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**Mission:** We provide Emergency Resources and Navigation Services to people living in Extreme Poverty to create Housing Stability.

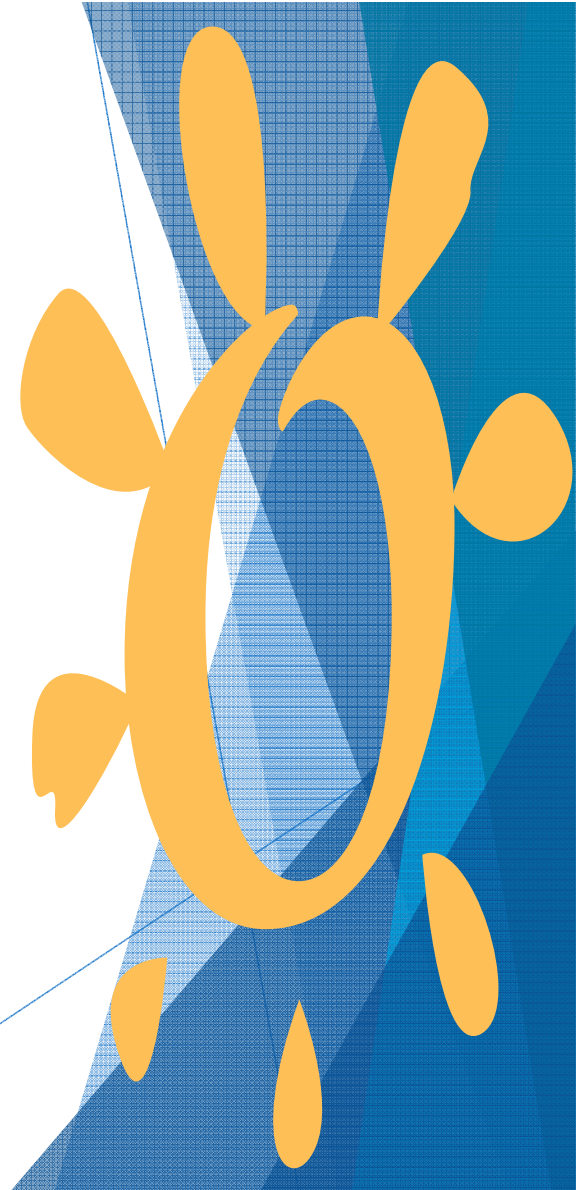
**Vision:** Through Strategic Partnerships, we will provide an array of supportive services through case management to move individuals and families from dependency to sustainability and then on to self-sufficiency.

**Values:** Hope | Dignity | Compassion | Excellence | Diversity



# Services

- ▶ Choice Pantry
  - ▶ 1x in 30 days
  - ▶ ID, Social Security Cards for each household member and a piece of mail
  - ▶ **Path to Services**
    - ▶ **Walk in M-TH 10am - 3:30pm / F 10am - 2pm**
- ▶ Nutrition Education - Times Vary
- ▶ Community Garden - Neighborhood access



# Services

- ▶ ID & Birth Certificate Assistance
  - ▶ Must Provide Letter of Need from Case Manager
  - ▶ Path to Services -
    - ▶ Walk in Tuesdays 2pm - 4pm
- ▶ Bus Passes
  - ▶ Newly employed - Prior to 1<sup>st</sup> paycheck
  - ▶ Provide Work Schedule
  - ▶ Path to Services
    - ▶ Walk in Tues. 9am - 1pm / Wed. & Thurs. 1pm - 4pm



