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FACILITATED ENROLLMENT

WE ARE GOING INTO ARE NEW FISCAL YEAR AND THE FACILITATED ENROLLMENT PROGRAM IS GOING FULL STREAM AHEAD. WE ARE SEEING SOME GREAT THINGS HAPPENING ALL OVER THE STATE.

HOWEVER IN CHATTANOOGA THE DHS OFFICE OF HAMILTON COUNTY HAS BEGUN A PROGRAM WHERE THEY GO OUT TO THE COMMUNITY KITCHEN AND HELP HOMELESS FAMILIES COMPLETE THE APPLICATIONS. THEY AVERAGE 20 APPLICATIONS A MONTH WITH THIS SIMPLE IDEA. THE COMMUNITY KITCHENS MEMBERS APPRECIATE THE HELP AND VERY GRATEFUL FOR THE ATTENTION.

IN NASHVILLE FOUR SHELTERS ARE PARTICIPATING IN THE FE PROGRAM.

THE SHELTERS ARE FAMILY LIFE, SAFE HAVEN, RENEWAL HOUSE AND MORNING STAR. EACH SHELTER FAX OVER APPLICATIONS TO DAVIDSON COUNTY DHS OFFICE. THIS PROCESS IS WORKING WELL. HOWEVER WE ARE LOOKING INCREASED NUMBERS IN OUR AREA.

WE ALSO HAVE PARTICIPATION IN KNOXVILLE WITH LARRY SMITH AND THE KNOX COUNTY DHS OFFICE. THIS SERVICE IS SO IMPORTANT TO HELP THOSE FAMILIES THAT HAVE LIMITED RESOURCES TO GO TO THE DHS OFFICE. ALSO THIS SERVICE WILL ALLOW FOR OUR SHELTERS TO HELP THE CLIENTS TO OBTAIN SERVICES THAT CAN HELP SUPPLEMENT INCOME EXPENSE TO HELP THEM BECOME LESS DEPENDENT ON SERVICES AND MORE SUCCESSFUL!

OUTREACH IN MEMPHIS

TENNCARE PROGRAM IN MEMPHIS HAS TAKEN SOME JOIN IN WITH THE INNOVATE SPIRIT AND BEGUN DOING OUTREACH TO SHELTERS IN THE COMMUNITY. SHAKITHA CHASE REPORTED DURING THE MONTH OF JUNE AND JULY SHE VISITED THE SALVATION ARMY, COMMUNITY HOUSE AND MORIAH HOUSE. DURING THOSE VISITS SHE ASSISTED SHELTER FAMILIES TO UNDERSTAND ABOUT THE TENNCARE PROGRAM, BOOK WELL CHILD POINTMENTS AND HELP SHELTER STAFF WITH ANY QUESTIONS

OR CONCERNS THEY MAY HAVE.

HERE AT THE TSEJ WE ARE VERY GREATFUL TO HER WORK AND WOULD TO GIVE HER A SHOOT OUT FOR HER WORK!

