ contributions, 100% are awarded to nonprofits across the state. Each grant is thoroughly vetted by the trustees and staff. Though the corporate name is The Honorable Order of Kentucky Colonels, most know it by its long-term trademark, KENTUCKY COLONELS. Visit kycolonels.org to learn more.

TEAM KENTUCKY



Homeowner Assistance Fund

OVERVIEW

The Team Kentucky Homeowner Assistance Fund keeps Kentucky homeowners safe and healthy in their homes and protects them from foreclosure due to delinquent mortgage, tax, insurance and utility payments and homeowner's association fees due to financial distress caused by COVID-19.

For detailed information, visit www.protectmykyhome.org; to fill out an application, visit <https://teamkyhaf.ky.gov/>.

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

Kentucky received \$85.4 million in federal American Rescue Plan Act Funds to help prevent foreclosure for homeowners who have been impacted economically by COVID-19. After working with the U.S. Treasury for six months, Kentucky Housing Corporation (KHC) the agency administering these federal funds, received approval for its program plan in late December.

Qualifying homeowners may receive up to \$35,000 in assistance to repay delinquent mortgage bills, utility payments, insurance premiums, property taxes and homeowner's association fees. Payments will be made directly to the agencies owed.

DETAILS

- The Homeowner Assistance Fund portal will open at 8 a.m. Monday, February 7, 2022.
- Funds will be available until fully expended or September 30, 2025, whichever comes first.
- Homeowners must meet certain income guidelines. An income calculator is available at <https://teamkyhaf.ky.gov>.
- Applicants must be living in the home, and were living in it during the pandemic hardship, for which they are applying for assistance.
- To qualify, homeowners must work with a participating HAF housing counselor, who will walk them through the process.
- Homeowners must provide verification of income and an assessment of their home and property.
- All documents will be electronically signed.
- The date of the qualifying hardship has to have occurred on or after January 21, 2020.
- Lump sum, direct payments will be made to the services, utility companies, insurance companies, county tax administrators and homeowner's associations.
- A complete list of requirements is available at www.protectmykyhome.org.

SLIDE BULLETS

- Starting February 7, 2022, Kentucky will launch the Homeowner Assistance Fund, a statewide effort to prevent foreclosures.
- Not all homeowners will qualify. They must meet income requirements as well as produce certain documents showing their financial distress from COVID.
- Assistance is available for delinquent mortgage payments, utility bills, insurance premiums, property taxes and homeowner's association fees.
- Utilities include electric, water, sewer and gas. Qualifying homeowners must be at least 90 days past due to receive utility assistance.
- Approved homeowners may receive up to \$35,000 in assistance. Homeowners may only receive assistance one time.
- Payments will be made directly to the entities owed – mortgage servicers, utility companies, etc.
- Each applicant will work with a housing counselor, who will guide them through the process.
- For more information, visit www.protectmykyhome.org.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Applicants must apply online at <https://teamkyhaf.ky.gov/>.



KENTUCKY HOMEOWNERSHIP
PROTECTION CENTER

TEAM
KENTUCKY

Avoid Foreclosure!

Kentucky is launching a new federally-funded program to protect homeowners impacted by COVID-19.

Homeowner Assistance Fund (HOAF) Program

\$85.4 M

Total assistance from
the U.S. Treasury.

\$35 K

Maximum support a
Household can receive.

**Jan. 1,
2020**

Must have experienced
hardship after this date.

**Sept. 30,
2025**

Program ends on
this date.



www.protectmykyhome.org



The Team Kentucky Homeowner
Assistance Fund will pay:

- Mortgage payments (up to 6 months of past due payments)
- Mortgage-related expenses
- Liens
- Homeowner's association fees, condominium association fees
- Property taxes
- Insurance
- Utilities (must be at least 90 days past due)

To qualify, homeowners must:

- Sign a document explaining their COVID hardship
 - Loss of income*
 - Increase in expenses*
- Have an income less than 150% of the area median income

Payments will be made:

- Up to \$35,000 per household
- Directly to those owed
 - Servicers
 - HOAs
 - Insurance companies
 - Tax assessors
 - Utility providers (electric, gas, water, sewer)

*The threshold for qualification is a hardship of 15% or greater - 15% or greater reduction in income or 15% or greater increase in household expenses. Applying for assistance and signing the affidavit of hardship is not a guarantee of approval for HOAF funds.

To learn more about eligibility requirements and to see if you qualify, visit www.protectmykyhome.org.



Summer Feeding Program

FREE LUNCH

For all children ages 0-18 years old
May 23 thru August 9 2022

Meals must be consumed onsite and will be provided on a first come first served basis.
KCEOC is an equal opportunity provider.

