



THE BENEFIT BANK[®]
CONNECTING COMMUNITIES TO RESOURCES



The Work Supports Initiative

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MDC, Inc., a forty-year-old nonprofit based in Chapel Hill, North Carolina, is the managing partner of the initiative. MDC has experience implementing national and regional initiatives, including Achieving the Dream, a national community college initiative. Another partner, World Hunger Year, will improve and deploy its national database of anti-poverty and anti-hunger organizations and the National Hunger Hotline, which connects hungry and homeless people to emergency food and other resources that can help them move out of poverty. Solutions for Progress is the developer and operator of The Benefit Bank, which customizes the service for each new state and improve the platform to help more Americans claim more supports.

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