# HUMAN SERVICES POLICY COMMITTEE (HSPC)

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## **HSPC Committee Overview**

The goal of the HSPC is to provide the oversight on all health and human service matters for the COG Board of Directors including:

- Public health
- Foster care
- Child care
- Housing
- Behavioral health
- Substance abuse programs

## 2018 Focus and Priorities

Organizing Framework: Behavioral Health

#### **Focus Areas:**

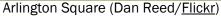
- Early Childhood Development & Early Interventions
- Youth Development
- Stable, Affordable Housing and Homelessness
- Public Safety



# 2018 Accomplishments

- Learning opportunities from subject matter experts in the region
- Discussions of regional and local strategies to overcome challenges
- Input to COG Board Regional Housing Strategy







# **Looking Ahead**

November HSPC Survey:

2018 Evaluation & 2019 Focus Areas

January HSPC:

Review Survey Results & Finalize Workplan



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