Effective Partnerships with School Districts: Creating Programs that Use Housing as a Platform for Educational Outcomes

Across the country, 5.5 million students live in assisted housing owned and managed by PHAs. Whether in large urban areas or smaller communities, these students typically experience lower attendance, achieve a lower grade point average, are disciplined at a higher rate, and drop out of school at a disproportionate number. PHAs are crafting partnerships with their local school districts to overcome the systemic issues faced by their students. Three Executive Directors will bring their Superintendents to this conversation about collaborating between PHAs and school districts to produce better educational outcomes for low-income students.

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