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NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:00:00.000 --> 00:00:03.501 Uhm well thanks everyone for coming and

NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:00:03.501 --> 00:00:07.638 I think a very exciting talk today.

NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:00:07.640 --> 00:00:10.130 Moodle is the community services

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00:00:10.130 --> 00:00:13.072 administrator of the City of New

NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:00:13.072 --> 00:00:16.200 Haven has been since January 2020,

NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:00:16.200 --> 00:00:17.572 which I pointed out,

NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:00:17.572 --> 00:00:20.059 gave him two months to settle into

NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:00:20.059 --> 00:00:22.636 the job before before COVID hit up.

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00:00:22.636 --> 00:00:25.372 Prior to that, several just highlights

NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:00:25.372 --> 00:00:27.780 working as the chronic disease

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00:00:27.780 --> 00:00:30.660 director at DPH for seven years.

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00:00:30.660 --> 00:00:32.532 And medical director of Quality improvement

NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:00:32.532 --> 00:00:34.772 in the New York City Department of

NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:00:34.772 --> 00:00:36.956 Health and Mental Hygiene for two years.
NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:00:36.960 --> 00:00:39.921 And in terms of his training started at Brown
NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:00:39.921 --> 00:00:42.807 and actually guys degree in neuroscience,
NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:00:42.810 --> 00:00:43.993 so I think there's always been a
NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:00:43.993 --> 00:00:45.049 little bit of a fascination for
NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:00:45.049 --> 00:00:47.469 the kind of work we do for mobile.
NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:00:47.470 --> 00:00:49.666 MD Mount Sinai resident in NY.
NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:00:49.670 --> 00:00:52.736 You guys masters in health services
NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:00:52.736 --> 00:00:55.702 here at Yale and is currently an
NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:00:55.702 --> 00:00:57.492 adjunct assistant professor in the
NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:00:57.492 --> 00:00:59.069 Department of Internal Medicine.
NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:00:59.070 --> 00:01:00.582 He's going to be talking to us about
NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:01:00.582 --> 00:01:02.005 all the wonderful things the city
NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:01:02.005 --> 00:01:03.250 of New Haven's been doing,
NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:01:03.250 --> 00:01:04.794 many some of them,
NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:01:04.794 --> 00:01:06.724 in conjunction with our department

NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:01:06.724 --> 00:01:08.880 and people in our department.

NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:01:08.880 --> 00:01:10.392 I'm very exciting, really.

NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:01:10.392 --> 00:01:11.904 Looking forward to this.

NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:01:11.910 --> 00:01:14.734 I hope to have plenty of time for

NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:01:14.734 --> 00:01:16.200 conversation questions afterwards,

NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:01:16.200 --> 00:01:17.574 but with that I will turn

NOTE Confidence: 0.734917835

00:01:17.574 --> 00:01:18.900 this over to Doctor Delong.

NOTE Confidence: 0.36964285

00:01:23.060 --> 00:01:24.788 Uh, thank you Michael for

NOTE Confidence: 0.36964285

00:01:24.788 --> 00:01:25.739 that generous introduction.

NOTE Confidence: 0.840811489545455

00:01:25.740 --> 00:01:27.860 Uh, appreciate the partnership that

NOTE Confidence: 0.840811489545455

00:01:27.860 --> 00:01:30.939 we have with you is always come.

NOTE Confidence: 0.840811489545455

00:01:30.939 --> 00:01:33.802 I, I really appreciate this opportunity to

NOTE Confidence: 0.840811489545455

00:01:33.802 --> 00:01:37.057 speak at the Yale Psychiatry grand Rounds.

NOTE Confidence: 0.840811489545455

00:01:37.060 --> 00:01:40.940 I had a conversation with with Mike last

NOTE Confidence: 0.840811489545455

00:01:40.940 --> 00:01:44.440 week, professing a bit of apprehension,

NOTE Confidence: 0.840811489545455

00:01:44.440 --> 00:01:46.015 but he told me this is a friendly crowd,
NOTE Confidence: 0.840811489545455

00:01:46.020 --> 00:01:47.850 so I'll hold him to that.
NOTE Confidence: 0.845913484705882

00:01:50.410 --> 00:01:51.784 III would presume this is not
NOTE Confidence: 0.845913484705882

00:01:51.784 --> 00:01:53.592 the usual type of a grand rounds
NOTE Confidence: 0.845913484705882

00:01:53.592 --> 00:01:54.708 lecture that is received.
NOTE Confidence: 0.845913484705882

00:01:54.710 --> 00:01:56.288 If my memory serves me correctly
NOTE Confidence: 0.845913484705882

00:01:56.288 --> 00:01:57.728 from my days attending grand
NOTE Confidence: 0.845913484705882

00:01:57.728 --> 00:01:59.068 rounds and internal medicine,
NOTE Confidence: 0.845913484705882

00:01:59.070 --> 00:02:00.771 but I really hope to share with
NOTE Confidence: 0.845913484705882

00:02:00.771 --> 00:02:02.829 you a bit of a glimpse of what
NOTE Confidence: 0.845913484705882

00:02:02.829 --> 00:02:04.746 goes on and and really hear from
NOTE Confidence: 0.845913484705882

00:02:04.746 --> 00:02:06.486 you on what kind of connections
NOTE Confidence: 0.845913484705882

00:02:06.486 --> 00:02:08.820 you see between your work and and
NOTE Confidence: 0.845913484705882

00:02:08.820 --> 00:02:10.960 what we're trying to accomplish as
NOTE Confidence: 0.845913484705882

00:02:10.960 --> 00:02:12.910 a as a small municipal government.
NOTE Confidence: 0.845913484705882

00:02:12.910 --> 00:02:14.890 Frankly facing a number of challenges

NOTE Confidence: 0.845913484705882
00:02:14.890 --> 00:02:16.970 that are not unique to New Haven
NOTE Confidence: 0.845913484705882
00:02:16.970 --> 00:02:19.110 but nonetheless very important.
NOTE Confidence: 0.845913484705882
00:02:19.110 --> 00:02:21.250 And and of course,
NOTE Confidence: 0.845913484705882
00:02:21.250 --> 00:02:22.510 a lot of intersections with the
NOTE Confidence: 0.845913484705882
00:02:22.510 --> 00:02:23.350 work that you do,
NOTE Confidence: 0.845913484705882
00:02:23.350 --> 00:02:25.849 and the patients that you potentially see.
NOTE Confidence: 0.845913484705882
00:02:25.850 --> 00:02:27.230 I'm going to share my screen.
NOTE Confidence: 0.845913484705882
00:02:27.230 --> 00:02:28.074 Hopefully technology doesn't get
NOTE Confidence: 0.845913484705882
00:02:28.074 --> 00:02:29.784 the better of me 'cause I have like
NOTE Confidence: 0.845913484705882
00:02:29.784 --> 00:02:30.984 two or three different screens up,
NOTE Confidence: 0.845913484705882
00:02:30.990 --> 00:02:32.194 so let me see if that works.
NOTE Confidence: 0.814538958
00:02:44.110 --> 00:02:45.950 It's coming up the whole.
NOTE Confidence: 0.814538958
00:02:45.950 --> 00:02:49.328 Great, uhm, there you go. Perfect
NOTE Confidence: 0.925453208
00:02:49.510 --> 00:02:52.470 great. I'm glad that worked.
NOTE Confidence: 0.925453208
00:02:52.470 --> 00:02:55.812 So the today's talk is titled
NOTE Confidence: 0.925453208

00:02:55.812 --> 00:02:57.483 Crisis Opportunity and
NOTE Confidence: 0.925453208

00:02:57.483 --> 00:03:00.049 Building back with resiliency.
NOTE Confidence: 0.925453208

00:03:00.050 --> 00:03:01.160 And I actually don't have
NOTE Confidence: 0.925453208

00:03:01.160 --> 00:03:02.270 a whole lot of slides,
NOTE Confidence: 0.925453208

00:03:02.270 --> 00:03:04.951 so I'm hoping that we'll have some
NOTE Confidence: 0.925453208

00:03:04.951 --> 00:03:07.013 time for interaction and discussion
NOTE Confidence: 0.925453208

00:03:07.013 --> 00:03:09.122 towards the end of the presentation.
NOTE Confidence: 0.925453208

00:03:09.122 --> 00:03:11.660 But I do want to give some context.
NOTE Confidence: 0.925453208

00:03:11.660 --> 00:03:12.605 And of course,
NOTE Confidence: 0.925453208

00:03:12.605 --> 00:03:14.495 share with you the learning objectives.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:03:18.360 --> 00:03:21.210 I have no financial disclosures.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:03:21.210 --> 00:03:23.744 So today, hoping to cover the following
NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:03:23.744 --> 00:03:25.869 one to understand the organization and
NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:03:25.869 --> 00:03:28.724 roles of the City of New Haven Health
NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:03:28.724 --> 00:03:30.808 and Human Services infrastructure.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:03:30.810 --> 00:03:33.218 I think it really just as a.

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:03:33.220 --> 00:03:36.728 Basic level setting idea.

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:03:36.730 --> 00:03:38.602 It struck me that you know people don't

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:03:38.602 --> 00:03:40.127 really have a sense of what we do,

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:03:40.130 --> 00:03:41.258 what the parameters are,

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:03:41.258 --> 00:03:42.386 what are you know,

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:03:42.390 --> 00:03:43.990 what our roles are in the limitations are,

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:03:43.990 --> 00:03:45.774 so I do want to share with you

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:03:45.774 --> 00:03:47.990 what our Health and Human services

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:03:47.990 --> 00:03:49.268 infrastructure looks like.

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:03:49.270 --> 00:03:51.895 Second, to understand the city of New

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:03:51.895 --> 00:03:54.668 Haven's response to pandemic era challenges.

