#### THIS CALL IS BEING RECORDED

## DHS Provider Briefings

Thursday 9/24/20

Provider Briefings are held weekly, on Thursdays.



## Agenda

- Announcements/updates
- Health Metrics
- Legislative updates
- United Way 211 Helpline Julie DeSeyn
- Program updates
  - Allegheny County CARES Rent Relief Program (CRRP)
  - Foster Care Redesign



## Help Needed in Elections Division Now

 Allegheny County is currently looking for temporary election processing assistants (primarily data processing and clerical work) at \$20/hour for various shifts

• If interested, call 412-350-6109

# HAVE YOU FILLED OUT YOUR CENSUS YET?

Please help your community get the resources it needs, by filling out your census today!



There are three ways to fill out the census even while practicing physical distancing:



**VISIT 2020CENSUS.GOV** 



SPEAK TO A REPRESENTATIVE BY CALLING 1-844-330-2020



FILL OUT A PAPER COPY SENT TO YOUR HOME

#### Narcan Giveaway & Resource Fair



During the challenges of the coronavirus pandemic, the Allegheny County Health Department is collaborating with local organizations throughout the county to provide tools so that communities are safely prepared to respond to the overdose epidemic.

#### Resources include:

- Narcan to reverse an opioid overdose
- Substance Use Resources
- Harm Reduction Materials/Information
- Face Masks & Hand Sanitizer



\*At some events, HIV/Hep C testing will be offered onsite in partnership with Central Outreach Wellness Center and Allies for Health + Wellbeing\*

#### 9/9/2020 - Braddock\*

For Good Pgh. 910 Braddock Ave. 5-7 PM

#### 9/11/2020 - Homewood\*

Ukombozi, Dignity Act of PA & Coach Blue Homewood & Frankstown Ave. 4-7 PM

#### 9/15/2020 - East Liberty\*

Message Carriers & Three Rivers Youth 6117 Broad St. 5-8 PM

#### 9/16/2020 - McKeesport\*

UPMC-WBH @ Mon Yough 6th & Walnut St. - Kelly Park 3-6 PM

#### 9/17/2020 - Sharpsburg\*

Sharpsburg Neighborhood Organization 8th & Clay St. - Roots of Faith 3-7 PM

#### 9/18/2020 - McKees Rocks\*

Focus on Renewal 500 Chartiers Ave. 3-6 PM

#### 9/21/2020 - South Side/West End\*

Onala Recovery Center 1625 W. Carson St. 4-6 PM

#### 9/24/2020 - Hill District\*

Central Outreach Resource Center 1860 Centre Ave. 3-6 PM

#### 9/25/2020 - Brookline

Tree of Life Open Bible Church 1036 Brookline Blvd. 11 AM - 1 PM

#### 9/29/2020 - Beechview\*

Casa San Jose 2116 Broadway Ave. 3-6 PM

#### 9/30/2020 - North Side\*

Central Outreach Wellness Center 127 Anderson St. 5-7 PM

#### 10/7/2020 - Mt. Oliver\*

Hilltop Family Care Connection 1630 Arlington Ave. 12-3 PM

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CDC recommendations for face masks, physical distancing, and cleaning/disinfecting hands and surfaces will be followed

## COVID-19 Test Site in McKeesport



- Address: 455 Industry Road, McKeesport
- Free COVID-19 Testing for anyone over 3 years old. Made possible by CARES Act funding.
- Testing by Appointment Only. This is a drivethru site with self-administered tests.
- If you are unable to drive, contact the COVID-19 Hotline at 1-888-856-2774 for additional options & resources.
- Learn more on the Allegheny County News:
   https://www.alleghenycounty.us/news/index.aspx

## COVID-19 Mobile Testing Schedule

#### Squirrel Hill Health Center register at http://alleghenycovidtesting.com

#### 9AM to 12PM

- Tuesday, Sept. 15
   Prospect Park/Wallace Park
- Wednesday, Sept. 16
   Allegheny County Children Youth & Families
   10700 Frankstown Road
   Penn Hills, PA 15235 (Penn Hills)
- Thursday, Sept. 17
   Parking lot near PNC Bank
   119 Butler Street
   Pittsburgh PA 15209 (Millvale)
- Friday, Sept. 18 9AM to 12PM Jewish Association on Aging 100 JHF Drive, Lower Level Pittsburgh, PA 15217 (Squirrel Hill)



