

NATIONAL
HEALTH CARE
for the
HOMELESS
COUNCIL



TennCare Shelter Enrollment Project

The TennCare Shelter Enrollment Project exists to ensure that children who are experiencing homelessness in Tennessee can enroll in and enjoy the benefits of TennCare

How can the TennCare Shelter Enrollment Project serve your shelter staff and residents?

- **Resident Trainings:** we can come to your shelter on a quarterly basis and conduct a 1 hour training for your clients that covers the basics of healthcare for children who are homeless:
 - Benefits of TennCare
 - How and why of regular screenings
 - Finding a primary care provider
 - Using your insurance card
 - The unique mental and physical health needs of children who are living in a shelter
 - The importance of keeping mom healthy
- **Staff Trainings:** we can meet with your staff, at your facility, to provide information and updates on TennCare, community resources, and managing the health of children in shelter
- **Regional Trainings:** we offer annual trainings in your area to bring to the table staff from nearby shelters and discuss the health needs of children who are living in shelters
- **Enrollment Events:** if you have multiple families in your program who are not enrolled in TennCare, we can come to your facility and assist clients in the process of enrolling in TennCare or the Marketplaces
- **Mobile Health Screenings:** we can bring mobile health services to your shelter and conduct medical screenings for your pediatric and adolescent clients
- **Troubleshooting:** if you have a question about TennCare, feel free to call or email anytime! We are here to assist you with the healthcare needs of your clients!

For more information or to utilize services, email Cindy Phillips at cphillips@nhhc.org