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Mark your calendars for SOME's Annual Break the Cycle Gala on Saturday, September 27th, 2025, at the Washington National Cathedral! This special evening brings together our community to raise critical funds for individuals and families experiencing poverty and homelessness in Washington, DC, while celebrating the resilience and successes of those we serve. To learn more about sponsorship opportunities and ways to engage with SOME year-round, please contact Lee Granados at [leegranados@some.org](mailto:leegranados@some.org). Every year, thousands of SOME supporters join us at one of our signature fundraising events to raise money, awareness, and support for our efforts to break the cycle of homelessness & poverty in our nation's capital. Throughout the year, we offer engaging and impactful opportunities to come together with supporters, activists, philanthropic-minded participants, and leaders in the DMV region committed to this mission. Check out our full calendar of events, as well as ways to create your own event to support SOME, below.

Interested in sponsorship of one of our events or exploring a multi-event and year-round partnership opportunity? Please email [events@some.org](mailto:events@some.org) to learn more! DC's largest and only Turkey Trot, dedicated to fighting poverty and homelessness. Join this family-friendly 5K and Little Turkey one-miler on the best course in the U.S. Learn more here. The Young Professionals Network (YPN) provides emerging philanthropists with professional development and opportunities to invest their time, treasure and talent in an organization serving over 10,000 people each year. Our Network brings a for-profit rigor to the social impact experience, ensuring that members give confidently to SOME and in turn receive full access to an engaging donor experience. If you or your organization would like to host a community fundraising event to support SOME's mission and work, please contact [events@some.org](mailto:events@some.org). Our team is happy to assist with marketing materials, custom donation links, customized collateral, and giveaways, and more. SOME examples of how our partners have engaged their communities: Lead a food, clothing, emergency hygiene or snack kit drive Conduct an employee fundraising event with a matching goal Dine-for-your cause evening out A young professionals happy hour A sweat equity employee day A lunch & learn presentation We established new care pathways, grew our continuum of care and standardized our services to better meet the evolving needs of our clients. We began the implementation of our new strategic plan, enhancing our whole person care model, increasing financial strength and stability, expanding volunteer opportunities, and more. SOME is a 501(c)(3) tax-exempt organization, and your donation is tax deductible within the guidelines of U.S. law. Please keep your receipt as your official record. We'll email it to you upon successful completion of your donation. Your gift to SOME provides material aid and comfort to our neighbors in the District, helping them break the cycle of poverty and homelessness through programs and services that save lives, improve lives, and help transform lives of individuals and families, their communities, and the systems and structures that affect them. 89% of every dollar donated goes directly to our lifesaving services. Help us amplify our impact by donating today. Looking for other ways to give? Click HERE Since 1970, SOME has been a care provider and a beacon of hope to residents in our nation's capital. Our services are available to individuals, families, senior citizens, veterans, and those affected by physical or mental illness. Every day, we strive to break the cycle of poverty and homelessness through our comprehensive Whole Person Care approach. DC has one of the highest poverty rates in the country. Currently, there are more than 74,000 men, women and children experiencing hunger in our nation's capital, and the issue is particularly challenging for Black and Latinx residents. Our compassionate team of volunteers, staff, donors, and board members embody this commitment every day by serving, healing and upholding all members of our community. SOME - So Others Might Eat Washington, DC 20001-1259 US Privacy Policy [some@some.org](mailto:some@some.org) +1 2023810516 Facilitate groups and individual sessions as a professional counselor or a peer-support counselor. Coach client and non-client advocates, research policy, testify and meet with public officials or participate in our Social Justice Reflections program. Tutor students enrolled in SOME's adult workforce development program (academics and computers), review resumes, conduct mock interviews, and/or host students at your workplace for externships. Attend SOME special events/fundraisers, assist with mailings and other communications, and/or provide administrative support. Serve meals in the SOME dining room, provide or sponsor meals, assist cooks in the kitchen, prepare weekly groceries for distribution to other SOME programs, sort and organize material donations, and/or make presentations to guests between breakfast and lunch. Assist with all aspects of our peer-support day program (ranging from serving meals to facilitating activities). Provide clients finance, legal, IT, tax, and/or general administrative support. Become an engagement ambassador, teach a class or workshop, facilitate a special one-time or regular event, make visits to homebound seniors, and/or deliver meals to homebound seniors (current and former clinical professionals in related fields highly desired). Tutor adults or youth, teach/coach topics such as personal finance and mental health and wellness, facilitate a special one-time or regular event for residents, such as a meal or game night, work in our garden/facilities, and/or provide childcare. Family Housing Currently our Intake Line is CLOSED Location: Throughout the city

Eligibility: Head of household must be over the age of 18. Family must be earning no more than 30% of area median income and be eligible for Section 8 housing assistance. Additional eligibility guidelines apply, click here for more. Questions? Email [FSintake@some.org](mailto:FSintake@some.org). Single Adult Housing Currently our Intake Line is CLOSED Location: Throughout the city Eligibility: Applicants must be a single person, 18 years of age or older. Must not be a lifetime registrant on the sex offender registry. Must not owe DCHA any money. Additional eligibility guidelines apply, click here for more. Questions? Email [SAHintake@some.org](mailto:SAHintake@some.org). Senior Housing Location: 1667 Good Hope Road, SE Eligibility: Applicants must be at least 60 years of age and capable of self-care. Additional eligibility guidelines apply, click here for more. Questions? Call 202.292.4493 Temporary Emergency Housing for Abused or Neglected Seniors Call 202.292.4493 SOME is proud to operate in all eight Wards in the District and in Hampshire County, West Virginia. To maintain the privacy of our residents and clients, we do not publicly release the addresses of our programming sites. There are 1,295 residents enrolled in our affordable housing program, including single adults, families and seniors. In 2021, we served 75 clients through our senior center and 85,540 through our emergency services. Every year, over 22,000 of our clients visit a doctor, dentist, therapist or case worker in one of our clinics. Our Center for Employment Training graduates earn, on average, \$18/hr—almost \$2 more than DC's minimum wage. We foster regional and national coalitions that drive funding and attention towards eliminating the root causes of homelessness and poverty. In addition to providing direct housing assistance to DC residents, we also advocate for policies and funding that benefit DC residents in need of healthcare, social services and housing. During DC's 2022 Fiscal Year/Budget negotiations, we successfully advocated for, and achieved, the following wins for our community. Explore Our Advocacy Work Increase in the Housing Production Trust Fund, which has helped produce or preserve nearly 10,000 units of affordable housing since 2001 Increase in the Local Rent Supplement Program over a five-year period, which provides ongoing rental subsidies to help make housing more affordable to extremely low income families. Increase in the Emergency Rental Assistance Program, which helps District residents earning less than 40% of the Area Median Income (AMI) who are facing housing emergencies Funded for permanent supportive housing for single adults, and 540 units funded for supportive housing for families Empowering thousands in D.C. each year with food, housing, healthcare, and hope. We meet immediate needs while building long-term solutions that help individuals and families thrive. Rooted in the D.C. community, we're driven by love, service, and advocacy. All students at our Center for Employment Training (CET) must complete an externship as part of their program. We partner with local healthcare facilities and businesses to create these opportunities for our students. Every student is pre-screened to ensure they meet the specific requirements of our employer partners.