For more information please contact Brendia Moses at
KCEOC Community Action Partnership At 606-546-3152
or by email BMoses@kceoc.com
Or follow us on social media:



KCEOC Community Action Partnership's Summer Feeding Program Meals schedule for 5/23/22 through 8/9/22

Meals will be available FREE to children 18 years old and younger.
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Ages Park: 33 Smith Ave Evarts KY 2:10 to 2:30 (M-F) June 1- Aug 9
Anna Lee Village: 400 Block of Bridge Street Harlan KY 10:40 to 11:00 (M-F) June 1- Aug 9
Appalachian Children's Home 1909 KY 3439 Barbourville KY 7:30 to 8:30 (T-F) June 21 -24
 and 12:00 to 1:00 M-F June 20-24
Apple Grove Baptist Church 14 Campbell Street Barbourville KY 6:00 to 8:00pm (Sun-W) June 5-8
Artemus Baptist Church 3085 KY 225 Artemus KY 6:00-8:00pm (Sun-Th) June 26-30
Bailey's Creek Park 711 Bailey Creek Road Evarts KY 12:10 to 12:30 (M-F) June 1- Aug 9
Barbourville City School 140 School Street Barbourville KY 12:00 to 12:30 (M-F) May 23-Aug 9
Barbourville Housing #2 113 Shelby Street Barbourville KY 1:10 to 1:30 (M-F) May 23-Aug 9
Barbourville Manor Apartments Whitesburg Hollow Barbourville KY 1:50 to 2:10 (M-F) May 23-Aug 9
Betty Jane Apartments 135 Little Drive London KY 2:10 to 2:30 (M-F) May 27-Aug 9
Black Mountain Park 139 Post Office Drive Evarts KY 1:45 to 1:55 (M-F) June 1-Aug 9
Blood Bought Church 46 Scoville Road Cotes KY 11:10 to 11:30 (M-F) June 1-Aug 9
Briar Hill Apartments 229 Third Street Barbourville KY 1:35 to 1:55 (M-F) May 23-Aug 9
Brittain Creek Church 45 Rail Lane Evarts KY 1:10 to 1:30 (M-F) June 1-Aug 9
Callebs Creek Road 55 Nan Duff Road Hinkle KY 11:20 to 12:00 (M-F) May 23-Aug 9
Callens Creek Rd 2640 Callebs Creek Road Hinkle KY 10:30 to 11:15 (M-F) May 23-Aug 9
Catron Square Apartments 200 1st Street Barbourville KY 12:35 to 1:05 (M-F) May 23-Aug 9
Central Christian Academy 34 School Street Gray KY 8:00-9:00 & 12:00-12:30 (M-Th) May 31-July 28
Chapel Grove Bpt Church 13378 KY 6 Corbin KY 6:00-8:00pm (Sun-W) June 12-15
Cloverlick Heights 500 Cloverlick Road Cumberland KY 1:25 to 2:05 (M-F) June 1-Aug 9
Coles Court Trailer Park 122 Hammons Street Barbourville KY 2:30 to 2:50 (M-F) May 23-Aug 9
College Height Apartments 691 N Allison Avenue Barbourville KY 2:00 to 2:20 (M-F) May 23-Aug 9
Corbin Manor Apartments 1400 Corbin Manor Corbin KY 11:35 to 12:05 (M-F) May 27-Aug 9
Corinth Baptist Church 1671 Old Whitley Road London KY 6:00-7:00pm (Sun-W)
Cumberland Manor/Popular Hgts 201 Mastin Drive Cumberland KY 11:10 to 12:10 (M-F) June 1-Aug 9
Dayhoit Trailer Park 545 Dayhoit Drive Lot #6 Dayhoit KY 11:35 to 11:55 (M-F) June 1-Aug 9
Dogwood Hills Apartments 300 Reams Lane London KY 10:30 to 11:30 (M-F) June 1-Aug 9
Dovie Thompson Center 207 2nd Street Barbourville KY 2:15 to 2:35 (M-F) May 23-Aug 9
Emma Estates 1515 108 Country Farm Road London KY 12:30 to 12:50 (M-F) May 27-Aug 9
Escoe's Market 2950 St Hwy 223 Flatlick KY 12:30 to 1:00 (M-F) May 23-Aug 9
East Barbourville Baptist Church 279 Old 25 E Barbourville KY 6:00-8:00pm (Sun-W) June 19-23