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:03:54.670 --> 00:03:56.847 I'm actually not going to focus so

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:03:56.847 --> 00:03:59.190 much on directly on our COVID response,

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:03:59.190 --> 00:04:03.372 but really, this is a more of an era

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:04:03.372 --> 00:04:06.390 rather than a specific public health issue,

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:04:06.390 --> 00:04:07.990 because, as we'll see,
NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:04:07.990 --> 00:04:11.390 the sequella of this public health issue has
NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:04:11.390 --> 00:04:14.180 had both social and economic ramifications.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:04:14.180 --> 00:04:15.029 And three, uh,
NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:04:15.029 --> 00:04:18.056 I want to talk a little bit about our plan
NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:04:18.056 --> 00:04:21.000 to set up a new department within the city,
NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:04:21.000 --> 00:04:23.015 termed the New Haven Department
NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:04:23.015 --> 00:04:24.802 of Community resilience, really,
NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:04:24.802 --> 00:04:27.090 in an effort to.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:04:27.090 --> 00:04:30.220 Center ideas of resiliency and
NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:04:30.220 --> 00:04:30.846 institutionalized.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:04:30.850 --> 00:04:33.280 Those in city government and I'll
NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:04:33.280 --> 00:04:35.370 just give a caveat here.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:04:35.370 --> 00:04:37.530 I know because this is an academic audience,
NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:04:37.530 --> 00:04:40.522 I don't mean the term resiliency and it's
NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:04:40.522 --> 00:04:42.300 academically derived framework sense,

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:04:42.300 --> 00:04:45.260 although it does have carry notions of that,

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:04:45.260 --> 00:04:49.301 it really is a more of a general use

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:04:49.301 --> 00:04:53.392 term and speaks to actually the English

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:04:53.392 --> 00:04:58.224 language is lack of of verbiage to describe.

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:04:58.224 --> 00:05:00.808 Populations that are vulnerable.

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:05:00.810 --> 00:05:01.875 Like you know,

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:05:01.875 --> 00:05:04.360 we we typically tend to talk of,

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:05:04.360 --> 00:05:05.984 you know, vulnerable populations,

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:05:05.984 --> 00:05:07.608 or at risk populations,

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:05:07.610 --> 00:05:10.249 but to set up an entire department

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:05:10.249 --> 00:05:12.237 with the nomenclature of vulnerability

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:05:12.237 --> 00:05:13.809 felt a little off,

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:05:13.810 --> 00:05:16.211 so we decided to to talk about

NOTE Confidence: 0.892024114

00:05:16.211 --> 00:05:18.220 resiliency rather than vulnerability.

NOTE Confidence: 0.905302492

00:05:20.370 --> 00:05:21.710 So just with that caveat,

NOTE Confidence: 0.905302492

00:05:21.710 --> 00:05:22.800 in terms of the department.
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:05:24.860 --> 00:05:26.778 So let me dive into some of
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:05:26.778 --> 00:05:27.600 the organizational context.
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:05:27.600 --> 00:05:31.158 Uh, you know, I'm a administrator
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:05:31.158 --> 00:05:33.670 by profession here and so.
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:05:33.670 --> 00:05:35.495 Org charts are always a
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:05:35.495 --> 00:05:38.040 part of the day to day work,
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:05:38.040 --> 00:05:39.486 and but I'm I'm putting this
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:05:39.486 --> 00:05:40.980 off as a programmatic org chart,
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:05:40.980 --> 00:05:46.500 not necessarily a HR or personnel or chart,
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:05:46.500 --> 00:05:49.556 just to give you an idea of what.
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:05:49.560 --> 00:05:51.924 Programs department initiatives.
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:05:51.924 --> 00:05:55.076 Uh, my administration covers
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:05:55.080 --> 00:05:56.460 and I will mention,
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:05:56.460 --> 00:05:59.956 just for context I the as the Community
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:05:59.956 --> 00:06:02.152 service administrator and one of

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:02.152 --> 00:06:03.572 three what they call coordinator

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:03.572 --> 00:06:04.960 positions at the department.

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:04.960 --> 00:06:05.788 In other cities,

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:05.788 --> 00:06:06.892 these positions are known

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:06.892 --> 00:06:08.250 as deputy mayor positions,

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:08.250 --> 00:06:10.518 so I report directly to the mayor

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:10.518 --> 00:06:12.441 on these initiatives so it just

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:12.441 --> 00:06:14.973 gives you a context of the the the

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:14.973 --> 00:06:16.851 the profile that Health and Human

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:16.851 --> 00:06:18.980 services has in this administration

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:18.980 --> 00:06:19.952 in other administrations.

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:19.952 --> 00:06:21.248 Health and Human services.

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:21.250 --> 00:06:24.663 Sometimes as one layer down the

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:24.663 --> 00:06:26.828 other coordinator positions are our

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:26.828 --> 00:06:28.127 economic development administrator

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:28.127 --> 00:06:30.460 and our Chief Administrative officer,
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:30.460 --> 00:06:34.210 who we actually just yesterday announced
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:34.210 --> 00:06:38.000 our nomination to serve as our our next CEO,
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:38.000 --> 00:06:39.672 which is very exciting.
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:39.672 --> 00:06:41.762 Under the Community Services Administration,
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:41.770 --> 00:06:43.786 our you know our Health and
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:43.786 --> 00:06:45.130 Human services programs which
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:45.193 --> 00:06:47.198 includes the Department of Health.
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:47.200 --> 00:06:49.620 It includes the youth and
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:49.620 --> 00:06:50.588 Recreation department,
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:50.590 --> 00:06:51.982 are elderly services department,
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:51.982 --> 00:06:54.476 and sort of the catchall category which
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:54.476 --> 00:06:56.241 anyone who's in organizational work
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:56.241 --> 00:06:58.130 knows that there's always a catch.
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:06:58.130 --> 00:07:01.718 All category of administration and programs.
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:07:01.720 --> 00:07:04.822 What I've displayed here is actually

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:07:04.822 --> 00:07:06.890 an old organizational chart,

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:07:06.890 --> 00:07:08.754 and I did that for a reason in

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:07:08.754 --> 00:07:10.860 that I wanted to share with you.

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:07:10.860 --> 00:07:14.662 Why we've decided to expand and add

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:07:14.662 --> 00:07:16.948 this new Department of Community Resilience?

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00:07:16.950 --> 00:07:19.686 The orange highlighted boxes here are,

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:07:19.690 --> 00:07:20.754 you know,

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:07:20.754 --> 00:07:23.946 categories that just seem to grow

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:07:23.950 --> 00:07:29.068 and with need and community demands.

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:07:29.070 --> 00:07:30.590 Over the last two years.

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:07:30.590 --> 00:07:33.476 As I'll explain in subsequent slides,

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00:07:33.480 --> 00:07:34.574 special projects.

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:07:34.574 --> 00:07:37.309 That category includes our Community,

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00:07:37.310 --> 00:07:40.148 crisis response and our reentry services.

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00:07:40.150 --> 00:07:42.604 And homeless services has really been

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:07:42.604 --> 00:07:45.779 a high focal point during the pandemic,
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:07:45.780 --> 00:07:47.632 and we're hoping to.
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:07:47.632 --> 00:07:50.318 Actually capitalize and use what has
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:07:50.318 --> 00:07:52.388 happened and how that homelessness
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:07:52.388 --> 00:07:54.857 services system has just been disrupted
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:07:54.857 --> 00:07:57.390 in the pandemic to try to transform
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:07:57.390 --> 00:07:59.920 how services are delivered in New Haven.
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:07:59.920 --> 00:08:03.245 With the reduction of reliance on on
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:08:03.250 --> 00:08:06.055 congregate shelters and an increased
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:08:06.055 --> 00:08:08.860 emphasis on moving towards permanency
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:08:08.936 --> 00:08:12.120 for individuals experiencing homelessness.
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:08:12.120 --> 00:08:14.064 And I'll just give a quick
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:08:14.064 --> 00:08:16.379 rundown of some of the programs.
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:08:16.380 --> 00:08:17.446 For context.
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:08:17.446 --> 00:08:20.644 Our Department of Health has an
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:08:20.644 --> 00:08:22.540 Environmental Health division,

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:08:22.540 --> 00:08:26.040 which has regulatory oversight

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:08:26.040 --> 00:08:29.540 over restaurants and inspections.

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:08:29.540 --> 00:08:31.300 They've played actually pretty

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:08:31.300 --> 00:08:33.500 important role during the pandemic

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:08:33.500 --> 00:08:36.184 in terms of enforcing our both

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:08:36.184 --> 00:08:38.694 our state and local ordinances.

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:08:38.700 --> 00:08:40.444 Relate to the pandemic,

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:08:40.444 --> 00:08:42.188 such as mask requirements.

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:08:42.190 --> 00:08:45.196 We have a large nursing division

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:08:45.196 --> 00:08:47.295 that operates and employs nurses

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:08:47.295 --> 00:08:49.850 that are at every public at every

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:08:49.924 --> 00:08:51.608 New Haven Public school.

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:08:51.610 --> 00:08:54.305 As well as a separate clinical department,

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:08:54.310 --> 00:08:55.858 they played a very large role

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:08:55.858 --> 00:08:57.450 in respond to the pandemic,

NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:08:57.450 --> 00:08:59.228 not just in terms of with students,
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:08:59.230 --> 00:09:01.415 but they've been actually redeployed
NOTE Confidence: 0.948730852

00:09:01.415 --> 00:09:03.600 and reallocated to help with
NOTE Confidence: 0.927242334615385

00:09:03.600 --> 00:09:06.546 vaccinations and and earlier in the
NOTE Confidence: 0.927242334615385

00:09:06.546 --> 00:09:09.528 testing regime that we had set up.
NOTE Confidence: 0.927242334615385

00:09:09.530 --> 00:09:12.498 We have a health programs division which has
NOTE Confidence: 0.927242334615385

00:09:12.498 --> 00:09:15.560 a number of different programs including.
NOTE Confidence: 0.927242334615385

00:09:15.560 --> 00:09:17.846 You know our health promotion programs?
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:09:20.170 --> 00:09:23.055 Ryan White programs and our
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:09:23.055 --> 00:09:24.786 vital statistics division,
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:09:24.790 --> 00:09:26.890 as well under the Department of Health,
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:09:26.890 --> 00:09:28.612 our Youth and Recreation Department has
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:09:28.612 --> 00:09:30.950 what we call the Youth Connect program,
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:09:30.950 --> 00:09:33.240 which has a specific focus
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:09:33.240 --> 00:09:35.072 on high risk youth.
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:09:35.080 --> 00:09:36.810 Each high risk youth member

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:09:36.810 --> 00:09:39.006 that's enrolled in the program is

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:09:39.006 --> 00:09:40.626 assigned a dedicated navigator.

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:09:40.630 --> 00:09:43.246 We who's responsible for engaging on

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:09:43.246 --> 00:09:46.169 a regular basis and and navigating

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:09:46.169 --> 00:09:48.899 youth to the appropriate services.

