



About Neighborhood Networks

It began quietly with a few Housing and Urban Development community technology centers scattered across the country. It expanded rapidly igniting enthusiasm, while building a national presence and impact. Today in urban centers and rural towns across America, more than 800 Neighborhood Network centers are putting the power of technology in the hands of the people.

The Southfield Townhouses Neighborhood Network Learning Center provides access to technology and educational opportunities along with resources, classes and activities in order to strengthen the social and economic welfare of adults and children.

The Southfield Townhouse Neighborhood Network Learning Center is a collaborative effort among the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development, Community Economic Redevelopment Corporation of Wisconsin, Ten South Management, Southfield Townhouses and the University of Wisconsin-Green Bay.

Vision, Mission, and Values

Vision:

To offer an activity-driven center that focuses on the welfare and educational needs of families at Southfield Townhouses as they strive towards a happier, brighter future.

Mission:

To provide educational resources and services to the adult and youth residents of Southfield Townhouses offered in a respectful, nurturing environment

Values:

Respect, Service and Communication

Operating Hours

School Year Hours:

Monday - Thursday: 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Friday: 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Summer Hours:

Monday - Thursday: 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

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SOUTHFIELD TOWNHOUSES

Neighborhood Network Learning Center

Access to Technology and
Educational Opportunities





Educational Opportunities

- ◇ Tutoring sessions by the group or for the individual
- ◇ After school help with homework
- ◇ English as a Second Language
- ◇ Computer classes
- ◇ Access to General Equivalency Diploma

Community agencies/organizations bring their services and educational classes to the center site. Classes and information are available in the following categories:

- ◇ Technology
- ◇ Educational, K-12 and Adult
- ◇ Healthcare
- ◇ Finances
- ◇ Family Living
- ◇ Housing
- ◇ Employment
- ◇ Nutrition
- ◇ Life Skills

Programs and Services

- ◇ YMCA programs, reading programs, 4-H club, and groups
- ◇ A playroom for the younger children while parents use resources at the center
- ◇ Play groups for ages 2-5
- ◇ Job training, interview skills, other employability skills and access to job information
- ◇ 13 computers all with access to the internet
- ◇ Information on community resources
- ◇ Snacks served daily
- ◇ Salvation Army Summer Feed-the-Kids Program
- ◇ Gardening



Volunteering Opportunities

The Learning Center is for the residents of the Southfield Townhouses. All of the residents contribute to the success of the project. The care and respect given to the Center by each individual affects all members of the complex. Those interested in volunteering can help in the areas of:

- ◇ Tutoring
- ◇ Childcare
- ◇ Maintenance
- ◇ Helping with classes
- ◇ Reading to children
- ◇ Office work
- ◇ Gardening

Anyone interested in volunteering their time and talent to the Center, please contact:

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