

CHICAGO THRIVES WHEN WE ALL THRIVE TOGETHER

Our mission is to provide the knowledge, resources, and support necessary to help inner city Chicagoans achieve financial independence, secure stable homes, and actively participate in the growth and unity of their neighborhoods. The DEN is dedicated to guiding residents on their journey towards economic empowerment by fostering vibrant, interconnected communities.



EMPLOYMENT TRAINING

We offer a range of employment training programs like job readiness workshops, technical and vocational training designed to equip individuals with the skills, knowledge, and resources they need to secure meaningful employment and advance in their careers.



HOMEOWNERSHIP EDUCATION

The DEN conducts workshops that cover the entire homebuying process, from understanding mortgage options to finding the right property and closing the deal. Learn about down payment assistance programs, and how to evaluate their financial readiness for homeownership.



VETERANS SUPPORT

We address the unique challenges veterans face during their transition to civilian life and provide them with the resources and assistance needed to reintegrate into their communities and build fulfilling post-military lives. From housing support to mental health and emergency assistance, we deliver.