MCAP NEWSLETTER - April 2023

<u>MCAP News Alert</u>: Online registrations for the 2023 Annual Human Services Conference ends Wednesday, April 26th. You will still be able to register onsite at an increased rate.

Maryland Community Action Partnership Self-Sufficiency Standard & Toolkit The latest tools and resourceshere!

Self-Sufficiency Calculator





April Puts a Spring Into Things!

"Reimagination is the birthplace for vision and change."

- Susan C Young

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ANNUAL CONFERENCE HIGHLIGHTS

REGISTER NOW

Last chance to register! Listen to messages from conference workshop presenters by clicking the video link below!



Featuring Opening Session



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KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Rob Watson Jr., - EdRedesign Lab

Join us to kick off the conference with a keynote address from Rob Watson Jr., the Director for Partnerships and Community Impact at the EdRedesign Lab and Secondary Lecturer on Education at the Harvard Graduate School of Education.

At EdRedesign, Rob leads the By All Means Communities of Practice initiative, supporting communities across the United States develop cradle-to-career systems of opportunity that promote pathways to educational attainment and upward mobility for children, youth and families. His work has focused on themes of civic engagement, community development, poverty elimination and educational equity in the US, Latin America and Africa.

Happenings @ The Conference



Hot Topics & Promising Practices

Wednesday, May 3rd at 10am

Join us as we highlight promising practices and discuss hot topics, including programs to address youth homelessness, presented by Garrett and Allegany County Community Action Agencies. Plus see innovative housing practices presented by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. These sessions are open to all conference attendees!



AGENCIES ARE READY! Sign Up to Represent Yours and Win Cool Prizes too!

> ENTER TO COMPETE

CAP TOOLS

The Public Health Emergency is Ending: Now What? | CAPLAW

President Biden's administration announced that the federal public health emergency and national emergency related to COVID-19 will expire on May 11th.

Take this time to talk with your teams to understand the effects on your agency programs. Operations, governance, and fiscal flexibilities that CAAs may have had during the COVID-19 pandemic may shift.



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REGIONAL TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

Authentic Communication Part II: Emotionally Intelligent & Psychologically Safe Communication Webinar- April 27th



Learn about the five communication practices that leverage our emotional and social skills so that we can get the most out of our interactions. Plus, we will dive into the five practices that build safety for interpersonal risktaking and allow team members to feel accepted and respected.

> SIGN UP for the 4/27 Workshop

COMMUNITY ACTION JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Community Action Inspires Change

Are You A Community Action Professional or desire to be a part of bringing hope to our communities? Current openings are found on MCAP's job board now. There is great reward in service to others and SO much opportunity! <u>Connect now</u> with these dedicated teams. Just



