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RESIDENT EMPOWERMENT PROGRAM TO HONOR EMPLOYERS

On January 27, 2012 at 10:00 AM Catholic Charities of Southern Nevada Resident Empowerment Program will host an appreciation ceremony to honor community members who employ our residents through the Spot Job Service. The event will include guest speaker from U. S. Department of Labor Veterans' Employment and Training Service and the opportunity to speak with our clients and their employers.

About Resident Empowerment Program

Founded in 1985, The Resident Empowerment Program (REP) is a structured environment for homeless men who want to regain self-sufficiency through employment. Case Management services are available to client's 7 days per week for one-on-one assistance. The Case Management team completes an assessment with clients to identify their needs, strengths, and weaknesses, and then develops individualized plans of service that outlines each client's individualized goals while considering their access to resources.

REP provides employment services leading resident's reintegration into mainstream society and self-sufficiency by securing employment. The individuals work towards self-sufficiency within a parameter of a policy and regulation guided program.

The REP staff provides crucial employment services and identifies possible barriers to employment by delivering job market orientation, performing individual employment skill profiling and by providing referrals to open positions as well as other employment specific services, to include community provider training and skill development referrals.

<http://www.catholiccharities.com/programs/service/rsd/residentempowermentprogram.html>

About Catholic Charities of Southern Nevada

Catholic Charities is celebrating more than 70 years of service offering the most comprehensive range of human services designed to help people, from infants to seniors, regardless of race, religion, or creed. For more information about Catholic Charities please visit our website <http://www.catholiccharities.com/>

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