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:09:48.900 --> 00:09:50.811 This is all built on the framework

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:09:50.811 --> 00:09:52.320 of positive youth development,

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:09:52.320 --> 00:09:54.065 so it's really again emphasizes

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:09:54.065 --> 00:09:56.280 not so much a deficit model,

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:09:56.280 --> 00:09:57.960 but really a strength model

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:09:57.960 --> 00:09:59.304 building on their strengths.

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:09:59.310 --> 00:10:03.748 How youth at work employs a between

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:10:03.748 --> 00:10:06.765 250 and 300 youth during the summer

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:10:06.765 --> 00:10:09.354 and some even year round and again.

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:10:09.354 --> 00:10:11.886 This is an evidence based model

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:10:11.890 --> 00:10:13.835 that is linked with reduced
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:10:13.835 --> 00:10:16.402 involvement in in high risk or
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:10:16.402 --> 00:10:18.606 criminogenic activities among youth.
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:10:18.610 --> 00:10:21.616 So we try to offer this employment as much
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:10:21.616 --> 00:10:24.626 as possible in the city for for youth.
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:10:24.630 --> 00:10:26.598 It includes all our recreation programs,
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:10:26.600 --> 00:10:28.060 which some of you if you live in New Haven,
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:10:28.060 --> 00:10:31.476 and certainly if you have young ones,
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:10:31.480 --> 00:10:33.605 may have participated in these
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:10:33.605 --> 00:10:36.202 includes our summer youth camps as
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:10:36.202 --> 00:10:38.590 well as youth activities year round
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:10:38.590 --> 00:10:40.368 in conjunction with the schools.
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:10:40.368 --> 00:10:42.524 We also have a number of Community
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:10:42.524 --> 00:10:44.716 grants that we run out of the
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:10:44.716 --> 00:10:45.932 Youth and Recreation Department
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:10:45.940 --> 00:10:47.640 moving on to elderly services.

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:10:47.640 --> 00:10:50.880 We have operated 3 senior centers.

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:10:50.880 --> 00:10:51.492 Of course,

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:10:51.492 --> 00:10:52.716 those I've actually had

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:10:52.716 --> 00:10:54.290 been closed for the last.

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:10:54.290 --> 00:10:55.730 Almost two years and we plan

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:10:55.730 --> 00:10:57.349 to open them up this month.

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:10:57.350 --> 00:10:58.820 Finally, after many,

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:10:58.820 --> 00:11:01.270 many months of being closed,

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:11:01.270 --> 00:11:04.006 we have some tax benefits administration

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:11:04.006 --> 00:11:06.680 that the Senior Services department.

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:11:06.680 --> 00:11:09.224 Engages in and also quite a bit of

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:11:09.224 --> 00:11:10.978 navigation case management for seniors

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:11:10.978 --> 00:11:13.428 that that call us and need help.

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:11:13.430 --> 00:11:17.648 Our admin and programs section here.

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:11:17.650 --> 00:11:18.604 As I mentioned,

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:11:18.604 --> 00:11:20.194 the special projects and homeless
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:11:20.194 --> 00:11:21.956 services has really expanded in scope
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:11:21.956 --> 00:11:23.920 and scale over the past two years,
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:11:23.920 --> 00:11:25.929 but we also have some exciting work
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:11:25.929 --> 00:11:27.820 happening in food systems and policy
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:11:27.820 --> 00:11:31.156 which focuses on the sort of systems and
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:11:31.156 --> 00:11:33.788 structural issues along with food justice.
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:11:33.790 --> 00:11:35.890 I know some of you,
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:11:35.890 --> 00:11:38.122 some of the team and I don't know
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:11:38.122 --> 00:11:39.948 if they're on this particular.
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:11:39.950 --> 00:11:42.335 Some meeting that have been
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:11:42.335 --> 00:11:44.243 involved in that work,
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:11:44.250 --> 00:11:44.548 really.
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:11:44.548 --> 00:11:46.932 It's less of a focus on direct food
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:11:46.932 --> 00:11:48.888 assistance or emergency food assistance,
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625

00:11:48.890 --> 00:11:50.786 although that is a piece of

NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625
00:11:50.786 --> 00:11:52.491 it that really about setting
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625
00:11:52.491 --> 00:11:54.336 up a more sustainable system
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625
00:11:54.336 --> 00:11:56.410 across a variety of domains,
NOTE Confidence: 0.81184819625
00:11:56.410 --> 00:11:57.720 including environment.
NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559
00:11:59.870 --> 00:12:03.805 You know environmental impact jobs and
NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559
00:12:03.805 --> 00:12:07.675 local food sustainability across the city.
NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559
00:12:07.680 --> 00:12:10.035 We have our financial empowerment
NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559
00:12:10.035 --> 00:12:12.390 work which works directly with
NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559
00:12:12.464 --> 00:12:15.074 individuals who are not typically
NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559
00:12:15.074 --> 00:12:17.684 engaged with basic financial services
NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559
00:12:17.762 --> 00:12:19.970 such as having a bank account,
NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559
00:12:19.970 --> 00:12:21.974 understanding credit scores,
NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559
00:12:21.974 --> 00:12:23.978 understanding basic budgeting.
NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559
00:12:23.980 --> 00:12:26.164 This is a different model than financial
NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559
00:12:26.164 --> 00:12:28.536 education which is not shown to be effective.
NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559

00:12:28.540 --> 00:12:29.418 Where you.
NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559

00:12:29.418 --> 00:12:33.566 Just give people information on how to do a
NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559

00:12:33.566 --> 00:12:36.824 banking or basic financial literacy skills.
NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559

00:12:36.830 --> 00:12:39.707 This is really is an engaged counseling
NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559

00:12:39.707 --> 00:12:42.057 based approach where individual set
NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559

00:12:42.057 --> 00:12:44.602 goals and our financial empowerment
NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559

00:12:44.602 --> 00:12:46.868 counselors help them achieve those goals.
NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559

00:12:46.868 --> 00:12:49.288 It's based on a model that was studied
NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559

00:12:49.288 --> 00:12:51.608 a I believe launched in New York City
NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559

00:12:51.610 --> 00:12:53.758 and now facilitated by the cities
NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559

00:12:53.758 --> 00:12:55.190 for Financial Empowerment Fund.
NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559

00:12:55.190 --> 00:12:56.860 Uhm?
NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559

00:12:56.860 --> 00:12:58.618 We also administer some committee development
NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559

00:12:58.618 --> 00:13:00.599 block grants as part of that division,
NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559

00:13:00.600 --> 00:13:02.504 and of course the the trains have to
NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559

00:13:02.504 --> 00:13:04.859 run on time and the clock stuff to be

NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559

00:13:04.859 --> 00:13:07.389 set correctly so we have a small but

NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559

00:13:07.389 --> 00:13:08.741 mighty operations and administration

NOTE Confidence: 0.86817559

00:13:08.741 --> 00:13:11.047 team that helps all of this this run.

NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:13:13.650 --> 00:13:15.927 I'll just focus in on the next this slide.

NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:13:15.930 --> 00:13:18.090 Here it's just there are new and expanded.

NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:13:18.090 --> 00:13:20.616 A organizational chart for which includes

NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:13:20.616 --> 00:13:23.769 our new Department of Community Resilience.

NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:13:23.770 --> 00:13:25.268 I have a notation here just about

NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:13:25.268 --> 00:13:27.233 just to give you a sense of scale

NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:13:27.233 --> 00:13:28.249 of the whole administration.

NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:13:28.250 --> 00:13:29.538 It's about 120 FPS.

NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:13:29.538 --> 00:13:31.148 This doesn't include our temporary

NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:13:31.148 --> 00:13:33.059 and seasonal workers that can

NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:13:33.059 --> 00:13:34.587 actually balloon that number,

NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:13:34.590 --> 00:13:37.054 but as I mentioned with the youth

NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:13:37.054 --> 00:13:38.812 and seasonals being involved by
NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:13:38.812 --> 00:13:42.538 another 3 to 300 to 350 individuals.
NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:13:42.540 --> 00:13:45.036 We have a budget of approximately
NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:13:45.036 --> 00:13:46.700 28 million a year.
NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:13:46.700 --> 00:13:48.008 The new Department of Kenny Resilience
NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:13:48.008 --> 00:13:49.878 and I'll go into this little more detail,
NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:13:49.880 --> 00:13:52.646 will include a newly established office
NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:13:52.646 --> 00:13:55.044 of violence prevention focusing on
NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:13:55.044 --> 00:13:56.968 community gun violence prevention.
NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:13:56.970 --> 00:13:59.710 It will include our community
NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:13:59.710 --> 00:14:01.354 crisis response efforts,
NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:14:01.360 --> 00:14:04.156 which is our non police civilian
NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:14:04.156 --> 00:14:07.536 response team and Michael Rowe
NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:14:07.536 --> 00:14:10.450 from from your institution has been
NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:14:10.450 --> 00:14:12.707 leading leading up that effort with
NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889

00:14:12.707 --> 00:14:14.856 of course the support of my concern,

NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889
00:14:14.860 --> 00:14:16.332 IAC, our reentry programs.
NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889
00:14:16.332 --> 00:14:19.410 Will be part of this new department.
NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889
00:14:19.410 --> 00:14:19.787 Uh,
NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889
00:14:19.787 --> 00:14:21.295 our homeless services expanded
NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889
00:14:21.295 --> 00:14:23.892 and with the new strategy will be
NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889
00:14:23.892 --> 00:14:25.507 part of this new department.
NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889
00:14:25.510 --> 00:14:29.213 We the we aim to launch a
NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889
00:14:29.213 --> 00:14:30.800 citywide mental health.
NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889
00:14:30.800 --> 00:14:32.785 Coordinated initiative also that will
NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889
00:14:32.785 --> 00:14:35.889 be part of this new department and
NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889
00:14:35.889 --> 00:14:37.983 the coordination around some of our
NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889
00:14:37.983 --> 00:14:40.118 harm reduction work will be integrated
NOTE Confidence: 0.884499328888889
00:14:40.118 --> 00:14:42.170 into this new department as well.
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296
00:14:44.700 --> 00:14:48.250 So let me switch gears and just take a step
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296
00:14:48.250 --> 00:14:52.730 back in time as Doctor Sarniak mentioned,
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:14:52.730 --> 00:14:58.230 I took this job coming on in January of 2020.

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:14:58.230 --> 00:15:00.018 And it's not like we didn't

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:15:00.018 --> 00:15:01.210 know COVID was around.

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:15:01.210 --> 00:15:03.498 As the name suggests,

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:15:03.498 --> 00:15:07.800 COVID-19 was named in 1920, nineteen.