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Evarts High School 10 Bell Street Evarts KY 12:35 to 12:55 (M-F) June 1-Aug 9
 First United Methodist Church 301 West 5th Street London KY 6:00 to 7:00 Fri June 3-29
 Happy Lane Trailer Park 92 Happy Lane Barbourville KY 11:05 to 11:25 (M-F) May 23-Aug 9
 Harlan Housing Authority 41 Kelly Street Harlan KY 10:10 to 10:30 (M-F) June 1-Aug 9
 Harvest Heights 120 Russell Drive Cumberland KY 12:15 to 12:35 (M-F) June 1-Aug 9
 Horizon Health 935 South Laurel Rd London KY 9:00-10:30 & 11:30-12:30 (M-F) June 1-Aug 9
 Jackson Manor Apartments 112 Franklin Street Barbourville KY 1:20 to 1:40 (M-F) May 23-Aug 9
 Jan's Mobile Home Park 27 Jan's Lane Barbourville KY 11:30 to 11:50 (M-F) May 23-Aug 9
 Joe Parman Heights 100 Scott Street London KY 1:35 to 1:55 (M-F) May 27-Aug 9
 KCEOC Central office 5448 NUS 25E Suite A Gray KY 8:00-10:00 & 12 -2 (M-F) May 23-Aug 9
 KCEOC Murrell Mitchell Apts 1 Oak Place Drive Corbin KY 2:05 to 3:00 (M-F) May 23-Aug 9
 Keck Baptist Church 334 Keck Rd Gray KY 5:30 to 8:00 (Sat-Th) June 4-9
 Kennedy Avenue Trailer Park 371 Kennedy Avenue Corbin KY 1:25 to 1:55 (M-F) May 23-Aug 9
 Kentinia Full Gospel Church 2911 State Hwy 219 Wallins KY 1:05 to 1:15 (M-F) June 1-Aug 9
 Kloe's Courtyard 123 Robert E Cox Road Corbin KY 12:10 to 12:30 (M-F) May 27-Aug 9
 Knox Central High School 100 Panther Way Barbourville KY 8:30-9:30 & 11:30-12 (M-F) July 25-Aug 5
 Knox County Extension Pavilion 230 Treuhaft Blvd Barbourville KY 4:00 to 6:30pm (Th) May 26-Aug 4
 Knox County Health Department 261 Hospital Drive Barbourville KY 10:30 to 11:00 (M-F) May 23-Aug 9
 Knox County Public Library 206 Knox St Barbourville KY 3:00 to 7:30 (Tue & Th) June 14-July 21
 KY Avenue Vanzant 1536 Braxton Lane Lily KY 1:20 to 1:40 (M-F) May 27-Aug 9
 Laurel Lake Baptist Camp 578 Singing Hills Rd Corbin KY 9-10am & 5-6pm (M-F) May 30- June 2
 Liberty Miss Baptist (Corbin) 76 Youngs Creek Rd Corbin KY 6:45-8pm (M-F) July 25-29
 Lily Holiness Church 435 Old HWY 25 E Lily KY 5:30-7pm (M-F) May 30- June 3
 Louellen Pay Lake 30 Price Lane Louellen KY 10:30 to 10:50 (M-F) June 1-Aug 9
 Lynch- Cumberland Manor Apartments Liberty Street Lynch KY 10:30 to 10:50 (M-F) June 1-Aug 9
 Marvin Garden 355 Reams Street Road London KY 11:05 to 12:15 (M-F) May 27-Aug 9
 Mill Street Park 215 Mill Street Park London KY 12:00 to 1:00 (M-F) June 6-Aug 9
 Molus Michelle Saylor Residence 280 Molus Hollow Coldiron KY 1:30 to 1:50 (M-F) June 1 -Aug 9
 Moments with the Master 384 Helton Branch Rd Gray KY 10-10:30 & 12-1 (M-S) May 26-Aug 9
 Newborn & Kids Health Center 215 Treuhaft Blvd Barbourville KY 10-3 (Th) June 30
 Pinehill Apartments 30514 West 16th Street London KY 1:00 to 1:20 (M-F) June 1-Aug 9
 Powell Station: Spider Creek Complex 45 Claire Drive Corbin KY 12:10 to 12:40 (M-F) May 23-Aug 9

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Pride Terrace/Harvester HGTS 504 Last Resort Court Cumberland KY 12:40 to 1:20 (M-F) June 1-Aug 9

Regina Owens Residence Campground Court Apt. #17 Corbin KY 10:30 to 11:00 (M-F) May 23-Aug 9

Restoration Ministries 420 Lily school Rd Lily KY 8-9 & 12:00-1:00 (M-F) June 1-Aug 9

Rio Vista: Edna Bailey 114 2nd Street Rio Vista Loyal KY 11:05 to 11:25 (M-F) June 1-Aug 9

Roadside Baptist Church 151 Noahville Lane Barbourville KY 6-7pm (Sun-Th) June 12-16

Rosspoint Trailer Park 90 Bank Drive Circle Baxter KY 2:35 to 2:55 (M-F) June 1 -Aug 9

S&R Apartment 101664 Barbourville Road London KY 2:15 to 2:35 (M-F) May 27-Aug 9

Salt Gum Church 13587 KY 223 Scalf KY 6:30-8pm (Sun-Th) June 4-9

Sapling Center 460 Court Square Barbourville KY 10:00 to 11:00 & 12:00 to 2:00 (M-Th) May 23-Aug 9

Sawbriar Trailer Park 244 Longton Road Wallins KY 12:00 to 12:20 (M-F) June 1 -Aug 9

Schoolhouse Apartments: Spider Creek Complex 29 Damon Circle Corbin KY 12:45 to 1:15 (M-F) May 23-Aug 9

Sinking Creek Baptist Church 3720 Sinking Creek Road London KY 6-7pm (W) June 1-9

Solid Rock Missionary Baptist Church 8947 US 25E Barbourville KY 7-8pm (M-F) June 6-10

Spider Creek Complex Alumni Drive 60 Sydner Circle Corbin KY 11:35 to 12:05 (M-F) May 23-Aug 9

