# PREVENTION & DIVERSION

WHAT WE DO

## WHAT IS PREVENTION?

- Prevention is targeted to individuals and families who currently have housing but are at risk of homelessness.
- Prevention is NOT a financial assistance program.
- Prevention is NOT a rent assistance program.

**ASSISTANCE INCLUDES:**

- Solutions-based case management
- Landlord/Tenant Mediation
- Housing advice
- Connection to community resources to obtain financial assistance
- Connection to legal services to exercise Tenants Rights
- Connection to resources to assist with credit repair, employment, and other services

## WHAT IS DIVERSION?

- Diversion means keeping individuals and families from entering emergency shelters or sleeping in places not meant for human habitation. Or, by definition, becoming literally homeless.
- Diversion is targeted to those who have already lost their own housing, are doubled up, and are running out of places to stay.

**ASSISTANCE INCLUDES:**

- Short term case management
- Housing search assistance
- Conflict Mediation
- Connection to emergency shelter services (if required)
- Connection to community resources to obtain financial assistance
- Connection to community resources to obtain services and/or public assistance benefits

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