Schedule announced

Mondays on

Allegheny County Health Dept
Facebook & Twitter

#### Allegheny Health Network

walk-ins welcome; physicians' orders are not required

#### 10:30AM to 4PM

- Wednesday, Sept. 23
   Hazelwood Family Health Center
   4915 Second Ave. (Hazelwood)
- Thursday, Sept. 24
   Alma Illery Medical Center
   7227 Hamilton Ave. (Homewood)
- Monday, Sept. 28
   Shop 'n Save plaza
   1850 Centre Ave. (Hill District)
- Tuesday, Sept. 29
   Clairton City Hall Building
   551 Ravensburg Blvd. (Clairton)
- Friday, October 2
   Duquesne Elementary School
   300 Kennedy Ave. (Duquesne)

#### Health Metrics

- Compares this week (September 11th -September 17<sup>th</sup>) to previous week (September 3<sup>rd</sup> -September 10<sup>th</sup>). Data is updated every Friday.
- Both newly reported cases increased and the incidence rate per 100,000 residents increased by 16% over the last week. All other metrics are decreasing or remain the same as last week.



#### COVID-19 Early Warning Monitoring System Dashboard



lewly rep	orted confirmed cases				
$\odot$	Increased from 396 confirmed cases the previous seven days to 458 cases in the most recent seven days.	396 Previous 7 days	458 Most recent 7 days	396	458
ncidence	rate per 100,000 residents				
lacktriangledown	Increased from a rate of 32.5 per 100.000 residents in the previous seven days to 37.6 per 100.000 residents in the most recent seven days.	32.5 Previous 7 days	37.6 Most recent 7 days	32.5	37.6
CR testin	g positivity rate				
ledo	No change in the PCR testing positivity rate over the most recent seven days.	3.9% Previous 7 days	3.9% Most recent 7 days	3.9%	3.9%
verage d	aily COVID-19 specific hospitalizations				
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ercent of	hospital emergency department visits due	e to COVID-like-ill	ness (CLI)		
$\overline{\mathbf{Q}}$	Decreased from 0.4 percent of hospital emergency department visits in the previous seven days due to COVID-like-illness (CLI) in the previous seven days to	0.4%	0.3%	0.4%	0.3%

#### **Active Solicitations**

- RFP for Inpatient Program for Victims of Childhood Sex Trafficking
  - Renamed in response to community feedback (formerly called "RFP for Inpatient Program for Victims of Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children")
  - Proposals Due September 30 October 14
  - RFP was amended on 9/14! Budget cap removed and deadline extended
  - See end of Q&A document for full details on all amendments
- Available on <a href="DHS Solicitations Page">DHS Solicitations Page</a>, along with form to sign up to receive email notifications when we post new solicitations

### Policy & Legislative Update – Federal & State

- Congress is close to passing a Continuing Resolution (CR) to fund the government thru mid-December.
  - Includes funding to continue the Pandemic EBT (P-EBT) food program.
  - Excludes new stimulus funding for local and state governments.
  - Supreme Court vacancy battle overshadowing the chance of an independent stimulus bill.

Pennsylvania launched new virus exposure notification phone app,
 COVID Alert PA. Link to Governor's Office press release.

Last Updated: 9/24/20

### Policy & Legislative Update – State & Local

- Full PA Senate will consider COVID-19 funding-related bills week of October 5th, including bill creating the Nonprofit Economic Emergency Delivery Systems Grants Program with a \$200m appropriation.
- The County Health Department has lifted the County-specific order. The local order was more restrictive on the size of outdoor gatherings than the statewide limit.
  - <u>State orders</u> on mask-wearing, mandatory telework, worker safety, building safety and hospital safety all remain in place.
  - Additionally, business occupancy restrictions applicable to personal care service, indoor recreation and health and wellness facilities, entertainment venues, and bars and restaurants are also in effect.
- Pittsburgh City Council passed a bill outlawing City purchase and use of facial recognition technology for Pittsburgh Police

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## CARES Coronavirus Relief Fund

- Thank You for the extra effort to execute CRF contracts timely
- Reminder to submit all invoices by October 13 for the months of July, August, and September
- Continue to bill within the first 10 business days of November and December
- Submit final invoices by January 5, 2021
- ► CRF expenditures must be incurred by 12/30/20

# Reminder: Use Web Form to Request Cleaning Services!

Please make sure to use the online form to request cleaning services.