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:15:07.800 --> 00:15:10.656 Uh, it just wasn't top of mind,

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:15:10.660 --> 00:15:12.445 uh, and it certainly wasn't

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:15:12.445 --> 00:15:14.639 part of my expectation that this

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:15:14.639 --> 00:15:16.956 would be an all consuming, UM.

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:15:16.956 --> 00:15:21.408 A crisis when I accepted the job,

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:15:21.410 --> 00:15:23.738 but when Mayor Elicker offered it

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:15:23.740 --> 00:15:26.911 but it became clear within a couple

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:15:26.911 --> 00:15:29.777 of weeks in January that that

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:15:29.777 --> 00:15:31.506 this was going to be something we

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:15:31.506 --> 00:15:33.038 didn't have an understanding of.

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:15:33.040 --> 00:15:34.636 The scale and scope of it,

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296
00:15:34.640 --> 00:15:36.789 but we knew it was going to
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296
00:15:36.789 --> 00:15:38.260 be something most likely,
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296
00:15:38.260 --> 00:15:40.794 and I liken it really to sort
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296
00:15:40.794 --> 00:15:43.076 of being able to, you know,
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296
00:15:43.076 --> 00:15:45.554 being of the vantage point of
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296
00:15:45.554 --> 00:15:47.558 knowing that there was a title.
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296
00:15:47.560 --> 00:15:51.132 Wave. Or a tsunami really.
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296
00:15:51.132 --> 00:15:53.040 Tidal wave is probably a misnomer.
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296
00:15:53.040 --> 00:15:55.266 A tsunami that was set off
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296
00:15:55.266 --> 00:15:56.750 somewhere in the distance.
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296
00:15:56.750 --> 00:15:58.898 And we knew somehow in some
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296
00:15:58.898 --> 00:16:00.845 way we'd be impacted, uh,
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296
00:16:00.845 --> 00:16:02.390 but you know,
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296
00:16:02.390 --> 00:16:04.965 while that tsunami was approaching,
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296
00:16:04.970 --> 00:16:07.826 things were kind of going on as normal.
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:16:07.830 --> 00:16:09.293 Up course, there's a lot of chatter
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:16:09.293 --> 00:16:10.569 in the public health sphere,
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:16:10.570 --> 00:16:11.594 but otherwise things were,
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:16:11.594 --> 00:16:14.969 you know, proceeding as normal.
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:16:14.970 --> 00:16:17.874 And you know the moment that it really
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:16:17.874 --> 00:16:20.878 hit us locally here at least we had
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:16:20.878 --> 00:16:22.720 a little little premonition of it
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:16:22.785 --> 00:16:25.228 when there was the model UN conference.
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:16:25.230 --> 00:16:27.282 That was a folks will remember
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:16:27.282 --> 00:16:29.688 this that was hosted by Yale and
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:16:29.688 --> 00:16:31.751 was cancelled on account of the
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:16:31.751 --> 00:16:33.611 of a student from China coming
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:16:33.611 --> 00:16:35.489 down with flu like symptoms.
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:16:35.490 --> 00:16:35.976 That,
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:16:35.976 --> 00:16:36.462 uh,
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:16:36.462 --> 00:16:39.378 that moment I realized that at

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:16:39.378 --> 00:16:40.350 least internally,

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:16:40.350 --> 00:16:42.738 people were springing to action because

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:16:42.738 --> 00:16:46.166 we understood that it could have been a.

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:16:46.166 --> 00:16:51.078 A quite a severe you know or important

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:16:51.078 --> 00:16:53.288 of important public health implications.

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:16:53.290 --> 00:16:55.060 This is when the chatter started

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:16:55.060 --> 00:16:57.050 with the Department of Public Health.

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:16:57.050 --> 00:16:59.220 The conversations internally on what

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:16:59.220 --> 00:17:02.385 kind of system we will set up when

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:17:02.385 --> 00:17:05.710 the crisis and the and and COVID

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:17:05.710 --> 00:17:08.070 would eventually hit our shores.

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:17:08.070 --> 00:17:09.890 That turned out not to be COVID.

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:17:09.890 --> 00:17:10.750 At least we don't think,

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:17:10.750 --> 00:17:11.497 although you know,

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:17:11.497 --> 00:17:12.742 subsequent studies have shown that

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:17:12.742 --> 00:17:14.245 there it might have been circulating
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:17:14.245 --> 00:17:15.608 as early as January, February.
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:17:15.608 --> 00:17:16.006 Uhm,
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:17:16.006 --> 00:17:19.190 but that did not was not the moment
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:17:19.277 --> 00:17:22.142 that most people remember what most
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:17:22.142 --> 00:17:25.630 people remember when COVID hit was a sudden.
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:17:25.630 --> 00:17:28.129 A shutdown of services in in March
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:17:28.129 --> 00:17:30.302 of 2020 really the second and
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:17:30.302 --> 00:17:33.028 third week in March of 2020 when we
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:17:33.028 --> 00:17:34.723 gathered in the mayor's conference
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:17:34.723 --> 00:17:37.314 room and had to make a call one day
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:17:37.314 --> 00:17:39.315 in advance of when the mayor and
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:17:39.315 --> 00:17:41.748 the governor did of whether to to
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:17:41.748 --> 00:17:44.010 to shut down our public schools.
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:17:44.010 --> 00:17:46.614 And we kind of understood the gravity
NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:17:46.614 --> 00:17:48.628 of the situation at the time.

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:17:48.630 --> 00:17:50.184 And although there were some public

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:17:50.184 --> 00:17:51.580 health folks that were saying,

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:17:51.580 --> 00:17:52.075 well, you know,

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:17:52.075 --> 00:17:53.729 you just shut it down for a couple days.

NOTE Confidence: 0.920447296

00:17:53.730 --> 00:17:55.370 Let the virus passing this.

NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:17:55.370 --> 00:17:57.533 This sounds quaint right now and then

NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:17:57.533 --> 00:17:59.946 you can reopen them once the the way

NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:17:59.946 --> 00:18:01.910 the pandemic and the virus recedes.

NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:18:01.910 --> 00:18:04.290 That was actually part of the conversation,

NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:18:04.290 --> 00:18:06.070 but I think in the back of my our minds,

NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:18:06.070 --> 00:18:07.354 we knew that that decision was

NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:18:07.354 --> 00:18:09.288 going to be a very significant one,

NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:18:09.290 --> 00:18:11.330 and that potentially a long

NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:18:11.330 --> 00:18:13.750 long term and long lasting one.

NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:18:13.750 --> 00:18:14.926 But at the end of the day,

NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:18:14.930 --> 00:18:17.396 we did not have a playbook.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:18:17.400 --> 00:18:19.800 And that's what that was.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:18:19.800 --> 00:18:20.988 That's something that sticks
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:18:20.988 --> 00:18:22.473 with me to this day.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:18:22.480 --> 00:18:24.795 Uhm, I remember having conversations
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:18:24.795 --> 00:18:27.501 with public health professionals both at
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:18:27.501 --> 00:18:30.012 the state and national level and their
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:18:30.012 --> 00:18:32.324 response to us again, seems quaint.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:18:32.324 --> 00:18:34.420 Now, was that we do have a playbook.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:18:34.420 --> 00:18:36.850 Just use the influenza pandemic playbook.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:18:36.850 --> 00:18:38.044 That was developed.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:18:38.044 --> 00:18:38.840 You know.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:18:38.840 --> 00:18:40.177 Probably I don't know the exact term,
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:18:40.180 --> 00:18:42.959 but in 1999, twenty one years ago,
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:18:42.960 --> 00:18:44.950 I remember poring through that
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:18:44.950 --> 00:18:47.530 playbook and it did not inform.

NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:18:47.530 --> 00:18:49.636 Or help us understand what kind
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:18:49.636 --> 00:18:51.899 of actions that we would need
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:18:51.899 --> 00:18:53.854 to take to address COVID-19.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:18:53.860 --> 00:18:56.205 In effect we were flying blind blind.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:18:56.210 --> 00:18:59.320 We had really zero visibility.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:18:59.320 --> 00:19:02.458 Or minimal visibility on the scope,
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:19:02.460 --> 00:19:05.796 the severity or the scale of the crisis.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:19:05.800 --> 00:19:07.882 You know we were relying on
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:19:07.882 --> 00:19:08.923 symptom based reporting.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:19:08.930 --> 00:19:12.129 We did not have a data infrastructure
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:19:12.129 --> 00:19:14.510 infrastructure set up at the outset
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:19:14.510 --> 00:19:18.162 to to monitor and track and acquire
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:19:18.162 --> 00:19:19.833 the appropriate information,
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:19:19.840 --> 00:19:21.884 and I guess the only saving grace
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:19:21.884 --> 00:19:24.417 is that we were all in it together.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:19:24.420 --> 00:19:26.448 Flying blind and we.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:19:26.448 --> 00:19:30.280 I think we acted as best as we.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:19:30.280 --> 00:19:33.200 Knew how and according to our you know,
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:19:33.200 --> 00:19:35.520 intuitions and our public health
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:19:35.520 --> 00:19:37.962 background on how to address this
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:19:37.962 --> 00:19:39.999 in the early days of the crisis.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:19:40.000 --> 00:19:40.423 Uhm?
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:19:40.423 --> 00:19:43.384 One of the the other moments that
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:19:43.384 --> 00:19:46.274 sticks with me is a understanding
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:19:46.274 --> 00:19:48.719 the implications of these four
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:19:48.720 --> 00:19:51.352 populations that are vulnerable.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:19:51.352 --> 00:19:52.668 Very specifically,
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:19:52.670 --> 00:19:53.708 their homeless population,
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:19:53.708 --> 00:19:57.128 and I'll get to this a little bit more later.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:19:57.130 --> 00:20:00.135 But obviously it was having
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:20:00.135 --> 00:20:02.539 individuals housed in congregate

NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:20:02.539 --> 00:20:05.498 settings was a recipe for disaster.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:20:05.500 --> 00:20:06.001 Again,
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:20:06.001 --> 00:20:09.692 not knowing at the time how severe and
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:20:09.692 --> 00:20:12.056 how many individuals could be impacted.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:20:12.060 --> 00:20:14.734 So I remember a group of folks,
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:20:14.740 --> 00:20:17.810 volunteers or homeless service providers,
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:20:17.810 --> 00:20:19.994 people who were just willing to stand
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:20:19.994 --> 00:20:23.012 up to the to the stand up and and
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:20:23.012 --> 00:20:25.812 and help got together and develop.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:20:25.812 --> 00:20:27.306 They complicated but.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:20:27.310 --> 00:20:29.470 Rapidly executed logistical plan to
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:20:29.470 --> 00:20:32.300 move people out of congregate settings.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:20:32.300 --> 00:20:34.530 And we're talking, you know,
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:20:34.530 --> 00:20:36.280 between 200 and 300 individuals
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619
00:20:36.280 --> 00:20:38.470 that were up until Middle March,
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:20:38.470 --> 00:20:40.255 using Congress settings for their
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:20:40.255 --> 00:20:42.834 primary place of shelter and moving
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:20:42.834 --> 00:20:45.694 them into non congregate spaces,
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:20:45.700 --> 00:20:49.940 namely hotel rooms and many late nights.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:20:49.940 --> 00:20:51.610 Many, many tough conversations.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:20:51.610 --> 00:20:54.010 But I think we were ultimately
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:20:54.010 --> 00:20:56.144 successful in moving folks into those
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:20:56.144 --> 00:20:58.000 facilities over the course of a.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:20:58.000 --> 00:20:59.200 A couple of weeks.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:20:59.200 --> 00:21:00.100 And in fact,
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:21:00.100 --> 00:21:01.320 that is something we're maintaining.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:21:01.320 --> 00:21:02.658 This is a model that we're
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:21:02.658 --> 00:21:03.550 maintaining to this day.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:21:03.550 --> 00:21:05.440 This winter we aim to house folks
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:21:05.440 --> 00:21:07.210 not in congregate spaces primarily.
NOTE Confidence: 0.892600229047619

00:21:07.210 --> 00:21:09.926 There'll be some congruent in in in,

NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857
00:21:09.930 --> 00:21:12.030 sort of minimal settings, but in general,
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857
00:21:12.030 --> 00:21:13.885 the individuals who are experiencing
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857
00:21:13.885 --> 00:21:16.122 homelessness in New Haven will have
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857
00:21:16.122 --> 00:21:18.072 the opportunity to move into non
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857
00:21:18.072 --> 00:21:22.388 congruent settings hotel based settings.
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857
00:21:22.390 --> 00:21:26.638 And again, I just think that it was
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857
00:21:26.640 --> 00:21:28.654 another aspect of this was, you know,
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857
00:21:28.654 --> 00:21:29.964 a team of medical professionals.
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857
00:21:29.970 --> 00:21:32.034 I think some of them may have been
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857
00:21:32.034 --> 00:21:33.577 involved with the Yale Department
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857
00:21:33.577 --> 00:21:35.722 psychiatry in some way came together
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857
00:21:35.722 --> 00:21:38.400 and helped us put together a protocol
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857
00:21:38.400 --> 00:21:42.615 on a playbook to run a COVID-19 respite
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857
00:21:42.615 --> 00:21:45.147 Center for individuals experiencing
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857
00:21:45.150 --> 00:21:47.110 homelessness and didn't have another.
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857

00:21:47.110 --> 00:21:49.606 Another place to go. And again,
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857

00:21:49.610 --> 00:21:51.570 that was a huge effort and appreciate.
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857

00:21:51.570 --> 00:21:53.166 All the volunteerism that went into that,
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857

00:21:53.170 --> 00:21:57.230 including staffing the center 24/7.
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857

00:21:57.230 --> 00:22:01.078 Uh, again. We didn't know what to expect,
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857

00:22:01.080 --> 00:22:03.264 so we planned for a surge capacity.
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857

00:22:03.270 --> 00:22:04.950 Based on, you know, basic modeling
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857

00:22:04.950 --> 00:22:07.278 that we did in terms of the impact.
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857

00:22:07.280 --> 00:22:09.807 We thought it may have on the
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857

00:22:09.807 --> 00:22:10.529 homeless population.
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857

00:22:10.530 --> 00:22:12.186 We anticipated that we could have
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857

00:22:12.186 --> 00:22:16.400 seen up to 4050 cases at a time.
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857

00:22:16.400 --> 00:22:19.249 Luckily, we never got to that amount.
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857

00:22:19.250 --> 00:22:21.476 We in fact only really had to
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857

00:22:21.476 --> 00:22:22.951 accommodate about 15 individuals
NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857

00:22:22.951 --> 00:22:25.675 throughout the course of the pandemic,

NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857

00:22:25.680 --> 00:22:27.830 but I think at the end of the day it

NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857

00:22:27.895 --> 00:22:30.660 was very important to have a dedicated

NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857

00:22:30.660 --> 00:22:32.435 COVID-19 isolation facility respite

NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857

00:22:32.435 --> 00:22:35.075 facility for those experiencing homelessness.

NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857

00:22:35.080 --> 00:22:35.483 Again,

NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857

00:22:35.483 --> 00:22:37.498 I applaud the individuals involved.

NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857

00:22:37.500 --> 00:22:39.649 It was done without a real playbook.

NOTE Confidence: 0.910575527142857

00:22:39.650 --> 00:22:41.010 It was done ground up.

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:22:44.570 --> 00:22:47.684 So, beyond the public health and

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:22:47.684 --> 00:22:49.760 disease implications of COVID-19,

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:22:49.760 --> 00:22:53.130 there was obvious social and

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:22:53.130 --> 00:22:57.860 economic implications. Uhm and.

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:22:57.860 --> 00:23:00.681 Again, one of the most memorable ones

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:23:00.681 --> 00:23:02.985 and impactful ones was this call

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:23:02.985 --> 00:23:05.351 for change in the summer of 2020.

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:23:05.360 --> 00:23:11.782 Uhm, whereby we had the the the
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:23:11.782 --> 00:23:14.908 murder of George Floyd but many
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:23:14.908 --> 00:23:17.259 others preceding George Floyd.
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:23:17.260 --> 00:23:19.600 And a call for police reform.
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:23:19.600 --> 00:23:21.936 In the context of this global
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:23:21.936 --> 00:23:24.560 pandemic and economic upheaval.
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:23:24.560 --> 00:23:27.566 Uh, and this is something that you know I,
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:23:27.570 --> 00:23:29.712 I haven't seen anything like this before
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:23:29.712 --> 00:23:32.376 in terms of a rapid social movement and
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:23:32.376 --> 00:23:34.530 and and translation to actual policy.
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:23:34.530 --> 00:23:36.612 You know within months there was
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:23:36.612 --> 00:23:38.000 a police accountability bill
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:23:38.059 --> 00:23:39.707 passed the state legislature.
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:23:39.710 --> 00:23:42.094 We can talk about how this feels again
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:23:42.094 --> 00:23:44.097 feels different with the lens of history
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:23:44.097 --> 00:23:46.278 and the and the backlash to these this.

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:23:46.280 --> 00:23:48.510 This movement and related movements.

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:23:48.510 --> 00:23:51.440 But at the time there was a real sense that

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:23:51.513 --> 00:23:54.375 folks were calling for fundamental change.

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:23:54.380 --> 00:23:58.058 To how we thought of policing.

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:23:58.060 --> 00:23:58.508 Ultimately,

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:23:58.508 --> 00:24:01.644 you know we at the city level.

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:01.650 --> 00:24:03.150 Our job is to integrate,

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:03.150 --> 00:24:04.725 you know, feedback from various

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:04.725 --> 00:24:05.985 stakeholders and understand the

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:05.985 --> 00:24:07.349 existing systems and structures.

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:07.350 --> 00:24:09.190 So we we did not,

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:09.190 --> 00:24:09.806 you know,

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:09.806 --> 00:24:11.962 go the Minneapolis route or some of

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:11.962 --> 00:24:14.642 the other cities rounds and and on the

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:14.642 --> 00:24:16.526 spectrum of you know, abolishing police.

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:16.526 --> 00:24:18.166 But we really took not.
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:18.170 --> 00:24:20.704 And you know we took and and
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:20.704 --> 00:24:22.504 and modern or approach.
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:22.504 --> 00:24:25.850 But button and approach in terms of.
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:25.850 --> 00:24:26.381 Uh,
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:26.381 --> 00:24:29.036 holding police accountable to higher
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:29.036 --> 00:24:31.561 standard training police where it
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:31.561 --> 00:24:33.635 made sense and really took a stock
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:33.635 --> 00:24:35.886 of how really was the the police
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:35.886 --> 00:24:38.166 relationship and and with the New
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:38.166 --> 00:24:39.942 Haven community and in general it
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:39.942 --> 00:24:42.349 was not like it was in other cities.
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:42.350 --> 00:24:45.262 We had overwhelming overwhelmingly.
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:45.262 --> 00:24:48.845 Citizens tell us they had relatively
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:48.845 --> 00:24:50.705 good experiences with police.
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:50.710 --> 00:24:51.655 Very, very important.

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:51.655 --> 00:24:53.230 Exceptions are part of that,

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:53.230 --> 00:24:55.844 but when we did a 360.

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:55.844 --> 00:24:58.690 The review of that we ultimately

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:24:58.690 --> 00:25:00.820 thought our Police Department was an

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:25:00.820 --> 00:25:02.836 asset in helping us along this journey,

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:25:02.840 --> 00:25:03.728 rather than a detractor.

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:25:03.728 --> 00:25:05.754 And I know that there are, you know,

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:25:05.754 --> 00:25:06.795 obvious philosophical debates

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:25:06.795 --> 00:25:08.530 to be had about that,

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:25:08.530 --> 00:25:11.036 but ultimately that's the reality of of

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:25:11.036 --> 00:25:13.860 of how things are currently in New Haven.

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:25:13.860 --> 00:25:15.096 There's a lot of the police

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:25:15.096 --> 00:25:16.540 still have a lot of goodwill.

