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The power of individual, face-to-face interactions in our work cannot be overstated. When we take time with a client, look them in the eyes, and actively listen, it sends a powerful message: “you are seen, you are heard, you are important, and you matter”.

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This personalized approach to case management is a cornerstone of Noah at Central programming. Building strong relationships fosters trust and tailors supportive services to the unique circumstances of each person. Personalized engagement empowers clients and is central to two important developments this Spring.

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Coordinated Access Model (CAM) has returned to Noah!

This vital partnership has relaunched with on-site services on our stage. Our partnership with CAM allows our clients to meet face-to-face with a representative from Wayne Metro to be navigated into shelter. This connection to shelter meets clients’ immediate needs with the dignity of a one-on-one, in-person conversation, versus over the phone. The CAM representatives meet with an average of ten Noah clients each day.

New Client-Wellness Partnership with Wayne Mobile Health

Every other week the mobile health unit takes up residence in our parking lot to provide essential medical services, from health screenings to personal counseling. This initiative reduces healthcare barriers for our clients, connecting them upon arrival to comprehensive care to meet their individual needs.

NEW LOGO MEANS NEW T-SHIRTS!

Support our mission and spread awareness by buying yours today!

A portion of all sales support Noah at Central programming!

Scan the QR code to purchase or contact Development Director, Jessica Brasington, at jbrasington@noahatcentral.org.

SUMMER **FUNDRAISING CHALLENGE**

We have been invited to participate in the **Rocket Community Challenge!** The Rocket Community Fund will offer matching prizes throughout the competition, and we will need your help to secure a portion of their generous matching donations!

How You Can Help Now:

- Start setting aside funds to donate
- Encourage family members and friends to contribute
- Advocate within your circles to gather as much support as possible before the challenge

CHALLENGE HAPPENING **August 12th-30th**
MORE DETAILS COMING SOON!





Patty's Path to Progress

A grandmother of four, Patty has been a Detroit resident as long as she can remember. Her parents moved here from Alabama as part of the Great Migration to provide their family with additional opportunities. Patty shares that her parents instilled in her a compassionate spirit - "if you can help people, you always should", says Patty. When Patty was evicted from her home last year, she was dismayed to learn that the systems meant to support individuals facing difficulties didn't share that same compassion.

Patty was referred to Noah at

Central by other clients while she was staying at a bus station downtown. According to Patty, she heard Noah was "a place with good people who find out how to help you".

Since connecting with Noah, Patty has bonded with our Community Center Assistant, who has walked side-by-side with her through the complex process of reclaiming essential personal documents like her birth certificate, social security card, and state ID. These are not just pieces of paper, but keys that open the door to the possibility of securing permanent housing.

Empowerment is a collaborative effort at Noah. Patty now visits apartment complexes to collect applications, which she brings back to our community center. "I know staff will make time to help me fill them out," says Patty. Moreover,

Patty extends this support to her peers by distributing extra application forms while in the community center.

Patty's story is a powerful reminder of the impact of support. At Noah, we don't simply offer assistance; we journey alongside our clients, building lasting relationships that foster independence and self-empowerment, one individual at a time.



Patty and Community Center Assistant, Chrissy meeting for casework at Noah at Central!

Summer Block Party

Thursday, June 27th

10:30am-1:00pm

@ Noah at Central



Volunteers needed!

Starting at 9:15am

contact svaughn@noahatcentral.org for details!

Noah at Central Tigers Game Fundraiser!



FRIDAY

9/13/24

06:40 PM

\$40 per ticket

Ticket includes \$10 concession voucher

Tickets On-Sale through Noah Starting July 1st!

Contact jbrasington@noahatcentral.org for details