Do NOT contact our cleaning contractor, ServiceMaster, directly to arrange cleaning, even if they have already performed cleaning at your location.

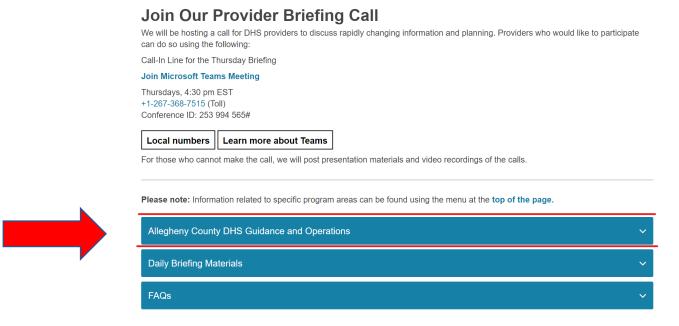
DHS will not be able to pay for any cleaning services that are not requested via the web form and approved by DHS ahead of time.



## Direct Link to Cleaning Services Request Form:

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=Ej0n4MvksU6fclu6FvuWjUkxQI749jdHphHN Kdg0q-tURE9HNk9XQk5TWDQ4WU5GUE01MVBOMUpaRS4u

This form is permanently located on the DHS COVID-19 site in the "Operations" subsection, under "Allegheny County DHS Guidance and Operations"



# REMINDER! — INTERNET ACCESS REQUESTS!

- Request in-home, portable internet access for your clients in need.
- •Hotspots are available now! Distributions are held most Fridays.
- Laptops can still be requested but remain out of stock. Our next shipment is expected mid-October.
- Request form link below:

**DHS Device Request Form** 





#### Pennsylvania | Southwest

A 24-hour service that connects individuals and families to resources that can assist with human service needs.

**CALL - TEXT - CHAT - SEARCH** 



## 2-1-1: The Number to Know

- Like 9-1-1, 2-1-1 is an easy-to-remember contact number that connects people to live professional assistance 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.
- Calls are free, anonymous and confidential.
- Locally in Southwest, people can contact 2-1-1 by:
  - Text zip code to 898-211
  - Dial 2-1-1 from any phone
  - Chat/Search on the local 2-1-1 website (pa211sw.org)



## Who contacts 2-1-1?

- Older adults
- Single and working parents
- Veterans
- People in a crisis
- Agencies on behalf of their clients
- People with disabilities
- People who have had a run of bad luck
- People who have never needed help before
- People you might know
- People who are a lot like you
   United





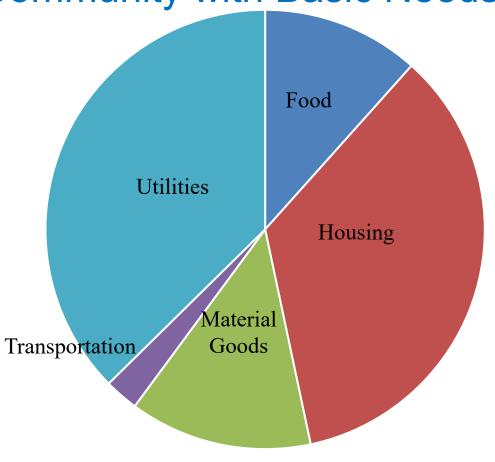
# PA 2-1-1 Southwest...Strong Service Delivery

- Trained Resource Navigators respond via phone, text, chat
  - Align with national Alliance of Information and Referral Systems (AIRS)
- Multi-lingual Resource Navigators & Access to language line (over 250 languages)
- Extensive Quality Assurance Process
  - Call calibration
  - System for escalation
- Follow up Procedure
  - 10% of Contacts (exceptions domestic violence, trauma)
  - 100% for targeted populations