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:25:16.540 --> 00:25:17.051 Uhm,

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:25:17.051 --> 00:25:20.117 so in addition to proposing a

NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:25:20.117 --> 00:25:22.244 alternative to police response
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:25:22.244 --> 00:25:25.220 in cases where it made sense,
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:25:25.220 --> 00:25:27.936 we we took the approach of having
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:25:27.936 --> 00:25:30.343 police being held to a higher
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:25:30.343 --> 00:25:32.283 standard and training police to
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:25:32.283 --> 00:25:35.218 also be competent at dealing with
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:25:35.218 --> 00:25:37.340 certain certain types of calls
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:25:37.340 --> 00:25:39.500 for service that that that could
NOTE Confidence: 0.936411462

00:25:39.500 --> 00:25:41.737 go wrong and could go badly.
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:25:47.110 --> 00:25:50.719 So just some numbers in New Haven in terms
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:25:50.719 --> 00:25:53.946 of you know what we're seeing in terms of
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:25:53.946 --> 00:25:56.867 the scale and the scope of the problem.
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:25:56.870 --> 00:25:59.120 The COVID-19 era has exposed
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:25:59.120 --> 00:26:00.920 long-term vulnerabilities that are
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:26:00.920 --> 00:26:03.088 complex and highly highly related.
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:26:03.090 --> 00:26:04.690 There are 400 persons experiencing

NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:26:04.690 --> 00:26:05.970 homelessness in New Haven.
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:26:05.970 --> 00:26:08.352 About 50% of those are black
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:26:08.352 --> 00:26:09.543 or African American.
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:26:09.550 --> 00:26:12.196 Some of those returning from incarceration
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:26:12.200 --> 00:26:14.978 80% have a substance use history,
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:26:14.980 --> 00:26:17.800 64% do not have a GD or high school diploma.
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:26:17.800 --> 00:26:22.286 Diploma, 71% or not employed and 36% more.
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:26:22.286 --> 00:26:24.418 There are experiencing homelessness.
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:26:24.420 --> 00:26:26.965 We have approximately 40% of
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:26:26.965 --> 00:26:29.510 individuals with substance use disorder.
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:26:29.510 --> 00:26:32.856 Also have a coca ring mental illness.
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:26:32.860 --> 00:26:36.080 And according to a recent survey from
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:26:36.080 --> 00:26:38.539 the Connecticut Department Public Health,
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:26:38.540 --> 00:26:39.503 although recent meaning,
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:26:39.503 --> 00:26:42.628 I think it's been a couple years on now,
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:26:42.628 --> 00:26:45.262 about 60% of New Haven adults
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:26:45.262 --> 00:26:47.610 have experienced childhood trauma,
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:26:47.610 --> 00:26:49.970 and I believe that's defined by by two
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:26:49.970 --> 00:26:52.560 or more adverse childhood experiences.
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:26:52.560 --> 00:26:56.100 Overdoses were up 15% in 2020.
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:26:56.100 --> 00:26:59.701 This trend is continuing up in 2021.
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:26:59.701 --> 00:26:59.882 Well,
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:26:59.882 --> 00:27:01.640 I guess that's a little bit of miss number.
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:27:01.640 --> 00:27:03.320 It's it's level, it's it continues.
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:27:03.320 --> 00:27:06.080 Hi, it's still still higher than 2019 levels,
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:27:06.080 --> 00:27:08.678 although it's not as a luckily the
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:27:08.678 --> 00:27:10.423 the trend line hasn't continued
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:27:10.423 --> 00:27:12.439 to increase as much as before.
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:27:12.440 --> 00:27:12.731 Uhm,
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:27:12.731 --> 00:27:14.768 of course the highest risk for overdose
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:27:14.768 --> 00:27:17.160 deaths are those who are housing insecurity.

NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:27:17.160 --> 00:27:19.278 Those with untreated mental health issues.
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:27:19.280 --> 00:27:21.728 And we also see in the data which is
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:27:21.728 --> 00:27:23.238 reflected nationally that there's
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:27:23.238 --> 00:27:25.584 a convergence in terms of opioid
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:27:25.584 --> 00:27:27.599 overdoses and opioid overdose related
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:27:27.599 --> 00:27:30.380 death among black and African American
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:27:30.380 --> 00:27:33.257 rates which are converging on on
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:27:33.257 --> 00:27:35.262 what was traditionally more higher
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:27:35.262 --> 00:27:38.281 in in in white populations are
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:27:38.281 --> 00:27:40.686 homicides have also been up.
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:27:40.690 --> 00:27:44.640 23 homicides to date in 2021 we
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:27:44.640 --> 00:27:47.610 had 20 homicides total in 2020,
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:27:47.610 --> 00:27:49.990 which represented a significant increase
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:27:49.990 --> 00:27:53.060 from our homicides in 2019 and,
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667
00:27:53.060 --> 00:27:55.130 although almost exclusively,
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:27:55.130 --> 00:27:58.620 the homicides have been between
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:27:58.620 --> 00:28:03.730 individuals who are known to each other.
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:28:03.730 --> 00:28:05.895 Reverberating impact and trauma of
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:28:05.895 --> 00:28:08.060 these homicides in the community
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:28:08.134 --> 00:28:09.170 is is very real,
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:28:09.170 --> 00:28:12.117 and every time we have a conversation
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:28:12.117 --> 00:28:14.663 about community gun violence with
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:28:14.663 --> 00:28:17.728 community members and experts alike,
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:28:17.730 --> 00:28:19.968 we understand that the these homicides
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:28:19.968 --> 00:28:22.589 are not just a policing issue.
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:28:22.590 --> 00:28:23.910 Although that's part of it.
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:28:23.910 --> 00:28:26.352 But there's driven by this underlying
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:28:26.352 --> 00:28:27.595 unmet social, emotional,
NOTE Confidence: 0.852610984166667

00:28:27.595 --> 00:28:29.720 economic needs in the community.
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:28:34.700 --> 00:28:37.214 So we've actually undertaken a series
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:28:37.214 --> 00:28:40.228 of responses to this evolving set of

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:28:40.228 --> 00:28:43.161 challenges and and needs of the community.

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:28:43.170 --> 00:28:45.186 Again, not focusing so much on the

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:28:45.186 --> 00:28:46.560 public health response directly,

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:28:46.560 --> 00:28:50.298 but some some of its related challenges.

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:28:50.300 --> 00:28:53.378 Uh, in the summer of 2020.

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:28:53.380 --> 00:28:56.719 Uh, we announced that we would be

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:28:56.719 --> 00:28:59.637 exploring a framework to set up

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:28:59.637 --> 00:29:01.967 a Community crisis response team.

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:29:01.970 --> 00:29:04.420 This is the non police alternative response.

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:29:04.420 --> 00:29:08.904 A team that would be a pillar of our

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:29:08.904 --> 00:29:11.976 first response system and we started.

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:29:11.980 --> 00:29:14.992 You know our our framework planning

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:29:14.992 --> 00:29:16.498 informal community engagements,

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:29:16.500 --> 00:29:18.356 key stakeholder interviews and

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:29:18.356 --> 00:29:21.140 research into other other what other

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:29:21.214 --> 00:29:23.638 municipalities had done in in this.
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:29:23.640 --> 00:29:25.870 And what they've succeeded in.
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:29:25.870 --> 00:29:28.169 In the fall of 2020, uh,
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:29:28.169 --> 00:29:30.923 we rebranded and relaunched a coalition
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:29:30.923 --> 00:29:33.809 focused on opioid overdose reduction,
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:29:33.810 --> 00:29:36.648 rebranding as the Harm Reduction coalition.
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:29:36.650 --> 00:29:38.869 It was the initial impetus for this
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:29:38.869 --> 00:29:40.784 as many folks may here remember
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:29:40.784 --> 00:29:44.130 was a K2 overdose event on the
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:29:44.130 --> 00:29:46.880 New Haven Green in 2018,
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:29:46.880 --> 00:29:49.582 and that was the impetus to farm
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:29:49.582 --> 00:29:51.460 the Overdose Response Coalition
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:29:51.460 --> 00:29:53.176 that had sort of been paused.
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:29:53.180 --> 00:29:55.890 As administrations were switching back.
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:29:55.890 --> 00:29:57.716 In 2019-2020,
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:29:57.716 --> 00:29:59.912 but we reactivated it and now

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:29:59.912 --> 00:30:02.483 is a very robust and active

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:02.483 --> 00:30:04.813 coalition of over 16 individuals.

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:04.820 --> 00:30:05.312 30 members.

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:05.312 --> 00:30:07.988 I know some of some of you on this call

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:07.988 --> 00:30:10.280 participate in it as a harm reduction

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:10.280 --> 00:30:12.260 coalition and we actually engaged a

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:12.329 --> 00:30:14.764 national funder and national public

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:14.764 --> 00:30:16.712 health organizations vital strategies

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:16.720 --> 00:30:19.324 to help US staff this coalition with

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:19.324 --> 00:30:21.330 the harm reduction coordinator.

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:21.330 --> 00:30:23.834 That position is currently open by the way,

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:23.840 --> 00:30:25.810 hint, hint.

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:25.810 --> 00:30:27.292 So if anyone's interested in coming

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:27.292 --> 00:30:29.322 on board and helping with this, uh,

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:29.322 --> 00:30:32.634 that would be a great opportunity.

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:32.640 --> 00:30:33.362 And, uh,
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:33.362 --> 00:30:35.528 this this coalition has been very
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:35.528 --> 00:30:37.666 active over the past year and a
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:37.666 --> 00:30:40.012 half past year or so in initiatives
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:40.012 --> 00:30:41.419 throughout the city.
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:41.420 --> 00:30:42.526 Uhm, uh?
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:42.526 --> 00:30:45.291 We launched officially our reentry
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:45.291 --> 00:30:48.400 welcome center hosted by project more,
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:48.400 --> 00:30:49.910 a nonprofit with deep history
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:49.910 --> 00:30:52.200 in the in the New Haven area,
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:52.200 --> 00:30:54.656 helping those who previously
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:54.656 --> 00:30:55.998 incarcerated to date,
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:55.998 --> 00:30:57.818 we've had very successful outcomes.
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:57.820 --> 00:30:59.490 They've seen approximately 100 clients
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:30:59.490 --> 00:31:01.160 at the reentry Welcome Center,
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:01.160 --> 00:31:04.363 which is a wrap around drop in Center

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:04.363 --> 00:31:06.668 for those with incarceration history.

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:06.670 --> 00:31:07.100 Importantly,

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:07.100 --> 00:31:09.250 those who are immediately returning

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:09.250 --> 00:31:10.628 from incarceration incarceration

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:10.628 --> 00:31:12.998 can actually have a hand,

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:13.000 --> 00:31:14.720 you know, sort of a warm hand off.

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:14.720 --> 00:31:17.448 In a welcome right at the moment

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:17.448 --> 00:31:18.356 that they dropped off,

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:18.360 --> 00:31:21.464 given that the hours and logistics work out.

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:21.470 --> 00:31:21.872 Uh,

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:21.872 --> 00:31:24.284 or they can be referred anyone

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:24.284 --> 00:31:25.490 with an incarceration.

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:25.490 --> 00:31:27.530 History can be referred here for,

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:27.530 --> 00:31:29.315 for wrap around services assessments

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:29.315 --> 00:31:30.743 and wrap around services.

NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:30.750 --> 00:31:32.208 In any case,
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:32.208 --> 00:31:36.220 100 clients have been seen over the past.
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:36.220 --> 00:31:39.060 Almost almost a year,
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:39.060 --> 00:31:40.610 it's about 10 months now.
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:40.610 --> 00:31:43.454 And this resulted in only one
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:43.454 --> 00:31:45.350 individual being rearrested that
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:45.428 --> 00:31:47.568 did not get re incarcerated,
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:47.570 --> 00:31:49.230 so an amazing success rate.
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:49.230 --> 00:31:50.458 I know it's anecdotal,
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:50.458 --> 00:31:51.379 it's only one,
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:51.380 --> 00:31:53.916 but I'm hoping that continues where you know,
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:53.920 --> 00:31:54.666 by comparison,
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:54.666 --> 00:31:56.531 the National Statistics and studies
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:56.531 --> 00:31:59.062 show that there's you know at least a,
NOTE Confidence: 0.866316173

00:31:59.062 --> 00:31:59.670 I believe,
NOTE Confidence: 0.777079561333333

00:31:59.670 --> 00:32:02.469 a 30 a third of a chance of every

NOTE Confidence: 0.777079561333333

00:32:02.469 --> 00:32:04.367 incarceration in a three year period.

NOTE Confidence: 0.777079561333333

00:32:04.370 --> 00:32:08.222 So we're really, really happy about those

NOTE Confidence: 0.777079561333333

00:32:08.222 --> 00:32:12.520 those outcomes to date on those. Uhm?

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:32:14.810 --> 00:32:21.492 In uh, the. Early part of this year we

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:32:21.492 --> 00:32:24.668 also announced that we are taking a

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:32:24.668 --> 00:32:27.310 new approach to homelessness services.

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:32:27.310 --> 00:32:29.791 This is on the heels of many many

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:32:29.791 --> 00:32:31.828 resources coming down to help us with

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:32:31.828 --> 00:32:34.366 this from the federal government and

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:32:34.366 --> 00:32:39.625 we we aim to assuming we can find the

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:32:39.625 --> 00:32:42.220 appropriate facility and the sighting.

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:32:42.220 --> 00:32:45.160 To really reduce our.

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:32:45.160 --> 00:32:48.080 Reliance on congregate type facilities,

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:32:48.080 --> 00:32:50.757 where, uh, where the model is, folks.

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:32:50.757 --> 00:32:53.373 You know, line up and walk in to

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:32:53.373 --> 00:32:55.660 try to get a bed on a daily basis,
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:32:55.660 --> 00:32:57.630 and then they they have to leave
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:32:57.630 --> 00:32:59.158 the facility every morning.
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:32:59.160 --> 00:33:02.170 We really want to try to transform
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:33:02.170 --> 00:33:06.016 that system to to a much more humane
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:33:06.016 --> 00:33:08.476 and dignified version of services.
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:33:08.480 --> 00:33:10.646 The need for emergency shelter will
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:33:10.646 --> 00:33:13.630 never go away in the immediate future.
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:33:13.630 --> 00:33:15.102 But that type of service I think we
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:33:15.102 --> 00:33:16.565 have the potential to really think
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:33:16.565 --> 00:33:18.143 differently about what it looks like,
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:33:18.150 --> 00:33:20.494 especially based on experience
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:33:20.494 --> 00:33:23.084 with housing individuals in hotels
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:33:23.084 --> 00:33:26.010 over the past year and a half.
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:33:26.010 --> 00:33:29.096 That can be a site where you know
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:33:29.096 --> 00:33:32.127 folks that really have a much more

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:33:32.127 --> 00:33:35.360 humane and sort of way to be.

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:33:35.360 --> 00:33:36.888 Sheltered and get connected

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:33:36.888 --> 00:33:38.798 to services and get put.

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:33:38.800 --> 00:33:41.887 Get put on a pathway to more

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:33:41.887 --> 00:33:43.210 permanent housing solutions.

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:33:43.210 --> 00:33:45.190 Uhm?

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:33:45.190 --> 00:33:48.083 We established so in the spring of 2021

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:33:48.083 --> 00:33:50.248 we establish an interagency workgroup

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:33:50.248 --> 00:33:52.849 to address increases commit gun violence.

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:33:52.850 --> 00:33:54.164 We established and announced plans to

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:33:54.164 --> 00:33:56.035 launch an office of Gun Violence that has

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:33:56.035 --> 00:33:57.463 officially been established now and now.

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:33:57.470 --> 00:34:00.734 We're looking to staff that up as well.

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:34:00.740 --> 00:34:04.394 We also launched a post trauma Response

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:34:04.394 --> 00:34:06.576 team which would supplement some of the

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:34:06.576 --> 00:34:08.281 post trauma response that was already
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:34:08.281 --> 00:34:09.937 going on through your child studies.
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:34:09.940 --> 00:34:12.090 While working with Clifford beers
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:34:12.090 --> 00:34:16.106 to give a sort of a more community
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:34:16.106 --> 00:34:17.854 oriented approach to responding
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:34:17.854 --> 00:34:19.670 directly to the neighborhood,
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:34:19.670 --> 00:34:21.955 canvassing folks who may have
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:34:21.955 --> 00:34:24.240 been impacted by the trauma.
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:34:24.240 --> 00:34:25.008 Potentially not.
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:34:25.008 --> 00:34:26.160 First hand necessarily,
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:34:26.160 --> 00:34:28.800 but but just by being virtue of their
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:34:28.800 --> 00:34:31.110 proximity to to some traumatic event.
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:34:31.110 --> 00:34:35.280 Uh, we launched that in the summer of 2021,
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:34:35.280 --> 00:34:39.810 uh? In, uh, I'll send this summer 2021.
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:34:39.810 --> 00:34:42.640 We engaged with the perch.
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:34:42.640 --> 00:34:45.472 CMHC yelled department psychiatry,

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:34:45.472 --> 00:34:48.304 Communicare Consultation Center and

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:34:48.304 --> 00:34:51.559 its consortium of organizations to

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:34:51.559 --> 00:34:54.073 really help us with the community

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:34:54.073 --> 00:34:56.556 engagement and planning piece of the

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:34:56.556 --> 00:34:59.003 crisis response team and very glad

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:34:59.003 --> 00:35:01.589 to say that's making great progress.

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:35:01.590 --> 00:35:03.200 We've had a number of listening sessions.

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:35:03.200 --> 00:35:05.024 I'm happy to talk a little bit more

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:35:05.024 --> 00:35:07.016 about that in the Q&A that had been very.

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:35:07.020 --> 00:35:10.775 Informative and revealing onto community

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:35:10.775 --> 00:35:13.010 input and what what the community

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:35:13.010 --> 00:35:15.189 wants to see out of this team.

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:35:15.190 --> 00:35:15.497 Uh,

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:35:15.497 --> 00:35:17.646 and we're hoping to actually have a

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:35:17.646 --> 00:35:20.394 team a pilot team in the field by the

NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:35:20.394 --> 00:35:22.979 early part of next year with this is,
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:35:22.979 --> 00:35:24.694 we're very excited about that.
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:35:24.700 --> 00:35:27.294 And in the fall of 2021 the board
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:35:27.294 --> 00:35:29.442 of Alders reviewed and approved the
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:35:29.442 --> 00:35:31.389 creation of a new city department.
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:35:31.390 --> 00:35:32.720 This doesn't happen very often.
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:35:32.720 --> 00:35:34.720 I believe the last department
NOTE Confidence: 0.322750715

00:35:34.720 --> 00:35:36.720 was created over a decade
NOTE Confidence: 0.874109961818182

00:35:36.801 --> 00:35:39.757 ago and it really kind of showed the
NOTE Confidence: 0.874109961818182

00:35:39.757 --> 00:35:41.998 support and focus on making sure
NOTE Confidence: 0.874109961818182

00:35:41.998 --> 00:35:43.778 the city has some institutional
NOTE Confidence: 0.874109961818182

00:35:43.778 --> 00:35:45.818 structure to address these issues.
NOTE Confidence: 0.874109961818182

00:35:45.820 --> 00:35:46.608 For the long term.
NOTE Confidence: 0.7010829

00:35:49.600 --> 00:35:51.626 Some of the opportunities I alluded
NOTE Confidence: 0.7010829

00:35:51.626 --> 00:35:54.062 to earlier came down in the form
NOTE Confidence: 0.7010829

00:35:54.062 --> 00:35:56.553 of federal aid or are still

NOTE Confidence: 0.7010829

00:35:56.553 --> 00:35:58.959 coming down form of federal aid.

NOTE Confidence: 0.7010829

00:35:58.960 --> 00:36:02.098 We have a \$2 million plus

NOTE Confidence: 0.7010829

00:36:02.098 --> 00:36:04.710 investment from the CARES Act,

NOTE Confidence: 0.7010829

00:36:04.710 --> 00:36:07.670 which was passed in 2020.

NOTE Confidence: 0.7010829

00:36:07.670 --> 00:36:09.632 And we're using it to really

NOTE Confidence: 0.7010829

00:36:09.632 --> 00:36:11.500 double down on permanent housing.

NOTE Confidence: 0.7010829

00:36:11.500 --> 00:36:13.882 We've supported agencies to place over

NOTE Confidence: 0.7010829

00:36:13.882 --> 00:36:16.017 600 individuals who are experiencing

NOTE Confidence: 0.7010829

00:36:16.017 --> 00:36:17.937 homelessness into permanent housing

NOTE Confidence: 0.7010829

00:36:17.937 --> 00:36:20.727 situations and units in in the

NOTE Confidence: 0.7010829

00:36:20.727 --> 00:36:22.647 ways that makes sense for them.

NOTE Confidence: 0.7010829

00:36:22.650 --> 00:36:24.385 And I mentioned this strategy

NOTE Confidence: 0.7010829

00:36:24.385 --> 00:36:25.773 on non congregate sheltering.

