

Barriers

Let's think about what is stopping people from getting good jobs and living well in our area. What are the main 3-5 challenges that residents deal with? These could be things like not enough job opportunities, high living costs, inadequate education, issues with housing and transportation.

**Specialized
skills needed
to take care of
someone
outside the**

**Specialized
experience is
keeping
people from
getting good
jobs**

**Daughter has been
doing food service
and was in charge of
concession stands
at the coliseum**

**Unforgiving
when they see
a break in
your resume**

Which barriers/obstacles/issues are most challenging for historically disinvested communities in our subregion to overcome?

**Lack of
education
could be a
deterrent**

Feel like you are
working just to have
a roof over her head;
couldn't make the
rent by themselves

Could be qualifying
for low income
housing and the
better job can keep
you from taking
advantage

**Landlord
keeps
raising
rent**

Solutions

What solutions have you seen that actually work?

What existing organizations, programs, or collaborations are doing a good job of working on solutions to the barriers?

ROP programs taught you aspects of a certain sector so that you could be successful; nursing degree would send you to the hospital and get hands-on experience