

# JEWISH COMMUNITY COUNCIL GREATER CONEY ISLAND



## HIGHLIGHTS 2014

A SUMMARY OF OUR ACCOMPLISHMENTS



## SENIOR SUPPORT SYSTEMS

**HOMECARE** - 224,457 hours of personal care, housekeeping, and/or shopping assistance were provided to 729 functionally disabled elderly men and women.

**TRANSPORTATION** - 4,218 frail seniors received 71,926 units of transportation, facilitating their access to medical and non-medical essential appointments and services.

**FRIENDLY VISITING** - 5,883 visits were made to 429 homebound seniors, providing relief and assistance.

**TELEPHONE REASSURANCE** - 9,139 telephone calls bringing joy and companionship were placed to 599 isolated elderly men and women.

**SENIOR CITIZEN CENTERS** - 1,013 congregate meals per day (253,253 total meals this year) were provided to senior citizens at our five centers. These centers simultaneously provided a wide-range of healthy aging, case assistance, educational and recreational services.

**HOME DELIVERED MEALS PROGRAM** - 93,934 hearty meals were delivered to 355 senior homebound individuals.

**SUNDAY SENIOR CENTER** - 11,480 congregate meals and 6,488 home-delivered meals were served on 46 Sundays (when area senior citizen centers are closed).

**CASE ASSISTANCE** - 4,241 sessions of entitlement counseling, advocacy and emergency assistance services were provided to 1,899 senior citizens.

**HEALTH INSURANCE COUNSELING CENTER** - 386 clients received 1,021 hours of Health Insurance counseling and advocacy services.

**HOLOCAUST SURVIVOR SUPPORT SYSTEMS** - 246,072 units of services were provided to 2,153 Holocaust survivors (services include Homecare, Transportation, Case Assistance, Friendly Visiting, Drop in Center, Congregate & Home Delivered meals services).

## MANAGEMENT SUPPORT SYSTEMS

**TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TO NONPROFITS** - 1,231 hours of service were provided by our NonProfit HelpDesk (NPHD) division to 822 nonprofit professionals representing 112 nonprofits, citywide, assisting them in enhancing the efficiency and accountability of their operations.

## VOCATIONAL SUPPORT SYSTEMS

**COLLEGE AND RELATED EXPERIENCE (CARE) WORK EXPERIENCE PROGRAM (WEP)**- 2,088 students receiving Public Assistance while attending any of the 16 designated CUNY campuses (and additional 45 non-CUNY colleges) citywide were helped to remain in school through placement in enriching workfare assignments related to their area of study on or near their homes or campuses.

**ADULT LITERACY** - 1,590 hours of English as a Second Language (ESL) instruction was provided to 216 low-income, unemployed or under-employed limited English speaking individuals, include 53 Deferred Action for Childhoods Arrivals (DACA) students, at sites in low-income immigrant communities throughout NYC.

**EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING PROGRAM** - 33 low-income SNAP eligible individuals were provided with occupational training/retraining in real estate, computer-related and medical-related fields, followed by employment counseling and job placement services. To date, 32 individuals received a credential and 3 obtained jobs.

## EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT SYSTEMS

**ADVANTAGE AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM** - 86 students from low-income immigrant families benefitted from after school programming at a site in Queens.

**THE AFTER SCHOOL CORPORATION AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM** - 85 public school students participated in after school programming at P.S. 101.

**COMPREHENSIVE AFTERSCHOOL SYSTEM OF NYC (COMPASS-NYC) PROGRAM**- 210 students took part in after school programming at 2 sites in Brooklyn.

**SUMMER CAMP SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM** - 200+ needy children received summer camp scholarships.

**HORIZONS ACADEMY** - 3,724 hours of college and career preparation service were provided to prepare 110 at-risk students from low-income families at Abraham Lincoln High School in Coney Island for successful adulthood.