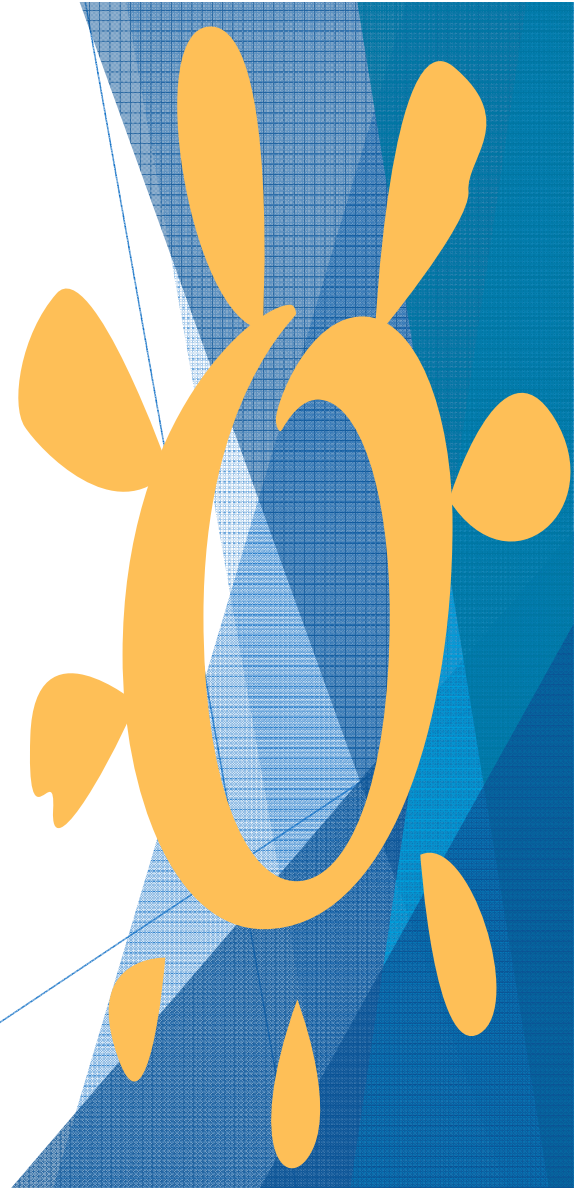
# Services

- ▶ Utility Assistance
  - ▶ Eligibility
    - ▶ Shut-Off Notice
    - ▶ 3 payments in the past 6 months
  - ▶ Path to Services
    - ▶ Walk in Monday 11am - 3pm



