



RESIDENT SERVICES: ON-LINE OR OUT-OF-REACH? BRIDGING THE DIGITAL DIVIDE

June 9, 2022

10:30-12:00PM

AGENDA

Description

The pandemic forced people to stay home and rely on technology to work, receive health care, learn, and stay connected with friends and family. But this increased reliance on technology exposed our worst fears about the scale of the digital divide and the need to focus on the impact of digital inequities. We will discuss strategic opportunities to affordably increase access to broadband, technology, and other communication tools for residents and creative programming as ways to leverage the HPN network to promote digital inclusion and equity.

10:30 – 10:45

Welcome and introductions

10:45 – 10:50

Updates on Federal funding opportunities for broadband expansion and HPN member poll results

10:50 – 11:15

Discussion starters:

Julianna Stuart, Vice President of Community Impact, POAH
Raven Willoughby, Director of Community Building and Engagement, Enterprise Community Development

11:15 – 11:45

Open discussion / peer exchange

11:45 – 12:00

Next steps, wrap-up