PLAN FOR OUR TIME

INTRO

SELF-SUFFICIENCY STANDARD CALCULATOR

CASE MANAGER RESOURCES ON SSS SITE

LINCOLN HILLS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION RESOURCES

PARTICIPANTS SHARE
AMY CARTER
COMMUNITY OUTREACH AND ENGAGEMENT COORDINATOR

Indiana Institute for Working Families
We believe when families are financially stable, they can achieve their full potential and better contribute to their communities.
Policy plays an important role in building families' economic well-being.
SELF-SUFFICIENCY STANDARD

Website
http://www.indianaselfsufficiencystandard.org/home

Tools
- Self-sufficiency calculator
- Case manager area
  - Budget form
  - Hourly and salary paycheck calculator
  - Benefit screening
  - Career explorer
  - FAFSA
    - Deadlines (scroll down for Indiana specific deadlines)
SERVICES

- Cannelton Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher Program (CS8)
- Covering Kids and Families
- Energy Assistance Program (EAP)
- Emergency Food & Shelter Program
- Head Start Birth-5

- Housing Counseling & Homeownership
- Housing Program
- Individual Development Accounts
- Resource Coordination
- Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP)
- Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher Program
- Senior Farmers' Market Nutrition Program
- Weatherization Program

LHDC COMMUNITY NEEDS ASSESSMENT
LHDC Cont...

Linda Inman
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1-800-467-1435, ext. 440

LHDC - Resource Coordination

- Budgeting
- Housing
- Food assistance
- Healthcare
- Creating support systems
- Crisis stabilization
- Head Start
  - Early Head Start

- EAP - Energy Assistance Program
  - ARP - extra $350
  - Estimated higher heating costs this winter

- IDA - Individual Development Account
  - Can save $500/year
  - State will match 3-1!!
  - Must have earned income

LHDC is hiring for full-time and part-time positions. [Info here.](#)
SHARE

Organization

Location

Services
**Community Resources**

**Project Warm**
- If income eligible (125% FPL)
  - Hats
  - Blankets
  - Coats
  - Other things to stay warm during the winter season
- Accepting NEW items as donations

**Spencer Co. Indiana Habitat for Humanity**
- Do at least 1 house/year and would like to get to 2. NEED VOLUNTEERS!
- 30-60% FPL target
- Lender
  - Families **buy** their homes with 0% interest
- Educators
  - Homeownership education
  - Personal finance education
- Qualifications
  - Need
  - Ability to pay (mortgage, repairs, etc.)
  - Contribute to building home and to neighborhood
  - Current resident of Perry Co.

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Community Resources

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24/7 hotline 1-800-244-4580
Office 812-482-1555

Spencer Co. Health Coalition

Community Garden
- Donated 9000lbs of food

Crisis Connection

- Perry and Spencer Co
- Domestic violence and sexual assault services
- Meet individuals in office, library, park, etc. Do not go in homes.
- Advocacy
  - Court
  - Medical
  - Weekly assistance
- Refer for mental health services
Community Resources

Purdue Extension

- 4-H
- Me, Health, and Wellness
- Nutrition Education (Erin)
  - Must be SNAP eligible
  - Food insecurity and hunger relief
  - Works with local food pantries
- Education (Megan)
  - Food
  - Family
  - Money
  - Health

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Community Resources

Rental Assistance Application

Water Assistance Application

Miscellaneous
- Isaiah 117 House Perry and Spencer
  - Contact: Jordan Foertsch
    - Jordan.foertsch@isaiah117house.com
    - 423-518-3760 Ext. 628
- Stewards of Children training
  - Ferdinand Tri-County YMCA
  - **Nov 10, 4:30-6:30pm ET**
  - RSVP
    - 812-482-1555
    - renee@CrisisConnectioninc.org