Harnessing the Power of Field Education Units:

A Management Strategy to Increase Capacity, Collaboration, and Coins (AKA Funding)
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Objectives:

• Urban Ministry of Durham’s (UMD) Story & Capacity
• Field Unit Infrastructure
• Transformation with Funding
• Decision-Making Worksheet & Visioning
• Discussion
MISSIONS:

**JMSW Mission**
The mission of the Joint MSW Program is to prepare professional social workers for effective *multicultural clinical practice*; to collaborate with consumers and colleagues in the development of practices that promote *social and economic justice* and benefit the citizens of North Carolina; and to conduct research and community-engaged scholarship.

**UMD Mission**
We connect with the community to end homelessness and fight poverty by offering *FOOD, SHELTER AND A FUTURE* to neighbors in need.
FY 2017-2018
UMD Highlights

792 CLIENTS sheltered.
54,378 nights provided.

86% of families exited to permanent housing

185 CLIENTS moved to permanent housing.

243 PEOPLE ended their homelessness by connecting to UMD.

4,166 VOLUNTEERS donated 26,748 hours of service.

FIGHTING POVERTY AND HOMELESSNESS
Our Community Shelter offers emergency shelter for men, women and children.

That was 54,378 nights of shelter last year!
Capacity (2013)

- Two FTE
- Two PT/Night Time
Infrastructure of Field

Intern tasked with intake assessments, VI-SPDATs, referring & linking clients with resources in the community, creating housing goals with clients, & implementing new projects that improve client services

Phase 1

• 10-12 Interns
• Interviewed by Clinical Director & Current Intern
• Intern assigned to Journey Program, with or without staff
• Group & Individual Supervision provided by Clinical Director
• Summer Fellowship (1-2 Fellows)
Capacity (2019)

Eight Full Time Employees
- Clinical Director
- Operations Director
- Operations Associate
- Workforce Manager
- Family Case Manager
- Clinical Case Manager
- Clinical Case Manager
- COC Case Manager
- Clinical Case Manager

Four Part Time Employees
- Workforce Associate
- Workforce Associate
- Journey Navigator
- Journey Navigator

Interns
Infrastructure of Field

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Phase 2

- Interviewed by Clinical Director & Journey Navigator (New Staff Position)
- Summer Interns
- Yearly Budget for Fellowships
- Interns Assigned to Clinical Case Manager
- Supervision is provided by person they’re assigned to & Supplemental Group Supervision
Decision-making Worksheet & Visioning
Continued Partnerships

JMSW Partnerships:

• Guilford County DSS
• Guilford County Re-entry
• Local Libraries
• The Congregational Social Work Education Initiative (CSWEI) 2007

Schools Partnered with UMD:

• Bellevue University
• North Carolina A&T State University/University of North Carolina at Greensboro (JMSW)
• North Carolina Central University
• North Carolina State University
• Simmons University
• University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
• University of Southern California
QUESTIONS?