Assisting the Community with Basic Needs

- Accounting for people with multiple needs, 2-1-1 received over 56,000 requests for assistance with basic needs in 2018.... These numbers have increased dramatically during COVID
- Our Regional Emergency Basic Needs Network can provide more indepth assistance as needed





## 2-1-1 ... Expanding to Do More

Although this 2-1-1 serves over 110,000 contacts annually, it's a small fraction of those in need





### FOOD DISTRIBUTIONS

## FARMERS TO FAMILIES Food Distribution

Fresh produce & dairy boxes for anyone in need!

Saturday, September 26 9 - 11am

Drive up, walk up, or ride the bus!





#### **Edgewood Towne Centre**

1763 South Braddock Avenue Swissvale, PA 15218



Edgewood VFD Edgewood Police Swissvale Police Swissvale Fire



PARAGÓN real. fresh. food.

#### September 26

## Wilkinsburg

WHAT: Drive-Up Food Distribution WHEN: Saturday, September 26 (11 a.m. – 1 p.m.) WHERE: Enter at 333 Lincoln Highway (Intersection of N Trenton and Penn Ave), Pittsburgh, PA 15221

#### September 28

## Duquesne

WHAT: Drive-Up Food Distribution WHEN: Monday, September 28 (12 p.m. - 2 p.m.) WHERE: Greater Pittsburgh Community Food Bank; 1 N Linden Street, Duquesne, PA 15110

https://www.pittsburghfoodbank.org/get-help/drive-up/

### DIAPER DISTRIBUTION

Families and caregivers of young children will receive:

- 2 cases (eight packages) of diapers per car
- 2 packages of wipes per car
- Parents or caregivers will have the option of choosing one or two different sizes of diapers (Sizes 1-6 available)
- \*2 families CANNOT be represented in one car
- \*For everyone's safety, we cannot accommodate walk-ups at this event.

------ September 25, 11:00am - 1:00pm ------

# DRIVE-UP DIAPER DISTRIBUTION

Located in Gold Lot 1A on the Northshore

**HOSTED BY:** 







# FOOD DISTRIBUTION AND VOTER REGISTRATION

Community Empowerment Association (CEA) Feed the People, Black Vote Matters, and various community partners are collaborating on this effort



## FOOD DISTRIBUTION AND VOTER REGISTRATION

Tuesday, September 29
1 PM – 7 PM
Heinz Field

412 Food Rescue and When We All Vote are collaborating on a drive-thru food distribution and voter registration event

All are welcome to receive a box of fresh produce, milk, cheese, and meat items and make sure you're registered to vote!



## Allegheny County CARES Rent Relief Program (CRRP)

## https://covidrentrelief.alleghenycounty.us/

Allegheny County is partnering with the Pennsylvania Housing Finance Agency (PHFA) to jointly fund the CARES Rent Relief Program. CARES helps people experiencing job loss or loss of income as a result of the COVID-19

- Allegheny Co can access up to approx. \$22 million from the State
- County decided to cover rents above State level plus cover Utility Arrears (\$14 million)

## Eligibility

- Renter's income may not exceed the <u>Area Median Income for Allegheny County</u> (and adjusted for the number of people in the household).
- Renter must document at least a 30% reduction in income since March 1, 2020, due to COVID-19; OR
- Renter must have become unemployed, as verified by the PA Department of Labor and Industry, after March 1, 2020 as a result of COVID-19

#### What assistance is provided?

- Up to \$750/month per household in state-funded rental assistance;
- Plus up to an additional \$750/month per household in Allegheny County-funded rental assistance
- Up to \$200/month per household in County funding to cover utility arrears
- Maximum 6 months

## **Applications to Date**

- Total # of applications received
  - 5,536 tenants (unduplicated)
  - 2,791 landlords
- Most applications were sent in without any supporting documentation
  - Reaching out to these applicants to help them collect the needed docs
    - Wrong phone numbers/No voice mail/No answers
    - Don't live in Allegheny County
    - No longer need support
- Most applications did not have accompanying Landlord application
  - Reaching out to landlords to get the needed documentation
    - Refuse to participate or sign anything
    - Refuse to send their W9 (needed for payment)

