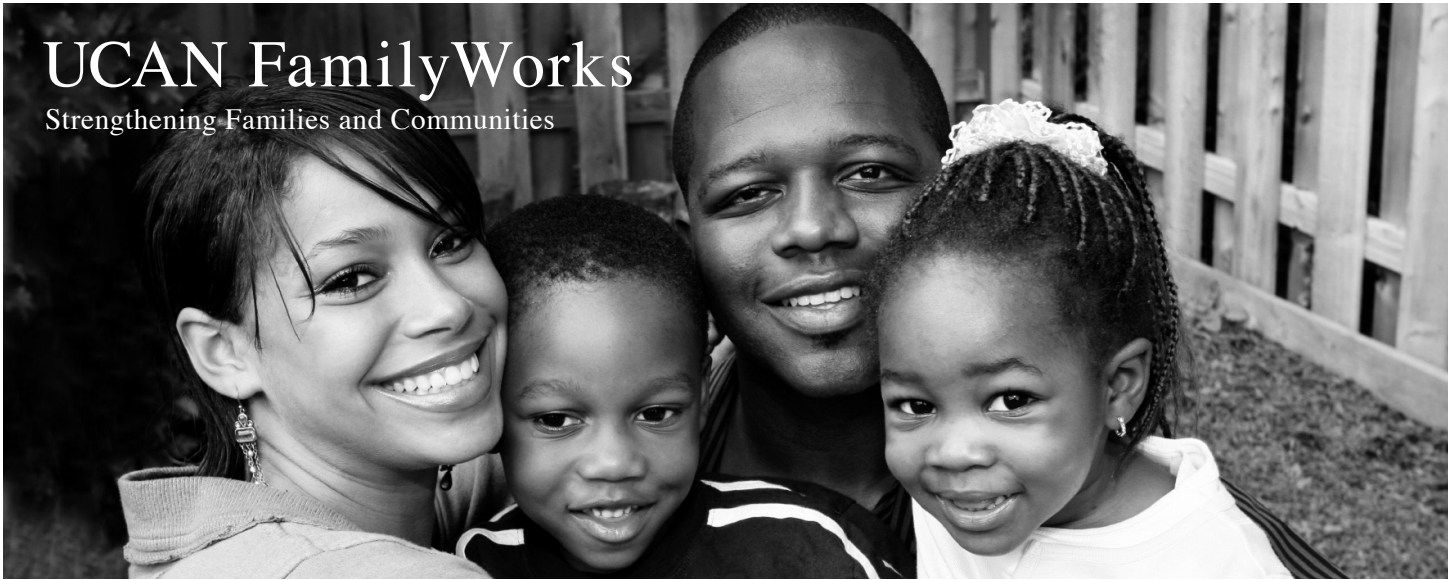


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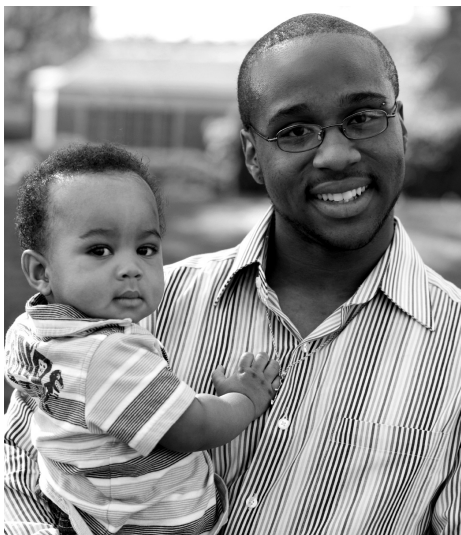
Strengthening Families and Communities



UCAN's FamilyWorks program focuses on ensuring that families achieve economic and social self-sufficiency.

UCAN's FamilyWorks Program serves Chicago Housing Authority residents in the Far Southwest region of Chicago, including: Auburn-Gresham, Ashburn, Beverly, Chicago Lawn, Morgan Park, Riverdale (includes the Altgeld-Murray Homes), Roseland (includes the Lowden Homes), Washington Heights, West Lawn and West Pullman.

All aspects of the program focus on the FamilyWorks goals of employment and permanent housing choice for families.



Outreach and Engagement

UCAN case managers build strong relationships with CHA residents through direct outreach efforts including: home visits, informational mailings and community flyers. UCAN specializes in community events, town meetings and open houses to introduce the CHA community to various supportive services. UCAN coordinates services with existing community and faith-based organizations on behalf of the residents.

Case Management

UCAN's FamilyWorks implements a tiered system of case management to tailor service intensity according to the families' needs. Our case managers work with families to address any barriers that prevent them from achieving a final housing choice. Case managers also work diligently with families to identify their housing choice.

Employment Services

A team of Employment and Job Retention Specialists work with UCAN's case managers to assist residents with job

preparation, training, securing and retaining employment. Our career development team identifies interests and career paths for residents in order to achieve the goal of long-term employment through our relationships with employers throughout Chicagoland. UCAN is committed to hiring CHA residents as Resident Service Advocates for outreach work as they strive toward self-sufficiency.

Clinical Services

UCAN's team of licensed, masters-level therapists are experienced in addressing a wide-range of problems resident's face including: substance abuse, trauma, domestic violence and other mental health issues. These services are available for individuals, families and groups. UCAN understands that these services help support residents in achieving their goal of self-sufficiency.

Supportive Services

UCAN recognizes the need for additional services to its CHA residents including: financial literacy; professional Homemaker services; parenting supports; and on-site GED classes. UCAN provides fun activities for youth, families and seniors in their communities.



OUR LOCATIONS

Altgeld-Murray Homes

983-85 E. 132nd Place
Chicago, IL 60827
Phone: (773) 928.2567

Lowden Homes

250 A West 95th Street
Chicago, IL 60628
Phone: (312) 745.2991

Riverdale

*Serves West Pullman,
Morgan Park, Chicago Lawn,
Riverdale scattered sites
and Altgeld-Murray Homes.*
13700 S. Indiana
Riverdale, IL 60827
Phone: (708) 841.6186
Fax: (708) 841.7159

Western

*Serves Auburn-Gresham,
Roseland, Ashburn, Beverly,
Washington Heights, West
Lawn and Lowden Homes*
10046 S. Western Avenue
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Phone: (773) 429.0030
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