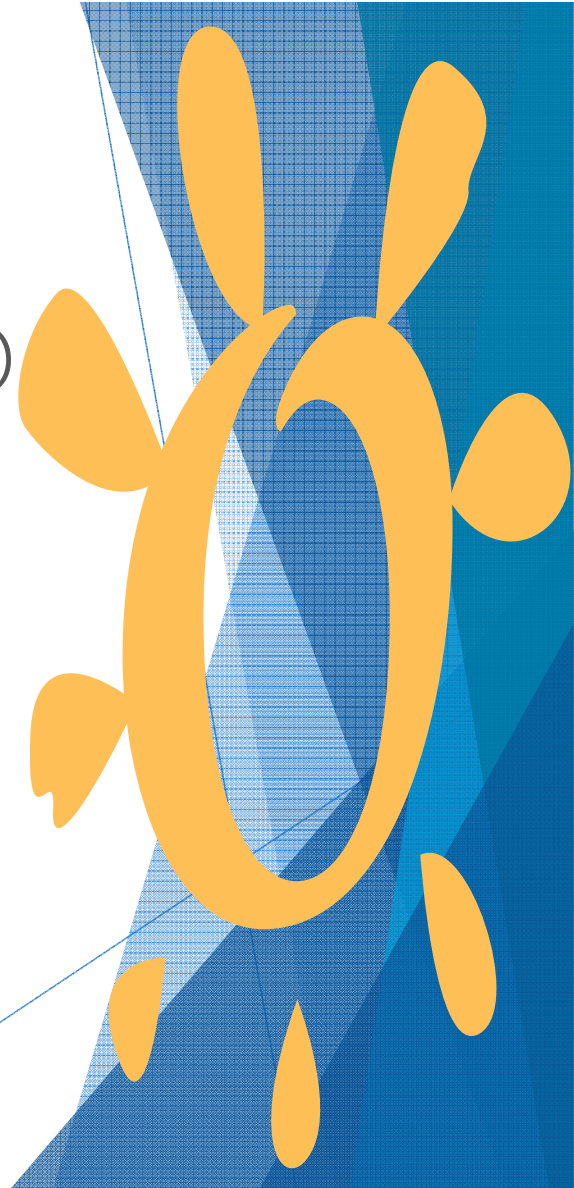
# Programs

- ▶ SSVF (Supportive Services for Veteran Families)
  - ▶ Rapid Re-Housing Eligibility (Priority)
    - ▶ Street or Shelter Homeless
    - ▶ 1 Day of Active Duty
    - ▶ Discharge Status - Any other than Dishonorable
    - ▶ Below 30% AMI (50% if no wait list)
    - ▶ Douglas, Sarpy or Pottawattamie Counties
  - ▶ Program Duration
    - ▶ 3 to 9 months



# Programs

- ▶ SSVF (Supportive Services for Veteran Families)
  - ▶ Program Components
    - ▶ Intensive Case Management
      - ▶ Housing & Housing Stability
      - ▶ Connection to VA & Mainstream Benefits
      - ▶ Advocacy
      - ▶ Education & Employment
      - ▶ Navigation to Services & Supports



# Programs

- ▶ SSVF (Supportive Services for Veteran Families)
  - ▶ Program Components
    - ▶ Financial Assistance (3<sup>rd</sup> Party Payments)
      - ▶ Rental Application Fees, Security Deposits & Rent Payment Assistance
      - ▶ Utilities Deposits & Utility Payment Assistance
      - ▶ Miscellaneous Housing Stability Expenses
      - ▶ ID's & Birth Certificates
      - ▶ Transportation (Bus Tickets)





# Programs

- ▶ SSVF (Supportive Services for Veteran Families)
  - ▶ Program Components
    - ▶ Non-Financial Assistance
      - ▶ Pantries
      - ▶ Personal Hygiene Items
      - ▶ Furniture
      - ▶ Cleaning Supplies
      - ▶ Household Items



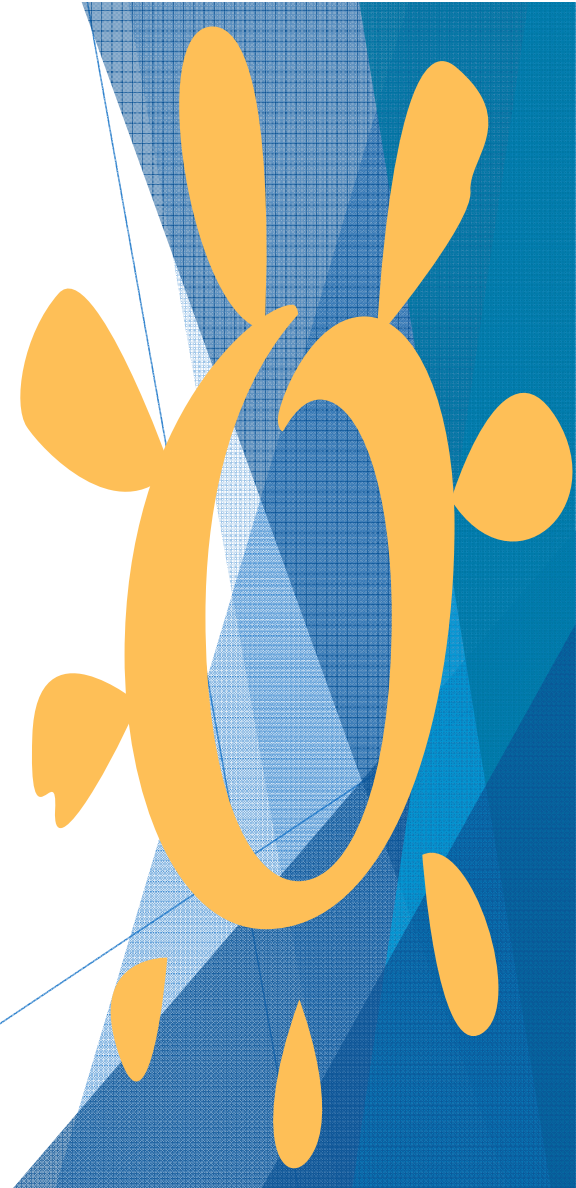
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- ▶ SSVF (Supportive Services for Veteran Families)
  - ▶ Path to Services
    - ▶ For agencies using HMIS
      - ▶ Referral from Case Manager to MACCH By-Name List
    - ▶ Walk-In to CRRC - VA Community Resource and Referral Center
    - ▶ Screen at Shelters - See Shelter Case Manager