## Additional Challenges

- Very fast start-up with unclear (and changing) guidelines
  - Had to build support infrastructure while running program
- Small window for applying (July 6 Sept 30)
- Requires extensive documentation in addition to online application
- Requires both a Tenant and Landlord application
- Arrears must be caused by COVID.
  - E.g. People on fixed income or those who were unemployed or behind on rent prior to the start of pandemic (March 2020) are not eligible

## Progress to Date (continued)

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Total # of applications paid as of this morning
109 CRRP program
+
81 new county-only addendum program (started September 14)
TOTAL = 190
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- We have added a county-funded process for applicants that meet the CRRP eligibility standards but couldn't meet all of the documentation standards.
  - ✓ Accepts proof of Pandemic Unemployment
  - ✓ Does not require the Landlord full application
  - ✓ More flexible documentation standards
- The State recently lowered the documentation requirements for CRRP and we are hopeful that they may increase the time to apply into October.

### **Other Pots of Rental Assistance**

Call the Allegheny Link (1-866-730-2368) to be screened and referred for Eviction Prevention assistance

Call 211 for referrals to the URA's Housing Opportunity Fund (city residents only)

## CONGREGATE SETTING GUIDANCE

DHSTRAUMARESOURCELIBRARY.ALLEGHENYCOUNTY.US/WP-CONTENT/UPLOADS/2020/04/DHS-FULL-GUIDANCE.PDF

Public Contact	Allow clients to stay inside as much as possible		
Meals	Avoid congregate meals when possible, space out at least 6 feet when not possible		
Distancing	Continue physical distancing		
Masks	Ensure staff and as many clients as possible are wearing masks		
Symptom Checks	Conduct temperature and symptom checks for staff and clients – staff should stay home if they feel ill in any way		
Cleaning	Maintain cleaning schedule		

## HOMELESSNESS PROVIDER NETWORK CALLS

Every other Tuesday at 9:30 AM

Next call is September 29th.

All homelessness service providers invited and encouraged to participate

Call in information:

Phone number: 1-267-368-7515

Conference ID #: 883 836 652

Ask a Navigator! Office Hours

Every Tuesday from 10:30-11:00AM

1-267-368-7515

Conference ID #: 947 434 365

## OUT OF THE DARKNESS PITTSBURGH EXPERIENCE





**Date:** 10/04/2020

**Location:** Online – Details TBA

Program Begins: 11:00am

Program Ends: 12:00pm

Contact: Leila Bouabdellaoui at westernpa@afsp.org

https://afsp.org/pittsburgh

9/24/2020

## NAMI Walks: October 10th, 2020



virtual walk benefitting

NAMI KEYSTONE PA

Visit: <a href="https://www.namikeystonepa.org/nami-events/namiwalks/">https://www.namikeystonepa.org/nami-events/namiwalks/</a>

## Remember to V-A-R

- Social connection is vital for mental wellness.
- If you know someone who is struggling, consider using the V-A-R conversation guide
- Listen in a way that let's the person know they're being heard, and that they are not alone.



https://www.activeminds.org/about-mental-health/be-there/coronavirus/at-work-resources/

# 1. Validate their feelings



Validation sounds like...

"That makes sense."

"That sounds difficult."

"I'm sorry you are struggling right now."

# 2. Appreciate their courage

Thank you so much for talking to me. That took a lot of courage.

Speaking up or sharing can be hard. Show you're there to support them.

Affirmation sounds like...

"Thank you for sharing."

"You are not alone."

"I'm here for you."

## 3. Refer them to skills and support

I think it might be helpful to talk to someone. I can stay with you while we call/text a hotline.

#### Support them by saying things like...

"Could we schedule a video chat and walk so we can see each other while we get some fresh air?"

#### Share tips by saying things like...

"I've been using this meditation app while stuck at home. Does that sound like something that might be helpful for you right now?"