Spider Creek Trailer Park 536 Spider Creek Road Corbin KY 11:10 to 11:30 (M-F) May 23-Aug 9

Springfield Baptist Church 132 KY 1304 Bimble KY 10-12 (Sun) June 5-Aug 7 & 6-8pm (Sun-F) June 1-Aug 7

St Paul Baptist Church 4545 Old 25E Barbourville KY 9:30-11am (Sun) June 1- Aug 3 & 6-7pm (Sun-F) June 1 -Aug 7

St. James Trailer Park 219 Palamino Drive Corbin KY 10:30 to 11:30 (M-F) May 27-Aug 9

Sunrise Baptist Church 632 Perkins Hill Road Harlan KY 2:15 to 2:35 (M-F) June 1- Aug 9

Thompson RV Park 125 Old South Main Street Barbourville KY 2:40 to 3:00 (M-F) May 23-Aug 9

Tom Coal Monument 301 Tom Coal Road Evarts KY 11:40 to 12:00 (M-F) June 1-Aug 9

Tri County Mobile Home Park 5058 Laurel Road London KY 1:45 to 2:05 (M-F) May 27 -Aug 9

Turkey Creek Baptist Church 1 Fortney Branch Road Flatlick 9:45-11 (Sun) June 5- Aug 7 & 7-8pm (Sun-F) June 1- Aug 3

Union College Athletic Field 310 College Street Barbourville KY 6:00 to 7:30pm (M-Th) July 11-14

Verda Bottom: Kim Huff 15 Cherry Lane Evarts KY 2:50 to 3:10 (M-F) June 1 -Aug 9

Village Mobile Estates 129 Lindsay Lane Corbin KY 12:35 to 1:05 (M-F) May 27-Aug 9

Wallins Post Office 854 Hwy 219 Wallins KY 12:25 to 12:45 (M-F) June 1 -Aug 9

Wellness Park TLC Lane London KY 12:00 to 1:00 (M-F) June 6-July 31

Wildwood Apartments 1114 Wildwood Apartments London KY 2:40 to 3:00 (M-F) June 1-Aug 9

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1400 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, D.C. 20250-9410;
- (2) fax: (202) 690-7442; or
- (3) email: program.intake@usda.gov.

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Individuals within the EKCEP service area are eligible to apply. Counties include: Bell, Breathitt, Carter, Clay, Elliott, Floyd, Harlan, Jackson, Johnson, Knott, Knox, Lawrence, Lee, Leslie, Letcher, Magoffin, Martin, Menifee, Morgan, Owsley, Perry, Pike, and Wolfe.



KCEOC CAP is now accepting applications for the new Low Income Home Water Assistance Program (LIHWAP) Crisis Component. Applications will be accepted through June 1, 2022, or until designated funds are depleted on a first-come, first-serve basis.

The Crisis Component can assist households, up to and including 150 percent of the federal poverty guidelines, who are experiencing a water and/or wastewater crisis. Applicants must provide at least one of the following: a disconnect/past due notice, disconnection notice, or an eviction notice for non-payment of rent (if water service cost is included in your rent). Benefits are paid directly to household's water service vendor.

Benefits offered through the Crisis component are limited to the minimum to alleviate the crisis **not** to exceed \$800. Households can reapply each time they experience a crisis until they have reached their maximum benefits.

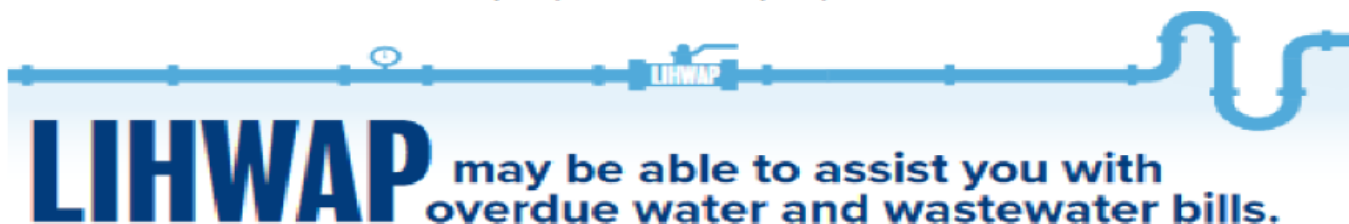
All applicants will be required to supply the following documentation at the time of application:

- Proof of Social Security Number or Permanent Residence card (Green Card) for each member of the household.
- Proof of all household's (all members) income from the preceding month.

Most current water service bill (water and/or wastewater), including account number and name on account, statement from your landlord if water service expenses are included in your rent, statement from utility company if you participate in a Pre-Pay Program.

LIHWAP Subsidy Component enrollment period begins January 10, 2022. Eligible households can apply for a one-time water service benefit ranging from \$300 to \$400 depending on income level, housing category, and water service benefit type. Participation in LIHWAP Crisis will not affect a household's eligibility. Households must meet eligibility requirements, including income guidelines.

