

ASSESSING THE NEED

BASIC NEEDS

In the eastern area of the County, more than 40% of households have a median income of under \$50,000 and affordable housing is hard to find.

EDUCATION

In Pequea Valley School District, most children do not enter kindergarten ready to learn. 59% of adults earn a diploma.

HEALTH

Many families lack employer supported healthcare coverage, forcing them to forego care that can help them avoid disease.

KEY PARTNERS

- The Factory Ministries
- Bright Horizons
- Community Action Partnership
- Community Services Group
- Grace Point Church
- LancCo MyHome
- The Literacy Council of Lancaster-Lebanon
- PA CareerLink of Lancaster County
- Penn Medicine Lancaster General Health
- Pequea Valley School District
- Tabor Community Services
- Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA)
- Welsh Mountain Health Centers

OUR SOLUTION

Together Initiative Network aims to holistically address these needs as a partnership. At the Together Community Center, there is an on-site, high-quality child care center that is preparing kids to be successful in kindergarten and beyond.

Programming for teens and adults prepare them for jobs, education, parenting, financial management, and other life skills. TIN is addressing housing insecurity by partnering with LancCo My Home to open on-site family crisis housing and a safe parking lot for individuals experiencing homelessness living in their cars.

TIN is also expanding its health care referral system to better connect residents with much-needed preventive health services.

