
Tanner Community Development Corporation

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Tanner Community Development Corporation monthly newsletter is to highlight achievements and upcoming events with all programs at TCDC. Our office is located at 700 E. Jefferson Street, suite 200, Phoenix AZ, 85034

TCDC

Established in 2001 and remaining true to its history and dedication to families, Tanner Chapel continues to foster an outreach ministry of care beyond its walls. TCDC's mission preserves family life by connecting with our community to improve lives through meeting spiritual, economical, educational, health and housing needs.

RX Takeback

On April 30th, 2022, TCDC's HEAAL Coalition (Help Enrich African American) along with Black Nurses Association, The National Guard, Urban Indian Coalition and Caldwell Banker. Participated in the take back of unused or outdated prescription drugs at Walgreens located at 1825. W Bethany Home Road.



Community Events & Highlights

Vaping Presentation At Champion School

TCDC's HEAAL Coalition (Help Enrich African American Lives) went to Champion School to educate the students on substance misuse and prevention. HEAAL Coalition members Margaret Carter & Loren Grizzard shared a presentation with the students on the dangers and harmful effects that is caused by vaping.



HEAAL Coalition Member Margaret Carter with the students at Champion School



Founder of Positive Images Sports & Former NBA Player David Jones and former NBA player Steven Hunter signing autographs for the students at Champion School.

Basketball Camp

Positive Images Sports teamed up with TCDC's HEAAL Coalition (Help Enrich African American Lives) to speak with the students at Champion School about substance misuse.

The students also got a chance to participate in a Basketball clinic with Positive Image Sports founder David Jones along with former NBA players Steven Hunter, Jeff Malone and former Phoenix Suns coach Jason Fraser.

Loren Grizzard, Al Harris from TCDC's HEAAL Coalition at Laveen Legends Award Event. (Below)



Loren Grizzard Receives Award

TCDC's HEAAL Coalition (Help Enrich African American Lives) Director Loren Grizzard received an award during Laveen's Legend Award Event. This award was given to Loren, for all his accomplishments through HEAAL with the Laveen Community.



Lock It Up billboard located at 24th Street and Jones (River Bottom) in Phoenix, AZ

Lock It Up Billboard

The Lock It Up campaign was created by TCDC's HEAAL Coalition (Help Enrich African American Lives). This message is to encourage adults to have safe a place to store items such as alcoholic beverages, prescription and medicinal medications, out of the reach of youth in the home.

The Billboards are currently up at 24th street and Jones (River Bottom), I-10 west of 75th Ave and Loop 202 South Mountain south of Jefferson St. #LockItUp!

Events & Highlights Continued

BAHTH Project Presents: Senior Tech Day

Senior Tech Day is a two-day event held at the Tanner Properties. TCDC's BAHTH Project (Black and Historical Trauma Healing) team goes to Tanner Manor & Tanner Gardens on the last Thursday and Friday of the month. Seniors are given a tutorial on how their tech devices work. Also, they learn how to overcome challenges when it comes to using their devices.



Senior Tech Day: Residents of Tanner Manner (above), BAHTH Team members Candace Adams (middle) and Joi Fletcher speaking with residents about their devices.

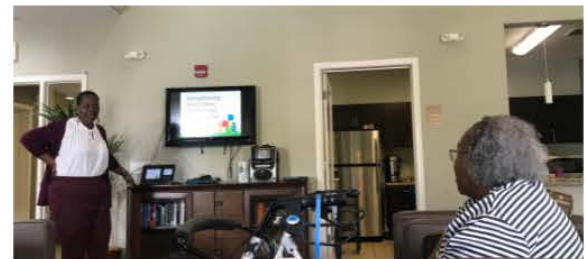
Webinar: Effects Of Vaping



May 26th, 2022, TCDC's HEAAL Coalition hosted a webinar on the effects of Vaping.

The Webinar was facilitated by Joe Yuhus: Principal of TenTwenty5 Public Affairs and Manager for, Campaign for Tobacco Free Kids.

Lavern Calvin - Stevenson with the residents of Grandfamilies Place of Phoenix.



Strengthening Multi Ethnic Families and Communities

TCDC's Family Preservation Project, Lavern Calvin - Stevenson shared a presentation with the residents of Grandfamilies Place. The presentation was on caregiver and parenting curriculum to strengthen resistance and resilience skills. This is 2 of 4 workshops held at Grandfamilies Place of Phoenix. The workshops took place on April 12th and 19th, 2022.

Upcoming Events

- **BAHTH Project:** Will be teaching THRIVE at Grandfamilies Place Tuesdays starting June 7th from 10am-2pm. Mudra & Mantras with Jnai Edwards on Wednesday June 15th at 4pm via zoom, to get link please email tashemaoates@tcdccorp.org.
- **YTC:** Monthly meeting Saturday June 18th at 9am, at TCDC office: 700 E. Jefferson Street, Suite 200 Phoenix AZ 85034
- **HEAAL Coalition:** Next coalition meeting, Monday June 27th at 9:30am, via zoom, to get link please email tashemaoates@tcdccorp.org.
- **Family Memorial Dinner:** Covid-19 Family Memorial Celebration of Life Dinner will take place July 9th, 2022, 4pm -9pm. At the Marriott Phoenix Chandler 1600 S Price Road. To learn more please visit www.blacktherapistsinaz.org