### **Total Community Action**

HELPINGPEOPLE. CHANGINGLIVES. IMPROVING COMMUNITIES.

## TCA Services are designed to assist low-income individuals and families

#### Children, Youth and Families

Family-centered services are provided that promote the healthy development of children (ages 0-11) and families through a comprehensive set of health, developmental and family services including Head Start and Early Head Start.

Employment Services
Job Readiness, Job Counseling, Job Referral and Youth Work Experience activities that are designed to assist the unemployed, under-employed individual or families with multiple barriers to employment.

**Energy Conservation**Energy Conservation Workshop are formal "How To" Clinics on home energy conservation and basic weatherization techniques.

Food Pantry

TCA is a Second Harvest Food Bank partner agency providing a stationary food pantry at the S Jefferson davis location and mobile food bank services in four areas of the city.

**Homeless Prevention & Rapid Rehousing** 

Homeless Prevention and Rapid Rehousing assistance and services are provided to eligible individuals families to prevent homelessness. Assistance includes housing location, assistance with deposits, arrearages, and utilities.

Household Financial Counseling
Families receive education on budgeting, income management skills, savings and how to build productive assets that will lead to better selfsufficiency and family stability.

**Reentry and Violence Intervention** 

Specialized assistance and supports are provided to re-entering citizens and high risk individuals to reduce recidivism and support successful transition to community.

**Supplemental Food Distribution** 

Assistance is provided to low-moderate income individuals and families with supplements food needs & promotes smart shopping, wiser menu preparations and greater nutritional awareness.

Tax Assistance (VITA)

Free income tax preparation assistance provided to individuals and families through Internal Revenue Service Volunteer Income Tax Assistance Program.

**Total Family** 

Total Family provides a "family-centric" comprehensive support service that enhances family stability, build stronger familiar relationships and better self-sufficiency through a "one-stop shop" approach.

**Utility Assistance**LIHEAP provides a direct payment to an eligible client's utility bill to help offset the cost of heating or cooling their home combined with household education on financial management and energy saving measures.

Water Assistance and Fee Waivers through partnership with the Sewerage and Water Board of New Orleans, assistance for payment of water services or waivers of sewerage disposal fees is provided to elderly or disabled persons.

Discount on Basic Cable through partnership with COX Communications, assistance is provided to elderly or disabled persons.

#### **Youth Services**

Youth development and career exploration services are provided year round for youth 13-18 years of age. Youth services included Project FAYCE, Young Executives and summer teen camps.













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