



DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY & HUMAN SERVICES

DCHS

SAFETY • SELF SUFFICIENCY • WELL BEING

Working together for all Alexandrians





VISION

Envision a community in which residents enjoy a sense of well-being, safety and self-sufficiency.



MISSION

Provide effective and essential safety net services that measurably improve or maintain the quality of life for Alexandrians.



ORGANIZATION



Locally administer state programs



Division of
DARS Rehabilitative Services



Administer CSB behavioral
health services



DCHS

Center for
Adult Services

Center for
Operations

Center for
Children & Families

Center for
Economic Support



SERVICES ACROSS LIFE STAGES

youth development

foster care

mental health

family services

infant development



domestic
violence

sexual
assault

public benefits

substance use
disorders



aging

and more!

developmental
disabilities

adult protective
services



WHAT DOES DCHS DO?

Safety

Child Protective Services
Foster Care & Adoption
Domestic Violence Program
Sexual Assault Center
Emergency Services
LGBTQ
Adult Protective Services
Child Care
And more!

Self Sufficiency

Public Benefits
Medicaid
Workforce Development Center
Homeless Services
Developmental Disability
Services
West End Wellness Center
Mental Health & Substance
Misuse Residential Services
Safe Haven
And more!

Well Being

Children's Behavioral Health
Community Wraparound Team
Youth & Family Services
ACAP
Adult Day Services Center
Mental Health Services
Substance Use Services
Opioid Treatment Program
And more!

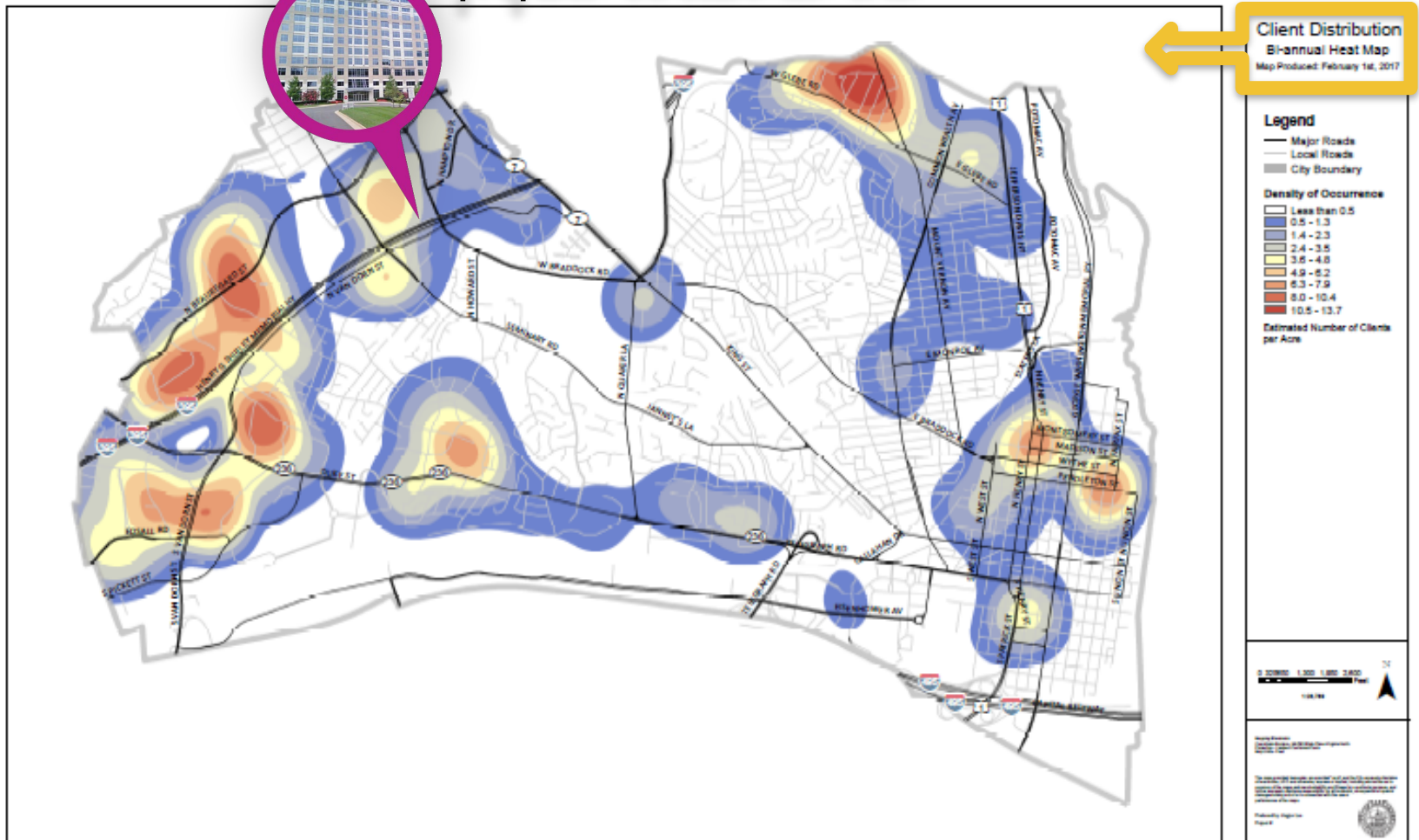


DCHS SERVICE LOCATIONS





proposed consolidated site!



