

Hello Friend,

Over the last few months, we have made many changes within our organization in order to serve our community. Although our doors are not open, our services continue to be in high demand. There are so many in our community who are needing help for the first time because this situation has left them having to readjust their lifestyles. We cannot say thank you enough for your support through partnerships, donations, and volunteering. Together we will get through this!

Mark B. Lawson, Esq. President/ CEO

## **Community Action Network Responds**

Your CAA is proud to be a part of the Ohio network of Community Action Agencies. Together we are serving all 88 counties through food pantries, online education, rental assistance, and utility assistance. Watch the video below to learn more about how we are making a difference in the Buckeye state.



## Facebook Live - Timeout Tuesday

This Tuesday at 2 p.m., join Dr. Ebony Griggs-Griffin as she engages in conversation with area principals and kindergarten teachers to discuss Kindergarten Readiness. This will take place live on Facebook @CincinnatiHeadStart.



### **GCMI Virtual Class**

GCMI will be offering a Virtual Entrepreneurial Class starting May 5th. The Ice House Entrepreneurship Program (IHEP) is now being offered as an online learning platform. The IHEP curriculum will help to develop entrepreneurial skills like problem-solving, taking initiative, critical thinking, and other tools to help individuals develop the mindset needed to help navigate their business during this time. For more information on GCMI's virtual classes and services Contact Tracey Hayes at 513-569-4816 ext 2442 on click on the link GCMI Information Request Form to request information.

### Head Start Family Neccesity Packs

May is Community Action Month, and we are asking the community to come together to donate items to create Necessity Packs for our Head Start families. You can bring your donation items to the Community Action Agency beginning this Friday, May 1. For more information, contact Amanda Jenkins at 937-935-6474 or <u>ajenkins@cincy-caa.org</u>.



## Household Necessity Packs for our Head Start families!

You can make a difference when you donate batteries, diapers, baby wipes, paper towels and hand soap.

You may drop-off your donations to:

1740 Langdon Farm Rd. Cincinnati, Ohio 45237

Drop-off times: 8:00a - 11:00a Friday, May 1 | Wednesday, May 6 | Friday, May 8

#### #CAAGivingTuesdayNow

Save the Date - Join the movement on May 5, 2020! Your Community Action Agency is participating in this global event.

Bookmark the save the date link to donate.

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#### We're Here for You

The <u>2020 Census</u> is very important to the work that we do at the Community Action Agency. In order to meet the needs of those in our community, it is important that every household is counted. Mark Lawson spoke with the Enquirer about how the Census affects our community, <u>read more here</u>.



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