For further application details and eligibility requirements or to make an appointment, please contact LIHWAP staff at (606)-595-8062 or (606)-546-3152, Ext. 0305





June 14, 2022: KCEOC CAP Commemorates Flag Day

When the American Revolution broke out in 1775, the colonists were not fighting united under a single flag. Instead, most regiments participating in the war for independence against the British fought under their own flags. In June of 1775, the Second Continental Congress met in Philadelphia to create the Continental Army—a unified colonial fighting force—with the hopes of a more organized battle against its colonial oppressors. This led to the creation of what was, essentially, the first “American” flag, the Continental Colors.

The American flag stood for unity then and it still stands for unity now.



National Community Action Partnership Statement on Robb Elementary

(May 26, 2022) - Denise Harlow, CEO, National Community Action Partnership

Our deepest sympathies go to the families and loved ones of the victims of the mass shooting at Robb Elementary School in Uvalde, Texas. Nineteen beautiful young children and their courageous teachers have left us too early. This act of violence, just days after the murder of families going about their daily business in Buffalo, NY, tightens our chests and rips at our souls. Our prayers are for all who have been impacted by gun violence. Community Action Agencies embody the spirit of hope and the words and image shared by Community Council of South Central Texas, Inc., which serves the Uvalde community, resonate with all of us. "Our hearts are heavy. We are devastated for the people of Uvalde, the people we serve, whose lives are now changed forever. We mourn for those lost, and grieve alongside their families, their friends, and their community.... our community. We hope for healing in Uvalde, in our Nation, and in our world. We are prepared to take action in assisting the Uvalde Community through this trying time. We are here to help. #UvaldeStrong

Community Action Promise:

Community Action changes people's lives, embodies the spirit of hope, improves communities, and makes America a better place to live. We care about the entire community, and we are dedicated to helping people help themselves and each other.

The National Community Action Partnership is the hub for the nation's 1,000+ local Community Action Agencies that provide life changing services to individuals and families in 99% of America's counties. The Partnership's mission is to ensure the causes and conditions of poverty are effectively addressed and to strengthen, promote, represent, and serve the Community Action Network.





KCEOC Community Action Partnership now has funding available for Homeless Prevention Services. Households must live in Bell, Harlan, Knox, or Whitley Co. Households must also be below 50% of area median income, & must not have sufficient resources or support networks immediately available to prevent them from moving to an emergency shelter or other location.

Applicants must meet one of the following “At-Risk” Factors:

- Has moved because of economic reasons two or more times during the 60 days immediately preceding the application for homelessness prevention assistance;
- Is living in the home of another because of economic hardship;
- Has been notified in writing that their right to occupy their current housing or living situation will be terminated within 21 days after the date of application for assistance;
- Lives in a hotel or motel and the cost of the hotel or motel stay is not paid by charitable organizations or by federal, State, or local government programs for low-income individuals;
- Lives in a single-room occupancy or efficiency apartment unit in which there reside more than two persons or lives in a larger housing unit in which there reside more than 1.5 people per room, as defined by the U.S. Census Bureau;
- Is exiting a publicly funded institution, or system of care (such as health-care facility, mental health care facility, foster care or other youth facility, or correction program or institution); or
- Otherwise lives in housing that has characteristics associated with instability and an increased risk of homelessness, as identified in the recipient’s approved consolidated plan

For more information, please contact:

Brittany Maynes @606-546-3152, ext 0102 or by email at bsmaynes@kceoc.com



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HOUSED PEOPLE ARE NOT HOMELESS



Rapid Re-Housing (RRH)
ends homelessness for
families and individuals.

RRH HELPS

Rapid Re-Housing (RRH) is a set of strategies developed in coordination with an individual or family, to help them quickly move out of homelessness and into permanent housing. It is offered without preconditions (e.g., employment, income, absence of criminal record, or sobriety) and the resources and services provided are typically tailored to the unique needs of the household.

KCEOC Community Action Partnership will accept individuals and families into the ESG Rapid Re-Housing program who fall under HUD guidelines for homelessness and meet ESG criteria for services; participation in the RRH program is voluntary.

RRH does not have service participation requirements or preconditions to entry, the program is extremely low-barrier for those wishing to participate.

The **only** requirements for the program are:

- Participants must fall under HUD's Category 1 (street/shelter homeless) definition
- **(OR)** Participants must fall under HUD's Category 4 (domestic violence) definition for homelessness to be eligible for assistance.

For more information, please contact:

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Choosing where you live is a right.



Housing discrimination is wrong.

Discrimination because of race, color, religion or national origin is illegal. The only way to stop it is for *you* to report it.

Visit **www.hud.gov/fairhousing** or call the HUD Hotline
1-800-669-9777 (voice) 1-800-927-9275 (TTY)



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Bluegrass Care Navigators

A ONE-DAY CHILDREN'S BEREAVEMENT CAMP

to help children and their caregivers who have experienced the death of loved one in the last two years. Camp provides an opportunity for participants to express their grief and develop effective coping strategies in a fun, safe and supportive environment.