4850 Mark Center Drive

Facts & Figures

Occupancy:	2/2023
Levels:	10 Stories
Parking:	817 Spaces
Area:	270,000 GSF 238,500 USF

The primary health and community services agencies, the Department of Community & Human Services, Alexandria Health Department, and Neighborhood Health will collocate with a City of Alexandria West-End Service Center, including the Permit Center and Finance Department transaction functions.

Renovation will utilize Eco-City Alexandria principles and target LEED Gold certification.



DCHS CONSOLIDATED SITE



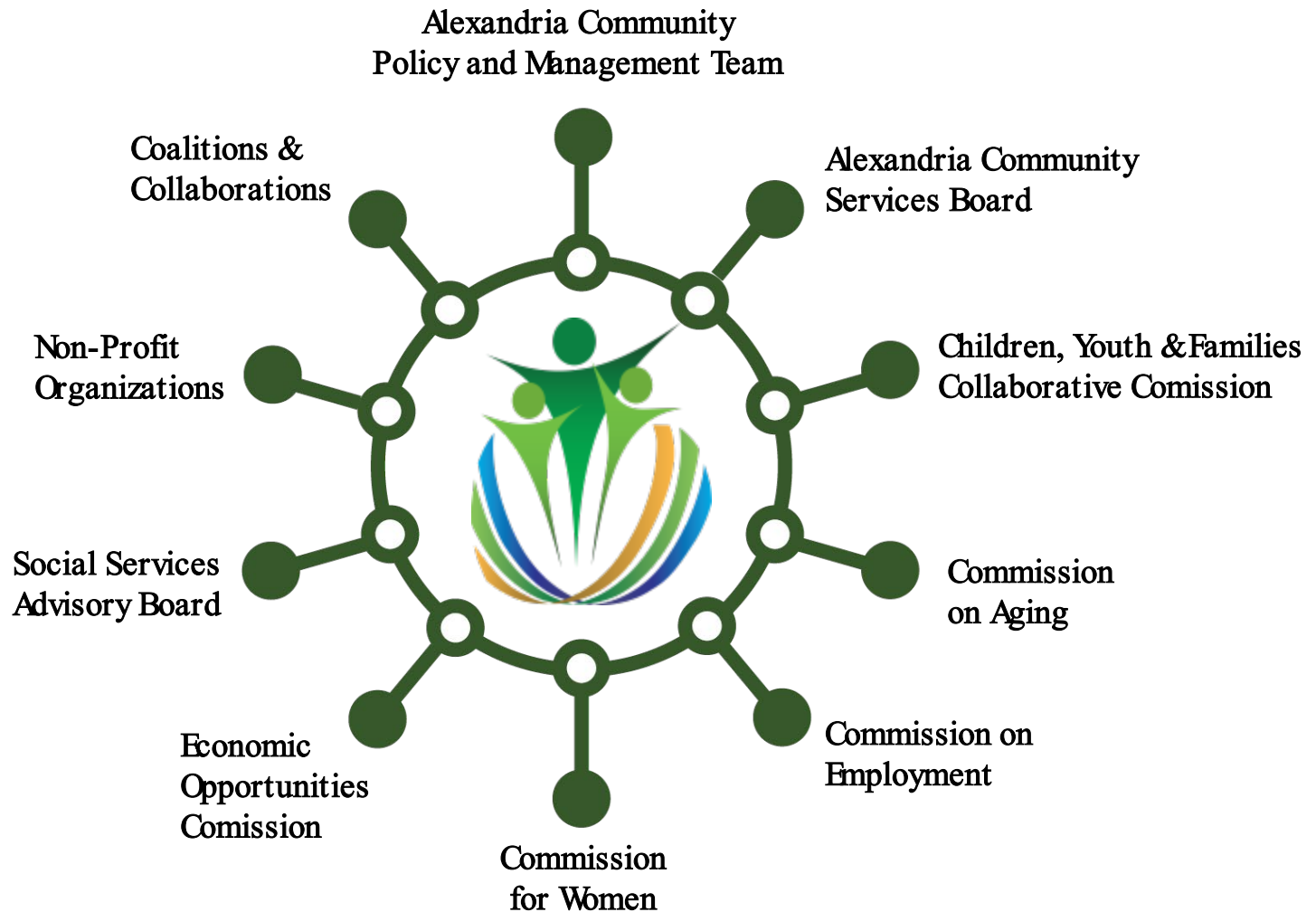
- “One-stop-shop” for clients
- Increases opportunities for staff collaboration
- Increases operational efficiency
- Alexandria Health Department, Neighborhood Health, Permitting and Finance co-located
- Located on transportation hub

Better access and outcomes for clients!

Move in—February 2023!



KEY COMMUNITY PARTNERS





GET INVOLVED!

Choose from a wide variety of opportunities to volunteer
in DCHS programs and other City departments!

- Help Shape and Support City Programs
- Get First-Hand Experience
- Use Your Skills and Experience
- Be Involved Something You Care About
- Meet New People and Make New Friends
- Increase Social and Relationship Skills
- Explore New Interests
- Learn New Skills

Make a difference!

