



MCAP News May & June 2019

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SPOTLIGHT ON COMMUNITY ACTION AGENCIES

Thank You to All Who Joined us at the 2019 Human Services Conference!

We are excited to shine this newsletter spotlight on all of our wonderful agencies! Please enjoy some of the photos below.

On behalf of the MCAP Board of Directors and MCAP Staff, we thank each of you who attended the 2019 Maryland Community Action Partnership Annual Human Services Conference. Your presence helped to make this event a great success and your enthusiasm and positive spirit helped make our time together both productive and fun in Hunt Valley.

As Community Action Month comes to a close, we'd like to add that we are thrilled to have participated in celebrating Community Action with our network during the conference. We are able to really see why the work we do has such a great impact on our communities when we come together to learn, grow, share stories, and honor those who help us to help others. [Click here](#) to see more photos from the conference.







FEATURED RESOURCE

New CAPLAW Webinars Available On-Demand

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CAPLAW WEBINAR SERIES
 IMPLEMENTATION OF THE **NEW FASB FINANCIAL STATEMENT PRESENTATION STANDARD:**
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[Marijuana in the Workplace: Navigating Potential Potholes](#)

[#MeToo in the Workplace: Understanding, Addressing, and Preventing Sexual Harassment](#)

[To Pay or Not To Pay: That is the Question Regarding your Interns and Volunteers](#)

[Social Media at Work](#)

Click on each webinar to see video or [click here](#) to access the full webinar database.

NEWS & TOOLS



Nominate your volunteers and clients for awards from the National Partnership to be honored during their Annual Convention in August



Jayne Thomas Grassroots Volunteer Recognition Award

Named in honor of Jayne Thomas, a preeminent Community Action leader in Virginia, this award was established in 1988 to recognize and honor volunteers who are devoted to changing people's lives and who have made a significant and outstanding contribution toward accomplishing the promise of Community Action.

Sargent Shriver Achievement Award

Named in honor of Sargent Shriver, the first Office of Economic Opportunity Director. This

award was established in 1995 to recognize and honor the accomplishments of individuals who, with the assistance of a Community Action Agency, have changed their lives by achieving economic stability, self-sufficiency and independence, and then have gone on to help others turn their hopes into reality by improving their communities through advocacy, volunteerism, public service, or some other vehicle.

[Click here](#) for nomination submissions and criteria. The National Partnership will provide hotel accommodations and convention registration for each award recipient.

Grant Opportunity: Supporting Policy Change

The Policy Campaign Grant opportunity from Voices for Healthy Kids aims to fund strategic issue advocacy campaigns focused on helping kids grow up healthy through state, local, and tribal public policy campaigns. Applications must be specific to an individual campaign for public policy change in one state, local or tribal geographic location and address one of the policy levers supported by our initiative. Voices for Healthy Kids is allocating grants up to \$250,000 per award for a period of up to one year. Please note awards will be very competitive and applicants are encouraged to apply for the funds they need and not always the maximum allowed. Applicants working on policy campaigns are able to allocate up to 20% of their budget for lobbying tactics. **Letters of Intent are due by June 7, 2019.**

[Click here](#) for more info and to apply.

Have you filled out the survey yet?

ACSI Survey due by June 4, 2019

The survey provides Community Action Agencies with an opportunity to offer constructive feedback to their CSBG State Offices Lead Agency. Participation from the Community Action Agencies, while voluntary, is critical for OCS and the States to understand how well the States, as part of the CSBG network, are delivering services to local Agencies and to continue to drive improvements in major areas detailed in the State Accountability Measures.

The eligible entities will receive official notification via email from the CFI Group on behalf of OCS with the email address of: noreply@invite.cfigroup.com. Look for Office of Community Services Survey of CSBG Eligible Entities in the subject line to access the survey. Completing the survey should take less than 20 minutes.

UPCOMING EVENTS



Inspire & Motivate Effective Leadership with UPO's
Strengths-Based Leadership Certificate Program



CREDENTIAL FOR
STRENGTHS-BASED FAMILY WORKERS



You Are Invited!

Summer/ Fall 2019 Leadership Workshop Series!

<p>Registration & Contact: Donna Anderson, MSW United Planning Organization Instructional Coordinator- Training Office of Human Resources</p> <p>danderson@upo.org</p> <p>202-238-4634</p>	<p>Workshops: 06/18/2019 Strengths-Based Leadership & Overview 07/16/2019 Personal Skills for Strengths-Based Leaders: Communication & Self-Care 08/8/2019 Culture and the Strengths-based Leader 9/10/2019 Performance Management & the Strengths- based Leader 10/23/2019 Strengths-based Leaders- Impacting Change TBD Final Project Presentations & Certificate Ceremony</p>
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Open enrollment, workshops may be completed in any consecutive order!

Nat'l Community Action Partnership Webinars

An Introduction to Creating a Social Enterprise

June 12 @ 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Transforming Perspectives: The Community Action Poverty Simulation (CAPS)

June 26 @ 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm



Click [here](#) to find out more and register.

2019 CAPLAW National Training Conference

The Westin Charlotte
Charlotte, NC | June 19 - 21



2019

COMMUNITY ACTION PARTNERSHIP ANNUAL CONVENTION COMMUNITY ACTION: A VOICE FOR CHANGE

CHICAGO, IL • AUGUST 28-30, 2019

JOB OPENINGS



Position	Agency
Multiple Positions	Baltimore City Mayor's Office of Human Services
Multiple Positions	United Planning Organization (UPO)
Multiple Positions	Shore Up! Inc.
Multiple Positions	Allegany County HRDC
Multiple Positions	National Community Action Partnership
Multiple Positions	Southern Maryland Tri-County Community Action Committee, Inc
Multiple Positions	Community Action Council of Howard County
Director of Development	Human Services Program of Carroll County

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