Date:
Saturday, September 24, 2022

Cost:
Free

Participants:
**Children ages 6-17
and their caregivers**

Location:
**Kentucky Mountain Mission,
Beattyville, KY**



Register by Friday, September 9, 2022: bgcarenav.org/camp-hope

Our camp protocols for COVID-19 will be determined according to community spread of cases at that time.

For more information: 855.492.0182

We are grateful for support from the Berea College Appalachian Fund and Partners for Youth.
Special thanks to the Lexington Police Department for their assistance in transporting our campers to the venue.





**EXPERT ADVICE
AHEAD**



Ask the Expert Series

Passport Health Plan by Molina Healthcare

Tuesday, June 21, 2022
12:00 - 1:00 pm Eastern

June 2022 Topic:

Focus on You in 2022 - Wellness for LIFE! Supercharge your Health!

Want to learn more about our free health education classes offered through our LIFE! (Lifestyle Improvements for Everyone) program? Join us to experience one in action!

We will talk about healthy eating, physical activity, personal choices about health, and how environment can impact our choices. Join us for this informative, interactive session that will help you supercharge your health!



Featuring:



Lisa Bellafato, Ed.M.
Program Manager, Health
Education & DEI



Diane Corsey, MS
Manager,
Growth & Community
Engagement

About
Ask the
Expert
Series:

Passport Health Plan by Molina Healthcare is proud to offer a virtual series for our community advocates, called "Ask the Expert." As you work with our Kentucky Medicaid members, we want to make sure you have all the information and resources you need to help improve their health and quality of life! Join us every month as we introduce our expert staff from different departments to speak on specific topics of interest to you.

Ready to Join the Action??

Visit www.KCEOC.org for the full list of employment opportunities, job descriptions & instructions on how to apply.

- * Crisis Center Coordinator
- * Caregiver Assistant
- * Family Child Advocate (Knox Co)
- * Parent Child Educator (Laurel)
- * Parent Child Educator (Jackson Co)
- * Home Based Teacher (Harlan)
- * Weatherization HVAC Technician
- * Motorpool Assistant
- * Infant/Toddler Pre-K Specialist
- * Senior Services Aid
- * Cook (Knox)
- * Teacher's Aid

***** & More Opportunities Listed Online!**

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SECTION 3, VETERANS, MINORITIES, WOMEN, AND PEOPLE OF COLOR ARE ENCOURAGED TO APPLY

KCEOC CHILD DEVELOPMENT

May 2022 Program Activity Report

| ENROLLMENT | | Head Start | Early Head Start |
|---|--|-----------------------------|---|
| Funded Enrollment | | 662 | 315 |
| Year to Date Enrollment | | 698 | 422 |
| Income Eligible Children (current) | | 368 | 157 |
| Categorically Eligible Children (homeless, foster, public assistance, active military)(current) | | 76 | 28 |
| Children within 101-130% eligible | | 67 | 25 |
| Over Income Children (current) | | 42 | 41 |
| Pregnant Mothers currently enrolled | | NA | 3 |
| Average Daily Attendance (All program options) | | 68% | 65% |
| Number of Children Transitioned for month | | 0 | 0 |
| PARENT INVOLVEMENT | | | |
| Number of Parent Volunteers | | 380 | |
| Number of Parent Volunteer Hours | | 9,742 | |
| Projected Annual 2021 Funding Level | | Year to Date % Spent | |
| HS (P.A.22) \$11,491,059 | | 61.66% | |
| EHS (P.A.25) \$6,419,800 | | 59.76% | |
| HS T/TA (P.A. 20) \$127,634 | | 43.17% | |
| EHS T/TA (P.A. 21) \$142,273 | | 28.98% | |
| INKIND | | | |
| Amount Required \$1,364,573.00 | | Year to Date \$1,693,145.96 | |
| HEALTH/MENTAL HEALTH | | Head Start | Early Head Start |
| Percent of Children with up to date Immunizations | | 83% | 70% |
| Number of Children with Up-to-Date Physicals | | 91% | 70% |
| Children with Up-to-date Hearing | | 92% | 89% |
| Children with Up-to-date Vision | | 92% | 89% |
| Children with Completed Dental Exams/screenings | | 72% | NA |
| Mental Health Observations Completed | | 0 | 0 |
| Mental Health Observations Completed YTD | | 29 | 11 |
| NUTRITION | | | |
| Number of Breakfast Served | | 4,167 | |
| Number of Lunch Served | | 4,242 | |
| Number of Snack Served | | 4,018 | |
| TOTAL | | 12,427 | |
| PARENT EDUCATION | | Head Start | Early Head Start |
| Number enrolled in High School or GED | | 1 | 0 |
| Number complete High School or GED | | 0 | 0 |
| Number Enrolled in Secondary Education (Voc. Or College) | | 37 | 17 |
| Number Completed Secondary Education (Voc. Or College) | | 0 | 0 |
| STAFF EDUCATION | | Head Start | Early Head Start |
| Teachers with Masters | | 3 | 2 |
| Teachers enrolled to obtain Masters | | 1 | 0 |
| Teachers with Bachelors | | 29 | 8 |
| Teachers enrolled to obtain Bachelors | | 1 | 1 |
| Teachers with AA | | 8 | 2 |
| Teachers enrolled to obtain AA | | 0 | 0 |
| DISABILITIES | | Head Start | Early Head Start |
| Number of Diagnosed Children (Current) | | 113 | 16 |
| Developmental Delay- 58 Multiple Disabilities - 0 Orthopedic Impairment - 0 | | | All EHS Diagnosed are Developmentally Delayed |
| Hearing Impaired- 1 Vision- 0 Speech- 60 Autism- 9 Other Health Impaired - 1 | | | |

