Central Florida Community Action Agency, Inc. MERICA'S POVERTY FIGHTING NETWORK Serving Alachua, Marion, & Lew Counties

NCAP'S PATHWAYS TO EXCELLENCE PROGRAM Recognition

Pathways to Excellence Bronze Tier - COMPLETED BADGE



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This badge signifies that the Community Action Agency, and representatives of the Agency, have completed all requirements necessary to be recognized at the BRONZE TIER of the Pathways to Excellence Program. Pathways is a program of the National Community Action Partnership in which private and public Community Action Agencies representatives can learn about the 35 Community Action Standards of Excellence, complete self-studies detailing how their agency practices compare to the Excellence Standards, and receive peer feedback. Community Action Agencies deemed to be meeting and exceeding each of the 35 Standards are eligible to receive the coveted, "Community Action Award for Excellence."

Receiving recognition as a Bronze Tier Pathways to Excellence Agency means this Community Action Agency has taken the initial step toward excellence, learned about the Standards of Excellence, and started moving beyond the threshold levels of the industry's normal Organizational Standards.

Requirements for completion of this level include:

- · Kick-off meeting with NCAP and CAA staff to plan activities.
- Completion and submission of a Board Resolution formalizing the agency's commitment to pursue excellence.
- Convening of a core Agency Excellence Team and an Excellence Point of Contact (EPOC) for leading communications with NCAP.
- · Completion of an Agency Profile.
- Completion of the Standards of Excellence eCourse on Community Action Academy by the Core
 Agency Excellence Team.
- Convening of Agency Excellence Team with NCAP staff to confirm achievement of key activities and to discuss potential next steps.





