



Picking Up the Pieces and Moving Forward

Tuesday, June 19, 2012

1:30–3:30 p.m.

Radisson Hotel Lansing

111 N. Grand Avenue, Lansing, MI 48933



Join us for a frank discussion about the fallout from recent Department of Human Services' policies impacting vulnerable children and families in Michigan. Hear from people on the ground. Learn what you can do to make a difference.

Panelists will include **Kareemah El-Amin**, Executive Director of the Food Bank Council of Michigan; **David Eich**, Executive Director of Michigan 2-1-1; and **Rev. Bruce Roller**, Executive Director of United Church Outreach Ministry.

Recent policy changes in Michigan affecting cash assistance, food assistance and unemployment benefits are leaving many vulnerable families without a safety net, even as the economy slowly recovers. The Forum will feature comments from panelists who are seeing the direct impact of these policy changes in their work — how people are being affected across the state.

Following a question-and-answer period with the panelists, Michigan League for Human Services' President & CEO Gilda Z. Jacobs will lead a discussion on how to respond and how to advocate for change related to safety net policies.

The forum is **FREE** but reservations are requested **by June 15** and seating is limited. Please send in this form or [click here](#) to register online to reserve a spot at this important policy forum. If you choose, you can email the form to Mary Logan at mlogan@milhs.org. On-site registration will be accepted if space allows.

For members, there will be a vote at the beginning of the Forum to change the League's name.

Michigan League for Human Services

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