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Opportunities for Service Providers:

National Community Action Partnership – Regional Whole Family Approach Community of Practice. Placing Catholic Charities Clients in High-wage Jobs through Union Construction Apprenticeships webinar. The National Community Action Partnership is seeking applications for a new Regional Whole Family Approach Community of Practice. Community-based human service organizations and tribal governments in the following 8 states are invited to apply: *Alaska, Kentucky, Minnesota, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Washington, and Wisconsin*. Whole Family Approaches – also known as 2Gen Approaches - build family well-being by intentionally and simultaneously working with children and the adults in their lives together. As children, parents, and families grow and change across their lifespan, Whole Family Approaches align opportunities to help families pursue their goals and thrive, optimizing each person’s potential along the way.

The application deadline to join the Community of Practice is *August 15th, 2020*. View the [recording](#) and [slides](#) from the previous Informational Webinar. Learn more about the Regional Whole Family Approach Community of Practice [here](#).

Senior Corps RSVP – Notice of Funding Opportunity. For decades, Senior Corps RSVP has engaged older Americans in volunteer service that meets national and community needs and delivers lasting, meaningful results. With this NOFO, CNCS intends to fund successful applicants that increase the impact of volunteers age 55 and older who provide volunteer service in response to local community needs. Senior Corps RSVP volunteers help organizations expand services, build capacity, develop partnerships, leverage resources, create sustainable projects, and recruit and manage other volunteers. Grant funding partially covers expenses to operate a Senior Corps RSVP project such as staffing, supplies, volunteer stations, and training of staff and members. Application deadline is *September 1, 2020 at 5:00pm EST*. Successful applicants will be notified in mid-January, 2021. Learn more about the funding opportunity [here](#).

Upcoming Webinars for Service Providers:

CCUSA – Placing Catholic Charities Clients in High-wage Jobs through Union Construction Apprenticeships webinar. Join CCUSA's Social Enterprise Community of Practice to find out how to connect your clients with a pathway to a stable construction career through this informative webinar detailing the growing prevalence of multi-craft core curriculum (MC3) pre-apprenticeships in the building trades. Understand the qualifications that make a client a good candidate for success in a construction union apprenticeship. Learn how to locate, approach, and partner with union apprenticeship training programs in your community and with local parishes to provide referrals. Join CCUSA for the webinar *today, July 14th, 2020 at 1:30pm EST*. Register [here](#).

CCUSA – Integral Human Development: A Tool to Overcome the Effects of Racism Webinar. Integral Human Development Approach centers on the idea that the dignity of the person is expressed not only in work but also in culture, spirituality, relationships, and power. Join us to explore how with its comprehensive assessment and equity-based program development IHD can serve as a powerful tool to counteract the effects of racism. Join CCUSA for the webinar *today, July 14th, 2020 at 3:00pm EST*. Register [here](#).

CCUSA – Making Decisions on When to Reopen Senior Programs Webinar. Thinking about when to reopen your senior programs? How to keep your clients and staff safe during this outbreak? Join us for a conversation with a group of your peers working in this field to learn more about their plans. On the webinar, you will hear from the staff of Catholic Charities CYO San Francisco. The agency has been asked by the State of California to reopen their adult day center to help support first responders. Additionally, staff from Catholic Charities of Chicago, Philadelphia and others will outline their key decision points to take into consideration when making the decision to reopen. Join CCUSA for the webinar on *July 17th, 2020 at 2:00pm EST*. Register [here](#).

CCUSA & Berkadia Affordable Housing – Conversations with the C-Suite: Affordable Housing. Please join CCUSA and Berkadia for a discussion on the current state of Affordable Housing, expert insights, and industry trends. Join the webinar on *July 16th, 2020 at 12pm EST*. Register [here](#).

Switchboard – Helping Clients Navigate Times of Economic Hardship: A Community Conversation. Recent months have presented a dramatic learning curve for refugee resettlement providers as we've adapted to the realities of living and working in the shadow of a global pandemic. Join us for an engaging virtual panel discussion featuring front-line, headquarters and state voices from across the refugee resettlement network. We'll provide opportunities both before and during the session to ask your questions. You will hear how programs providing economic empowerment services are adapting to the changing needs of their clients. Join Switchboard for the webinar on *July 23rd, 2020 at 2:00pm EST*. Register [here](#).

Center for Study of Social Policy – Strengthening Families Webinar: Early Relational Health and Protective Factors. This webinar offered an opportunity to reflect on the importance of foundational relationships and how this work can strengthen the protective factors framework and be integrated with your implementation of Strengthening Families. You can also find a recording for webinar here. Watch the webinar recording [here](#).

Center for Study of Social Policy - Applying CSSP's Anti-Racist Intersectional Frame to Our Work. Current events have heightened issues of systemic racism and racial disparities to the

forefront of our national conversation. CSSP hosted a webinar learn about the [anti-racist intersectional frame](#) developed by the Center for the Study of Social Policy (CSSP), and to explore its application to CSSP's Strengthening Families work and other projects related to young children and their families. We will also discuss opportunities to apply the frame within your own Strengthening Families work in your programs, communities, and systems. Watch the webinar recording [here](#)

Supporting School Mental Health in the Context of Racial Violence Webinars- The MHTTC Network has an upcoming two-part learning forum, Supporting School Mental Health in the Context of Racial Violence. This series is intended for students, families, educators and school mental health professionals who are navigating the impact of racial violence on student mental health. [Click here](#) to register.

[For Parents:](#)

Avance Houston – Bilingual Parenting Resources. The bilingual resource page contains a children's e-book, COVID-19 supports, tips for infants, tips for preschoolers, and information about self-care. Find the resource [here](#).

Parenting Teens in the Summer of COVID-19. The pandemic is hard on adolescents. Here are a few tips that can help. Read the article [here](#).

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