KCEOC CHILD DEVELOPMENT

June 2022 Program Activity Report

| ENROLLMENT | | Head Start | Early Head Start |
|---|--|-----------------------------|---|
| Funded Enrollment | | 662 | 315 |
| Year to Date Enrollment | | 698 | 438 |
| Income Eligible Children (current) | | 55 | 154 |
| Categorically Eligible Children (homeless, foster, public assistance, active military)(current) | | 10 | 30 |
| Children within 101-130% eligible | | 16 | 24 |
| Over Income Children (current) | | 8 | 41 |
| Pregnant Mothers currently enrolled | | NA | 2 |
| Average Daily Attendance (All program options) | | 23% | 52% |
| Number of Children Transitioned for month | | 0 | 0 |
| PARENT INVOLVEMENT | | | |
| Number of Parent Volunteers | | 152 | |
| Number of Parent Volunteer Hours | | 6,193.75 | |
| Projected Annual 2021 Funding Level | | Year to Date % Spent | |
| HS (P.A.22) \$11,491,059 | | 70.58% | |
| EHS (P.A.25) \$6,419,800 | | 65.72% | |
| HS T/TA (P.A. 20) \$127,634 | | 46.64% | |
| EHS T/TA (P.A. 21) \$142,273 | | 33.71% | |
| INKIND | | | |
| Amount Required \$1,364,573.00 | | Year to Date \$1,802,551.15 | |
| HEALTH/MENTAL HEALTH | | Head Start | Early Head Start |
| Percent of Children with up to date Immunizations | | 0% | 74% |
| Number of Children with Up-to-Date Physicals | | 0% | 67% |
| Children with Up-to-date Hearing | | 0% | 90% |
| Children with Up-to-date Vision | | 0% | 90% |
| Children with Completed Dental Exams/screenings | | 0% | NA |
| Mental Health Observations Completed | | 0 | 0 |
| Mental Health Observations Completed YTD | | 0 | 0 |
| NUTRITION | | | |
| Number of Breakfast Served | | 837 | |
| Number of Lunch Served | | 885 | |
| Number of Snack Served | | 802 | |
| TOTAL | | 2,524 | |
| PARENT EDUCATION | | Head Start | Early Head Start |
| Number enrolled in High School or GED | | 0 | 0 |
| Number complete High School or GED | | 0 | 0 |
| Number Enrolled in Secondary Education (Voc. Or College) | | 0 | 15 |
| Number Completed Secondary Education (Voc. Or College) | | 0 | 0 |
| STAFF EDUCATION | | Head Start | Early Head Start |
| Teachers with Masters | | 3 | 2 |
| Teachers enrolled to obtain Masters | | 1 | 0 |
| Teachers with Bachelors | | 29 | 8 |
| Teachers enrolled to obtain Bachelors | | 1 | 1 |
| Teachers with AA | | 8 | 2 |
| Teachers enrolled to obtain AA | | 0 | 0 |
| DISABILITIES | | Head Start | Early Head Start |
| Number of Diagnosed Children (Current) | | 118 | 19 |
| Developmental Delay- 59 Multiple Disabilities - 0 Orthopedic Impairment - 0 Hearing Impaired- 1 Vision- 0 Speech- 67 Autism- 9 Other Health Impaired - 1 | | | All EHS Diagnosed are Developmentally Delayed |

