

Many of our graduates use their escrow checks for down payments on homes...car purchases...paying off debt...building their bank accounts...and more.

The program helped me achieve every small and huge goal. They supported my goals along the way, sent me every resource possible to achieve every goal. I have never been more pleased by the accomplishments that my case manager helped me achieve. I am so thankful for everything and everyone who has guided me to success!

Dorisa J.

The program has been helpful in many, many ways. One, it gave me a future to look forward to. Two, they guided me in the right direction and have helped me come in contact with community resources to help me achieve my goals. I am very grateful for the opportunity to be a part of the program.

Brooke S.

This program has helped me stay focused on keeping up on my goals to succeed with saving, to be determined on finishing school, to purchase a vehicle, and continue working a full-time job.

Apallonia B.

This program enabled me to set realistic goals & find ways to accomplish them.

Dave G.

jumpSTART graduates earned over \$100,000 in 2018

Frequent goals jumpSTART participants work towards are:

Getting a GED
Owning a Car
Finishing School
Increasing Skills
Finding a Full-Time Job with a Sustainable Wage
Owning a Home

Take the first step towards your future and join jumpSTART today!

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when increasing earned income



Formerly the FSS program

Ignite your dreams with LMHA's "jumpSTART" self-sufficiency program.



Do you have unmet goals? Did barriers detour you from achieving your dreams?

jumpSTART by LMHA, gets you back on the path to meeting your goals and achieving your dreams!

This employment-based program is voluntary, FREE, and available to LMHA residents who work or intend to work. Participants in the jumpSTART program enjoy numerous benefits designed to streamline your path to self-sufficiency.

As you increase your rent by increasing your earned income, WE WILL MAKE MONTHLY DEPOSITS INTO YOUR LMHA SAVINGS ACCOUNT! The more you raise your earned income, the higher your account balance gets. Achieve your goals and abide by program rules and you will receive a check for any funds saved during your participation.

**“This is too good to be true! LMHA wants to give me back some of my rent?”
It’s not too good to be true. It is a program created by HUD to help working families get ahead.**

Benefits of the jumpSTART Program include:

- Receiving a personalized needs assessment
- Developing a specialized training and service plan with YOU behind the wheel
- Receiving advance notice of job fairs, resources, and programs designed to remove any barriers you may face
- Always having someone in your corner to advocate when you need it. Your case manager is there to CONNECT you to resources tailored to fit your needs
- An interest-building escrow account that grows as your earned income grows
- Early withdraw option to help with goal-related expenses



SIGN ME UP!

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