BUILD, Baltimoreans United in Leadership Development

Partnerships

BUILD has been at the forefront of the jobs movement in Baltimore and has leveraged its 4 decades of organizing experience to cultivate partnerships to promote jobs for returning citizens. Current partnerships include:

Employers:
- Bell Nursery
- Blueprint Robotics
- Broadway Services
- CAC Direct Mail
- Details Deconstruction
- Johns Hopkins Hospital
- Johns Hopkins University
- Koinonia Baptist Church
- Nalley Fresh
- Personal Electric
- TRF Development
- The University of Maryland
- Union Memorial

Community Partners
- A Step Forward Transitional Housing
- Baltimore City Community College
- Baltimore City Office of Child Support
- Baltimore City Police Department
- BUILD’s 50 Institutions
- Child First Authority
- East Baltimore Medical Center
- KRA Corporation
- Mayors Office of Employment (MOED)
- MD State Div. of Parole and Probation
- Rotary Club of Towson Towne
- Vehicles for Change

Tuesday Training Schedule:
*Rolling admission: 8 week cycle repeats.
Weeks 1-2 Relational Work: 1:1 Meeting Training
Week 3 Leadership Development
Week 4 Public vs. Private Relationships
Weeks 5-6 Job Readiness: Conflict Resolution
Weeks 7-8 Telling Your Public Story: Presentation Skills & Interviewing

Training Sites: Every Tuesday
EAST: 9-11 am Zion Baptist Church
1700 N. Caroline Street
WEST: 2-4 pm Macedonia Baptist church
718 W. Lafayette Avenue

Hard Skills Training
- Fall’2016 Fulton Baptist Church
  1630 W North Avenue

Resource Days: Work Readiness
East: Wednesdays 10 am - 1 pm Zion Baptist
West: Thursdays 10 am - 1 pm Macedonia Baptist
- Resume writing, interview skills, email set up, online job application support, TABE tutoring
- Basic/Pre-GED Adult Education & Computer Literacy – BCCC
- Treatment on Demand, BALT. Substance Abuse Sys.
- Expungement
- Voter registration certification training.

Expectations of Participants
- Attend at least 8 weeks of training at morning or afternoon Tuesday sessions.
- Active participation. Utilize Resource Days.
- Complete a needs assessment with Case Manager.
- Complete 2 individual meetings with TAT team.
- Participate in at least 2 BUILD public actions.

Turnaround Tuesday

Leadership

Staff
- Terrell Williams, Director, West
- Melvin A. Wilson, Director, East
- Gwen Brown, BUILD Organizer
- Libby Cohen, BUILD Organizer
- Candace Croston, Work Readiness Trainer
- Rob English, BUILD, Lead Organizer
- Cheryl Finney PhD, Sr. Program Manager
- Michelle Johnson, Data Analyst
- Brandon Bryant, TRF Organizer

Support Team
- Dr. Jennifer Bess, Volunteer Coordinator
- Officer Odis Daniels
- Officer Lawrence LaPrade
- Abe McCauley
- Officer John Pinkosz
- Elder Doug Wilson

Spiritual Leadership
- Pastor Marshall Prentice
- Pastor Dr. Darron McKinney Sr
- Pastor Julian Rivera
- Pastor Calvin Keene
- Pastor David Gilmore
- Pastor Hardy
- Elder C.W. Harris

Advisory Board
- Walter Barham
- Dr. Lela Campbell
- William Glover-Bey, Vice-Chair
- Shunbrika Johnson, Secretary
- Antoinette Mugar, Chair
- Taylor Mugar
- Eric Peevy
- Edward Rogers
- Collie Thomas