KCEOC Birthdays

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|----------------------|--------|----------------------|---------|
| DINSMORE, CAITLIN | May 1 | ROSS, MELISSA | June 13 |
| HARRIS, CHARLENE F | May 1 | CHESNUT, DELORA LYNN | June 14 |
| BLEVINS, RUTH | May 5 | MILLS, HELEN | June 18 |
| GRAY, BRITTNEY | May 5 | STEWART, KAYLA | June 18 |
| HOSKINS, SHRI | May 6 | BROCK, NOAH | June 19 |
| LOCKARD, LONNIE | May 6 | BROWN, AMBER GRACE | June 20 |
| SERGEANT, KAYLA | May 6 | CASTLE, TIMOTHY ADAM | June 20 |
| FINLEY, TYRA LEANN | May 7 | SWAFFORD, MIA JADE | June 20 |
| DAVIS, ANNE | May 9 | LEE, JACK | June 21 |
| DEATON, MELISSA GAIL | May 9 | MAYNES, BRITTANY | June 21 |
| LAMBDIN, KARLA | May 9 | RIGGLEMAN, LENORA | June 21 |
| WILLIAMS, RACHEL | May 10 | WYATT, SHEILA | June 22 |
| NOE, MEGAN | May 11 | KARR, HUNTER MICHAEL | June 23 |
| STURDIVANT, PAMELA | May 11 | MILLER, REBECCA | June 24 |
| HENSLEY, BONNIE | May 12 | GOINS, NANCY LEE | June 26 |
| JOHNSON, RENAE | May 13 | MESSER, SHARON GAYE | June 26 |
| MCMURRAY, FREEDOM | May 14 | NIDAY, PATTI SUE | June 26 |
| AKINS, REBECCA | May 15 | SCOTT, LISA | June 26 |
| BARGER, BETTY | May 15 | WAGERS, ALEXANDRA | June 26 |
| ROOT, GLEN DALE | May 15 | CARNES, KIMBERLY | June 28 |
| BARNETT, KATERA | May 16 | JOHNSON, MICHELLE | June 28 |
| ROARK, TAMERA | May 20 | PHIPPS, ALEXANDER | June 29 |
| BOURQUE, TRACY | May 21 | | |
| COCHRAN, LESLIE | May 24 | | |
| SMALLWOOD, JACKIE | May 24 | | |
| ROARK, AMY MICHELLE | May 27 | | |
| BAKER, MELISSA S | May 29 | | |
| LEWIS, KATHLEEN | May 29 | | |
| FORD, MEGAN JADE | May 31 | | |
| SIMPSON, LINDSAY | May 31 | | |



KCEOC Anniversaries

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|-------------------------|----------|
| ALLEN, TIFFANY | 6 years |
| DEATON, ROGER | 5 years |
| FRAZIER, LEE | 2 years |
| FUSON, BRANDY LYNN | 3 years |
| GARLAND, TRAVIS LEE | 2 years |
| HUMFLEET, JAMES | 5 years |
| ISOM, AUTUMN PAIGE | 2 years |
| LEWIS, WILLIAM TUCKER | 3 years |
| MILLER, REBECCA | 21 years |
| MINIARD, GEORGIA | 5 years |
| PARTIN, STEVEN | 6 years |
| PHIPPS, ALEXANDER | 2 years |
| SAYLOR, CHASSIDY NICOLE | 4 years |
| SMITH, SCOTTIE | 12 years |
| STREHLE, DUANE MICHAEL | 3 years |
| TRIBBLE, LARISSA RENEE | 3 years |
| ZIRAY, LORYNNE JAN | 2 years |
| CARROLL, TAMMY LYNN | 2 years |
| COCHRAN, BRITTANY | 5 years |
| DANIELS, DARBY JOANN | 1 year |
| DOLE, PAUL | 48 years |
| FRYE, NICHOLAS | 1 year |
| HAMMONS, TERESSA | 6 years |
| HILL, ALICIA | 10 years |
| RIGGLEMAN, LENORA | 6 years |
| SMITH, JENNIFER B | 25 years |
| SWAFFORD, MICHAEL | 18 years |



Thank You
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For Helping Us Celebrate
Community Action Month!



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Upcoming Events

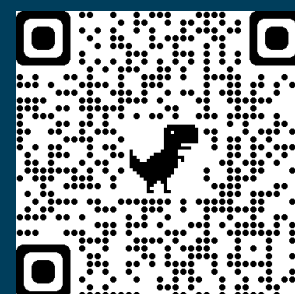
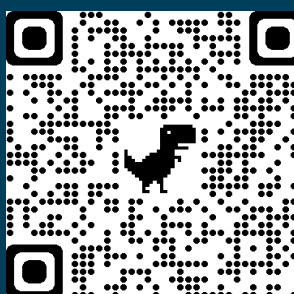
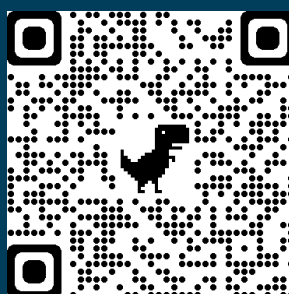
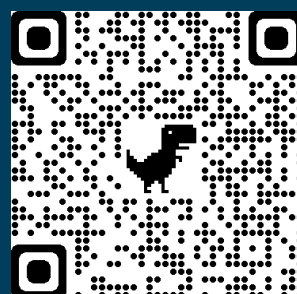
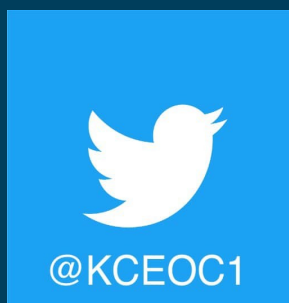
- * KAHP Vaccine Clinic at KCHD May 19, 2022
- * Board of Directors Meeting June 21, 2022
- * KCEOC's Annual Ken-DUCKY Derby June 18, 2022
- * KAHP Vaccine Clinic at Duck Derby June 18, 2022
- * Offices Closed Monday July 4, 2022 for the holiday

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Donations can be made anytime at KCEOC.ORG. All donations are greatly appreciated!

Stay in Touch:



***Hold your Smartphone camera to the QR codes to be directed to the sites.

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