#### Refer to resources when needed...

"I think it might be helpful to talk to someone. I can stay with you and help you connect with someone."

Resolve: 1-888-796-8226

PSAN Warmline: 1-866-WARM (9276)

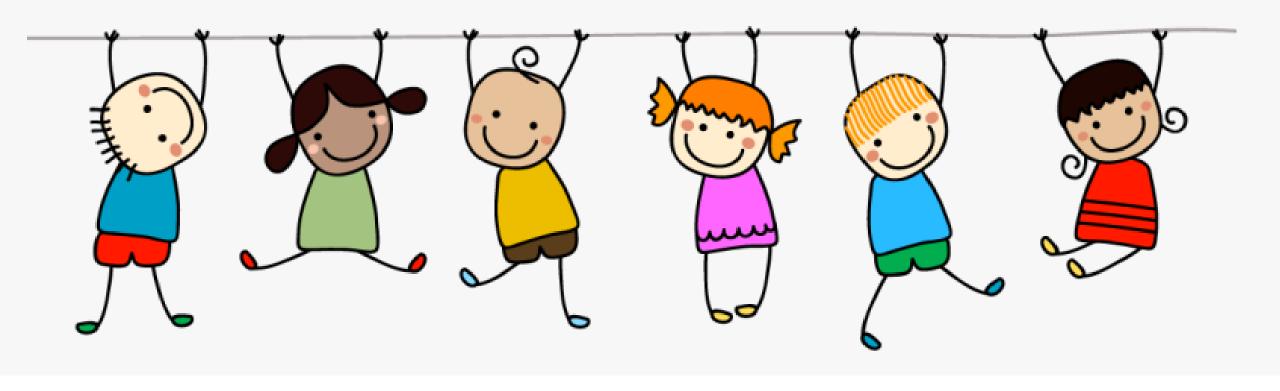
NAMI Keystone PA Helpline: 1-888-264-7972

PA Support and Referral Helpline: 1-855-284-2494

Text PA to 741741

For D&A services or support contact PA Get Help Now: 1-800-662-4357

One smile, can start a friendship. One word, can end a fight. One look, can save a relationship. One person can change



# Foster Care Redesign

The Future of Foster Care in Allegheny County

# Ready for change

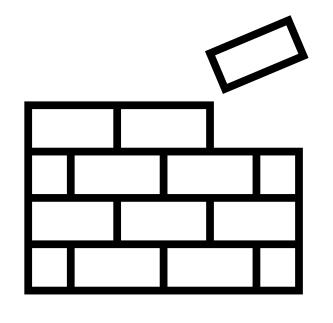
CYF is **building on the success** of its existing services and working with provider partners to **implement** new strategies that will improve the safety, permanency, and well-being of children in Allegheny County.

#### Why focus on foster care?

- Need more homes
- High turnover in non-kin homes



# Laid the groundwork



DHS/CYF and the 20+ foster care provider agencies in Allegheny County have made big strides in improving outcomes for children in the foster care system over the years, laying a strong foundation for the exciting changes to come.

- ~\$12 million annually supports foster care placements
- Increased number of children who exit to permanency
- Enhanced prevention (to reduce out-of-home placement)
- Increased number of children placed with kin while in out-of-home placement

#### The vision...

- Targeted recruitment
  - Diverse array of available homes
  - Enable children to stay in their neighborhood
  - Allow siblings to stay together
- Loving homes with foster care families who practice cultural humility and cultivate relationships with birth families
- A network of peer support for foster care families, that includes foster care parents who live nearby and can provide advice, resources and respite care when needed
- Aftercare for children





#### The vision...

- Providers and foster homes are fairly reimbursed and have resources they need to ensure a successful placement and aftercare services
- Within each region, some of the homes are therapeutic foster care homes and every foster care home is trained in trauma-informed care
- Stronger partnerships between CYF and provider agencies

...to ultimately improve outcomes for children in our care.