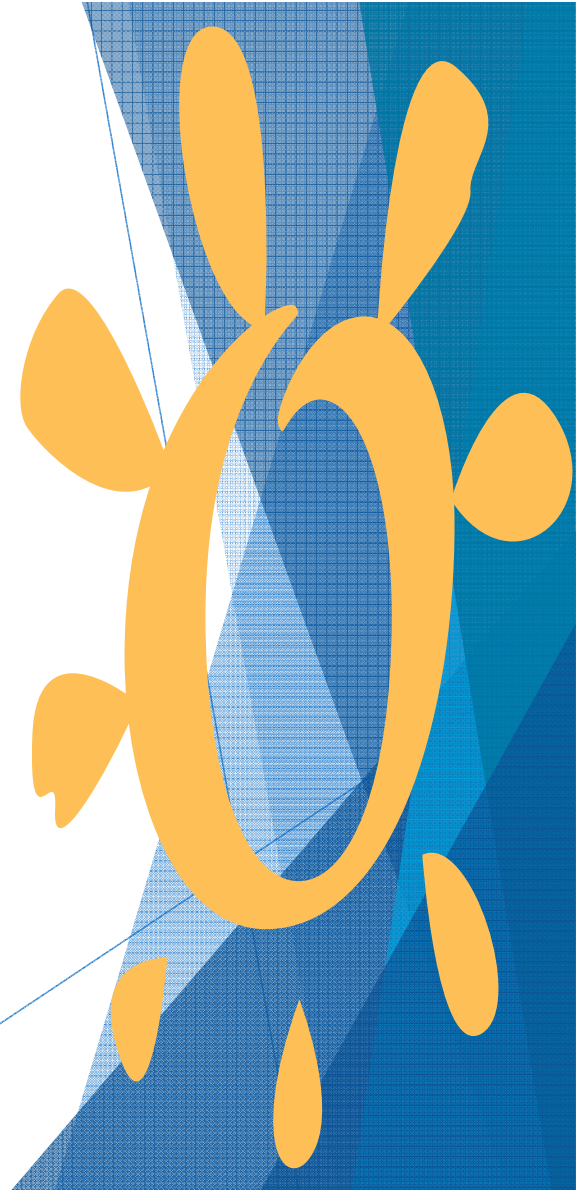
# Partnerships

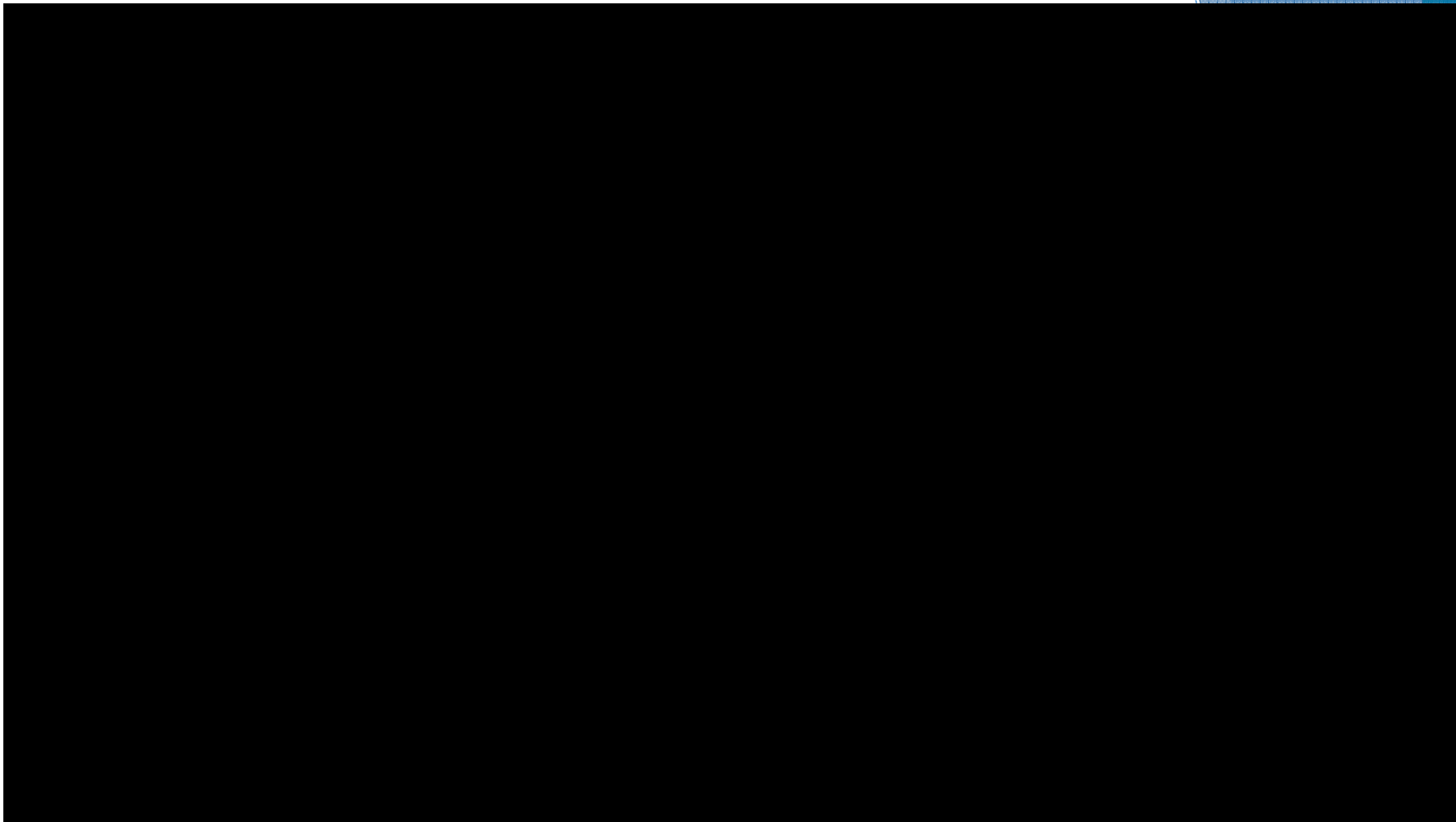
- ▶ HRT & Partner Referrals
  - ▶ Complete packets = Expedient Assistance
- ▶ VA - HUD/VASH
- ▶ Hunger Collaborative
  - ▶ Heartland Hope | Heart Ministry Center | Together
  - ▶ Craig Howell [chowell@togetheromaha.org](mailto:chowell@togetheromaha.org)
- ▶ Goodwill
  - ▶ Job Readiness Classes & 1:1 sessions
    - ▶ Thursdays @ 1:30
  - ▶ Call Linda to sign-up - 402-345-8047 x 207
- ▶ Omaha Public Library - Outreach
- ▶ Shelters - In-Reach



# Driving Principals

- ▶ Housing First
- ▶ Client Choice
- ▶ Environment
- ▶ Supportive Services
- ▶ Collaboration/Network







QUESTIONS?

