

North Star that Guides: Families Living in Poverty

Vision: Connect families to coordinated services and resource that provide supports to stabilize and foster family wellness and build financial stability.

Coalition efforts enhance family well-being by improving outcomes in:

1. School Readiness
2. Family Physical & Mental Wellness
3. Stable & Safe Housing
4. Enhanced Parent & Child Relationships
5. Education and Workforce Skills for Self-Sufficiency
6. Post-Secondary Certifications & Degree Rates
7. Financial Literacy & Budgeting
8. Employment & Wage Growth

Overall 2Gen System Intake:

The Coalition works in a coordinated manner that provides the right match of services and resources that meet individual family needs through the following steps:

1. Complete Uniform Central Intake Packet and Uniform Release at intake.
2. Identify family barriers.
3. Provide Information and Community Resources to Empower Families
4. Develop Family Service Plan and Plans of Action
5. Provide information on different housing options and other services that promote family and job stability.

Two Generation Service Coordination to Enhance Family Success

Families can be referred to numerous services at various points in their homeless situation to assure that families can access all services and resources for which they are eligible.

Early Childhood Education & Development

- **Supports/ Outcomes:** School Readiness
- **Potential Partners:**
- **Confirmed Partners:** Lucas County Family Council: Early Head Start

Parenting Skills Development

- **Support/ Outcomes:** Enhanced Parent & Child Relationships, Nurturing Fathers, Parenting Skills,
- **Potential Partners:** Toldeo Pathways
- **Confirmed Partners:** : Lucas County Family Council: Early Head Start, NetWORK Division of Zepf Center

Housing Services

- **Supports:** Supportive Housing, Independent Housing, Rapid Re-Housing, and Shelters
- **Potential Partners:** Beach House/FOCUS, Bethany House,
- **Confirmed Partners:** Lucas Metropolitan Housing Authority, Toledo Lucas County Homelessness Board

Workforce Development Services

- **Supports/ Outcomes: Job Placement:** Vocational Assessment, Career Pathways, Career Guidance, Job Readiness, Job Search Assistance, Job Training, Job Retention
- **Potential Partners:** Toldeo Pathways , Career Connections / Harbor
- **Confirmed Partners:** : Lucas County Planning Development Agency, NetWORK

Adult Education & Training Services

- **Supports/ Outcomes:** Education and Workforce Skills for Self-Sufficiency, GED Classes, Work Keys, College Classes, Read for Literacy, Short-term Training, Apprenticeships
- **Potential Partners:** Penta Career Center , Owens Community College (GED Program)
- **Confirmed Partners:**

Basic Needs

- **Supports:** Food, Cleaning Supplies, Grooming/Hygiene, Clothing, Work Clothes, Identification & Records
- **Potential Partners:** Lucas County Job and Family Services
- **Confirmed Partners:**

Physical Health

- **Supports:** Diabetic Screening, Food Nutrition, Primary Care Access, Speciality Services, Health Management
- **Potential Partners:** Neighborhood Health,
- **Confirmed Partners:**

Mental Health/Substance Abuse Treatment Service

- **Supports/ Outcomes:** Therapy, Substance Abuse Counseling, Stress Management, Trauma-Informed Treatment, Pharmacology, Case Management, School coordination, AA, NA Group
- **Confirmed Partners:** : Zepf Center

Work, Community & Family Supports

- **Supports:** Medicaid, Food Stamps TANF Cash Assistance, Daycare, Housing Vouchers, Energy Assistance, SSI/SSDI, Financial Coaching
- **Potential Partners:** Lucas County Job and Family Services, LISC
- **Confirmed Partners:** Lucas County Family Council Bridges out of Poverty: Getting Ahead Training,

Transportation Supports

- **Supports:** Bus & TARPs, Car, Carpooling, Taxi
- **Potential Partners:** Lucas County Job and Family Service, TARTA, TARPS,
- **Confirmed Partners:**