



## MCAP News August 2019

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2G Logic Model Webinar

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# SPOTLIGHT ON COMMUNITY ACTION AGENCIES

## Human Services Programs of Carroll County Recently Awarded Governor's Citation

Congratulations to MCAP Member Agency, Human Services Programs of Carroll County on this honor from the Governor's Office!

From HSP: "HSP is very pleased and thankful to share our recent Governor's Citation. We partnered with Volunteer Maryland this year on a very meaningful project to further develop our Volunteer and Internship program.



Volunteer Maryland is an AmeriCorps program in the Governor's Office."

# FEATURED RESOURCE

## Plan ahead for Weatherization Day coming up in October!

Each year, communities across the country mark October 30th as National Weatherization Day. Weatherization Day is an opportunity to highlight the impact of the Weatherization Assistance Program (WAP) which saves energy, improves the health and safety of homes, and supports jobs and small businesses. State and Local WAP agencies plan events and actions each year to showcase Weatherization Day such as community celebrations or WAP site visits with members of Congress. Many WAP programs are featured in the press and many governor's officially issue a Weatherization Day Proclamation.



Click [here](#) to get past examples of events and checkout NASCSP's toolkit for your planning.

## Weatherization Day Webinar

September 11 @ 3:00 pm

Join to hear from CAP, NASCSP and NCAF on tips and resources to help you plan Weatherization Day.

Now is the time to start planning your efforts to highlight the impact that WAP has in your State and local community! Weatherization Day is a fantastic opportunity to shine a spotlight on the WAP across the country.

Click [here](#) to register.

**Weatherization Day 2019**  
Save the Date



## NEWS & TOOLS



### Public Charge Rule affecting immigrants will go into effect in October



The U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS) recently announced a final public charge rule that would deny green cards and visas to significantly more immigrants who use federal, state, and local government benefits. The "public charge" rule, which was proposed in October 2018 and drew 266,077 comments (the vast majority of which, DHS

acknowledged, opposed the rule). Read more from CAPLAW [here](#). Click [here](#) to see a Public Charge FAQ fact sheet.

### ROMA Implementer Training Applications are Available Now

Region 3 Implementer cohort Phase II

Date: 12/05/2019

Location: Harrisburg, PA or Baltimore, MD

Applications requested by Sept 30 (will be accepted until Oct. 15 if slots are still available)

Phase 1 - online course - 6 modules to be finished by Nov. 29th

Phase 2 will be held on Thursday, 12/05 from 8:30 to 4:30 at a location to be determined.

Click [here](#) for more information and application.

### State LIHEAP Fact Sheets

August is LIHEAP Action Month. The 2019 State Fact Sheets for LIHEAP funding are available from the National Energy and Utility Affordability Coalition are available: [Maryland](#) - [Delaware](#) - [Washington DC](#)



# UPCOMING EVENTS



MCAP Board Members - Save the Date!

**"Building Success through Synergy"**

Save the Date  
**October 23-24, 2019**  
MCAP Board Retreat

Crowne Plaza  
173 Jennifer Road  
Annapolis, MD 21401

The 2019 MCAP Board Retreat will be held at the Crowne Plaza Hotel in Annapolis, MD October 23-24.

## Join MCAP & United Planning Organization for a Webinar!

The Value of Internal Program Monitoring in Community Action

September 10 @ 2:00 pm

Join Daniel Ofori-Addo, Director of Performance Management at UPO, as he emphasizes the value of program monitoring, and the connection with preparedness for external/funder monitoring reviews as well as active management.

The webinar will also draw contrasts between a distributed approach and a centralized approach to monitoring, and provide an overview of how small, large and medium community action agencies can incorporate monitoring into daily, weekly and monthly practices that improve effectiveness and efficiency.



[Click here to register.](#)



## 2019 New Executive Director's Institute

October 9 - 11, 2019 | Kansas City, Missouri

This two and half day training is designed to help new executive directors achieve deeper insight into their role, the work of Community Action, and current operating environment of the Community Action

Network. The training will be provided by the Community Action Partnership, National Community Action Foundation, and Community Action Program Legal Services, WIPFLi, National Association for State Community Services Programs, and other industry experts.

Training topics will include Community Action from Past to Present, Advocacy, Balancing Governance and Management, Board Development, Financial Management, Human Resources, Strategic Planning, Resource Development, Performance Management, and more! There will be time for individual consults during the Institute.

This training is appropriate for executive directors who have been in their role for 5 years or less. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.

## Nat'l Community Action Partnership Webinars

Demystifying Data Analysis  
September 11 @ 2:00 pm

Building Credit for Your Renters  
September 18 @ 2:00 pm



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

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



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STRENGTHS-BASED FAMILY WORKERS



**You Are Invited!**

**Summer/ Fall 2019 Leadership Workshop Series!**

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**Remaining Workshops:**

**9/10/2019** Performance Management & the Strengths-based Leader

**10/23/2019** Strengths-based Leaders- Impacting Change

**TBD** Final Project Presentations & Certificate Ceremony

Open enrollment, workshops may be completed in any consecutive order!

# JOB OPENINGS



Position	Agency
<a href="#">Senior Associate, Communications &amp; Branding</a>	National Community Action Partnership
<a href="#">Program Associate</a>	National Community Action Partnership
<a href="#">Multiple Positions</a>	Southern Maryland Tri-County Community Action Committee
<a href="#">Multiple Positions</a>	United Planning Organization

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