# How is this different?

- Robust and targeted foster parent recruitment and retention efforts to ensure an adequate number of placement options at any given time to ensure first placement is the best placement
  - Geographically and demographically focused, to improve education and placement stability
- Enhanced support and training for foster care families (peer support, trauma informed training for all homes, etc.)
- Aftercare supports to sustain reunification and permanency
- Improved communication and collaboration between CYF and providers (i.e. data sharing, clear rate setting process, accountability)

# What we're doing

#### Focusing on non-kinship family foster care

- Analyzed data and current system to understand biggest challenges
- Released the <u>Foster Care Concept Paper</u> in July with our vision and ideas
- Received 20+ comments on the Concept Paper
- Reviewing and incorporating feedback into an RFP—where we "re-procure" provider agencies
  - Winter 2020 release

## Foster Care Concept Paper Feedback

- Received 22 Comments
- Some themes that arose in comments (not an exhaustive list of feedback received):
  - Accountability measures should be tied to incentives
  - Need to recognize some things are out of providers' control; CYF and other players (e.g. Courts) should make relevant changes that support providers' work
  - More access to County data and less duplicative data entry for providers
  - Concerns about CYF lack of communication and support of providers and foster parents
  - Need to reassess the language used about the expectation for foster & birth family communication within 24-hour timeframe
  - Concerns about the "one size fits all" model for family support (Mockingbird Model) suggestions to explore other models and current provider practice
  - Concerns about an expedited certification process
- We encourage people to read the full list of comments here: Foster Care Public Comments

## **Key Contacts**

- Provider questions for Allegheny County Health Department
  - DHS-COVID19Planning@alleghenycounty.us
    - Use the subject field to indicate if your qq is about CYF, Aging, BH, CYF, ID, Community Services, or DHS operations (e.g., contracting, payment)
  - https://www.alleghenycounty.us/healthdepartment/index.aspx
- Key DHS staff
  - Payment inquiries: Dan Evancho <u>Dan.Evancho@alleghenycounty.us</u>
  - Contract inquiries: Kathy Heinz <u>Kathy.Heinz@alleghenycounty.us</u>

Laura Brigido <u>Laura.Brigido@alleghenycounty.us</u>

- United Way 2-1-1
  - For basic needs assistance or general COVID-19 inquiries call the 24/7 COVID-19 Hotline at 1-888-856-2774. Language services are available.

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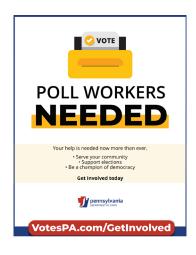
CMU & Voter Protection Corps: <u>Voting Risk Assessment</u> for Allegheny: "Recruit Immediately"

#### **Election Poll Workers Needed**

- Allegheny County continues to recruit poll workers for the November 3rd election. Poll
  workers will be provided with "infection prevention kits" for election day that includes a face
  shield, mask, gloves, disinfectant wipes, and hand sanitizer.
- Serve as a Judge, Inspector or Clerk of Election. Election Officers/poll workers earn from \$115
  to \$140 for the day. New Election Officers receive paid training. County website <u>link</u> for more
  information.
- Application for Allegheny County Election Poll Worker
- <u>Student Poll Worker Program</u> (not yet updated for November election)
- <u>Become a Poll Worker</u> video

#### **Voter resources**

- Allegheny County Elections Division E-newsletter: Sign-up to receive information on preparations for the November general election
- Overview of vote by mail process in Allegheny County
- Register to vote
- Check voter registration status
- <u>Absentee Ballot Application</u> (<u>Spanish</u>): October 27th is the last day to apply for an absentee ballot for the November 3, 2020 election. The application must be received in the Elections office by that date.



## Court update

- President Judge Clark issued a <u>court order</u> clarifying implementation of the CDC order to temporarily halt certain evictions nationwide (Sept 4 – Dec 31).
- The court order includes applicable procedures for instances when the CDC order does not apply, and procedures for when it does.
- In general, the CDC order requires a tenant to submit a CDC Declaration form:
  - Proof from residents that they are using best efforts to obtain government assistance, pay rent to best of ability, and have endured substantial financial loss.
  - CDC Declaration Form can be found here: <a href="https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/covid-eviction-declaration.html">https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/covid-eviction-declaration.html</a>.
- The <u>CDC order</u> contains detailed information about who is considered a "covered person" under the order.