

## Community Financial Literacy Assessment Interviews

1. What are you most interested in learning about to help your family?
2. What are your three (3) most urgent needs right now, in order of importance to you?
3. What are your financial priorities, in order of importance?
4. Have you ever had any financial training?
5. Which areas are big concerns to you? (Check all that apply)
6. Which of these sources of income does your family have? (Check all that apply.)
  - Salary/Wages
  - Social security
  - Food stamps
  - Interest from investments or savings
  - Income from rental properties
  - Commissions on sales
  - Payment for odd jobs (mowing the grass, babysitting, cooking, etc.)
7. Do you have a bank account?
8. What specific resources does the Hispanic population already have access to? (Names of food banks, clothing closets, transportation services, etc.)
9. What services in the area have been helpful to you in the past?
10. Are you interested in gardening to have more food?
11. If yes, are you more interested in having a small garden at home or one large garden to share with others?
12. Does your family have available land and time to invest in starting a garden?

## Interview Results

9 Participants

1. What are you most interested in learning about to help your family?
  - Help my children learn Spanish and English
  - How to save money for college
  - Learn English
  - How to help my children find scholarship/funds for college
  - Help my children do their homework
  - Learn computer skills
2. What are your three (3) most urgent needs right now, in order of importance to you?
  - How to buy and save money/ Scholarship for college/Job/Food
  - Transportation/Help my children in school/Financial education
  - Safety/Dream-Act/Health
3. What are your financial priorities, in order of importance?
  - Education/buy food/pay rent
  - Buy food/pay rent/pay credit card debt & bills
  - Pay rent/ buy a car/buy food
4. Have you ever had any financial training?
  - 1   Yes
  - 8   No
5. Which areas are big concerns to you? (Check all that apply)
  - 5   Need to earn more income

5   Need to spend less

  5   Need to pay debt

  9   Need to save money

6. Which of these sources of income does your family have? (Check all that apply.)

  8   Salary/Wages

  0   Social security

  1   Food stamps

  0   Interest from investments or savings

  0   Income from rental properties

  0   Commissions on sales

  0   Payment for odd jobs (mowing the grass, babysitting, cooking, etc.)

7. Do you have a bank account?

  8   Yes

  1   No

8. What specific resources does the Hispanic population already have access to? (Names of food banks, clothing closets, transportation services, etc.)

- Church
- Salvation Army
- WIC
- “We cannot receive anything because we are not documented.”

9. What services in the area have been helpful to you in the past?

- Medicaid (children)
- First Baptist Church free clinic

- Family and Friends
- WIC

10. Are you interested in gardening to have more food?

  7   Yes

  1   No

11. If yes, are you more interested in having a small garden at home or one large garden to share with others?

  7   Small private garden at home

  0   Large community garden

12. Does your family have available land and time to invest in starting a garden?

  6   Yes

  3   No