NOTE Confidence: 0.7010829

00:36:25.780 --> 00:36:26.384 We really,

NOTE Confidence: 0.7010829

00:36:26.384 --> 00:36:28.196 really are aiming to move to

NOTE Confidence: 0.7010829

00:36:28.196 --> 00:36:30.254 find an appropriate spot for
NOTE Confidence: 0.7010829

00:36:30.254 --> 00:36:31.637 non congregate spaces.
NOTE Confidence: 0.806945066666667

00:36:33.690 --> 00:36:35.870 The American Rescue Plan gave
NOTE Confidence: 0.806945066666667

00:36:35.870 --> 00:36:38.650 us 115 million in direct aid.
NOTE Confidence: 0.806945066666667

00:36:38.650 --> 00:36:40.698 Most of that has not been allocated yet.
NOTE Confidence: 0.806945066666667

00:36:40.700 --> 00:36:43.122 It's subject to a community input process
NOTE Confidence: 0.806945066666667

00:36:43.122 --> 00:36:45.695 and now will soon go before the board
NOTE Confidence: 0.806945066666667

00:36:45.695 --> 00:36:48.069 of Alders in in terms of approvals.
NOTE Confidence: 0.806945066666667

00:36:48.070 --> 00:36:50.718 But the parts that have been allocated or
NOTE Confidence: 0.806945066666667

00:36:50.718 --> 00:36:53.746 the six million for summer reset programs,
NOTE Confidence: 0.806945066666667

00:36:53.750 --> 00:36:56.115 which included some violence prevention
NOTE Confidence: 0.806945066666667

00:36:56.115 --> 00:36:59.170 work that I alluded to earlier,
NOTE Confidence: 0.806945066666667

00:36:59.170 --> 00:37:01.990 and it includes 8,000,000 for the
NOTE Confidence: 0.806945066666667

00:37:01.990 --> 00:37:03.870 approved department of Community.
NOTE Confidence: 0.806945066666667

00:37:03.870 --> 00:37:04.500 Resilience.
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846

00:37:08.350 --> 00:37:09.710 In addition to that,

NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:37:09.710 --> 00:37:11.750 the state and federal funders are
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:37:11.819 --> 00:37:13.683 signaling signaling continued interest
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:37:13.683 --> 00:37:16.479 in supporting these type of efforts
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:37:16.550 --> 00:37:19.010 and what I termed Community resiliency.
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:37:19.010 --> 00:37:24.070 Representative Rosa De Lauro has has.
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:37:24.070 --> 00:37:27.626 That included a \$2 million pilot program
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:37:27.626 --> 00:37:29.673 specifically specifically earmarked for
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:37:29.673 --> 00:37:32.367 our Community crisis response team project.
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:37:32.370 --> 00:37:34.386 We hope we hope to see those dollars
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:37:34.386 --> 00:37:36.368 in the early part of next year.
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:37:36.370 --> 00:37:37.858 It's really, you know,
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:37:37.858 --> 00:37:40.090 really important that that was highlighted
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:37:40.150 --> 00:37:42.004 by Representative Laura as an approach
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:37:42.004 --> 00:37:44.297 that we have in this taking were
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:37:44.297 --> 00:37:46.132 receiving an additional 4.8 million
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846

00:37:46.132 --> 00:37:48.726 in funds to address homelessness and
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846

00:37:48.726 --> 00:37:50.846 facilities to address homelessness.
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846

00:37:50.850 --> 00:37:52.516 Again, building on that that plan I
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846

00:37:52.516 --> 00:37:54.209 alluded to earlier about non congregate.
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846

00:37:54.210 --> 00:37:56.614 Sheltering and permanent shelter.
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846

00:37:56.614 --> 00:37:57.816 Permanent solutions.
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846

00:37:57.820 --> 00:37:59.932 The Biden administration's build
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846

00:37:59.932 --> 00:38:01.516 back better bill.
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846

00:38:01.520 --> 00:38:02.717 I think that's what they call it.
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846

00:38:02.720 --> 00:38:03.596 Sounds like a lot of these,
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846

00:38:03.600 --> 00:38:08.048 but uhm, another B5 billion, UM.
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846

00:38:08.048 --> 00:38:11.211 There is a 5 billion proposed investment
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846

00:38:11.211 --> 00:38:13.511 in community violence prevention
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846

00:38:13.511 --> 00:38:16.386 initiatives and a 70 million.
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846

00:38:16.390 --> 00:38:17.526 I hope this is still in the bill.
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846

00:38:17.530 --> 00:38:18.222 I don't.

NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:38:18.222 --> 00:38:20.298 I haven't verified recently because it's
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:38:20.298 --> 00:38:21.832 things tend to get a little obscured
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:38:21.832 --> 00:38:23.189 in the negotiations at federal level,
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:38:23.190 --> 00:38:25.086 but I but I know it was proposed
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:38:25.086 --> 00:38:26.801 that there was a 70 million new
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:38:26.801 --> 00:38:28.547 and first time investment or harm
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:38:28.547 --> 00:38:30.028 reduction initiatives as part of the,
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:38:30.030 --> 00:38:32.058 at least in an earlier iteration
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:38:32.058 --> 00:38:33.072 of that bill.
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:38:33.080 --> 00:38:34.665 Even our state elect allegation
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:38:34.665 --> 00:38:35.933 has been very supportive.
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:38:35.940 --> 00:38:38.718 They've been supported.
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:38:38.720 --> 00:38:41.468 Supported bills to introduce a statewide
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:38:41.468 --> 00:38:43.874 reentry programs and financial support
NOTE Confidence: 0.893878541153846
00:38:43.874 --> 00:38:45.886 for reentry programs statewide.
NOTE Confidence: 0.815470748333333

00:38:50.950 --> 00:38:53.506 So our challenge at the city,
NOTE Confidence: 0.815470748333333
00:38:53.510 --> 00:38:55.064 knowing all of this was happening
NOTE Confidence: 0.815470748333333
00:38:55.064 --> 00:38:57.174 both in terms of the trends and needs
NOTE Confidence: 0.815470748333333
00:38:57.174 --> 00:38:59.049 of our population as well as the
NOTE Confidence: 0.815470748333333
00:38:59.049 --> 00:39:00.825 resources that were available to us,
NOTE Confidence: 0.815470748333333
00:39:00.830 --> 00:39:03.155 was capitalizing, coordinating and not
NOTE Confidence: 0.815470748333333
00:39:03.155 --> 00:39:06.200 to let this opportunity go to waste.
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:39:08.280 --> 00:39:10.980 And try to build some lasting,
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:39:10.980 --> 00:39:12.890 durable infrastructure within the city
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:39:12.890 --> 00:39:15.310 that can help facilitate some of this,
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:39:15.310 --> 00:39:18.286 and I'll emphasize that you know.
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:39:18.290 --> 00:39:21.368 I see it this the primary role of this,
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:39:21.370 --> 00:39:23.980 uh, uhm effort. The creation of
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:39:23.980 --> 00:39:27.561 the new department as a convening,
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:39:27.561 --> 00:39:30.589 facilitating monitoring strategy role.
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:39:30.590 --> 00:39:32.190 Not a direct service role.

NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:39:32.190 --> 00:39:34.584 We will continue to lean on direct
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:39:34.584 --> 00:39:36.849 service providers and and and send
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:39:36.849 --> 00:39:38.799 resources to direct service providers,
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:39:38.800 --> 00:39:40.987 but this is just fills a gap in that,
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:39:40.990 --> 00:39:42.964 you know, sort of municipal leadership role,
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:39:42.970 --> 00:39:46.428 which I think is so important too.
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:39:46.430 --> 00:39:48.698 Continue to focus on these issues for
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:39:48.698 --> 00:39:51.078 the long term rather than you know,
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:39:51.080 --> 00:39:54.154 kind of flashing in and out
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:39:54.154 --> 00:39:55.518 as grants become available.
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:39:55.520 --> 00:39:57.690 You know, you know,
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:39:57.690 --> 00:39:59.040 as I say I need.
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:39:59.040 --> 00:40:01.504 I need someone on my team that's waking
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:40:01.504 --> 00:40:03.773 up every morning worried about how
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:40:03.773 --> 00:40:06.155 these programs will be sustained and
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667

00:40:06.227 --> 00:40:08.177 and and I just didn't have that before
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667

00:40:08.177 --> 00:40:10.695 and now I have the opportunity that so
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667

00:40:10.695 --> 00:40:12.620 as I mentioned in the previous slide,
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667

00:40:12.620 --> 00:40:15.236 these this new department will fold
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667

00:40:15.236 --> 00:40:17.419 in existing personnel programs and
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667

00:40:17.419 --> 00:40:19.862 budgets from our reentry initiative or
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667

00:40:19.862 --> 00:40:22.299 Community Crisis program initiative or
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667

00:40:22.299 --> 00:40:24.844 homeless Services department and and
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667

00:40:24.844 --> 00:40:27.330 a harbor duction coordination work.
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667

00:40:27.330 --> 00:40:29.006 It expands to including.
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667

00:40:29.006 --> 00:40:31.101 Programming from the Office of
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667

00:40:31.101 --> 00:40:33.345 Violence Prevention and a new
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667

00:40:33.345 --> 00:40:35.170 office of Community Mental Health.
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667

00:40:35.170 --> 00:40:37.250 That's the one I'd love to consult with
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667

00:40:37.250 --> 00:40:39.113 folks on this call on this webinar
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667

00:40:39.113 --> 00:40:41.654 about at some point in the future

NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:40:41.654 --> 00:40:43.778 'cause that one really is something
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:40:43.778 --> 00:40:46.011 that's not well defined yet and can
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:40:46.011 --> 00:40:48.059 can really use some some input.
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:40:48.060 --> 00:40:49.649 And once I have that stacked up,
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:40:49.650 --> 00:40:51.994 I think it will be very important and
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:40:51.994 --> 00:40:54.017 will appreciate the partnership with the.
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:40:54.020 --> 00:40:56.172 The department on that.
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:40:56.172 --> 00:40:56.710 Uh,
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:40:56.710 --> 00:40:58.866 and we will add a data management
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:40:58.866 --> 00:41:00.959 resource to make sure that you know
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:41:00.960 --> 00:41:02.520 all of these programs are supported
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:41:02.520 --> 00:41:04.982 in a in a standardized cross cutting
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:41:04.982 --> 00:41:06.798 way to support transparency,
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:41:06.800 --> 00:41:09.450 data report data and reporting.
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667
00:41:09.450 --> 00:41:10.400 We have to, you know.
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667

00:41:10.400 --> 00:41:10.739 Again,
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667

00:41:10.739 --> 00:41:13.112 they we have to show these programs
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667

00:41:13.112 --> 00:41:13.790 are working.
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667

00:41:13.790 --> 00:41:16.054 In order for them to have a chance
NOTE Confidence: 0.879069016666667

00:41:16.054 --> 00:41:16.620 of sustainability.
NOTE Confidence: 0.821743143

00:41:23.460 --> 00:41:25.008 I don't know why there is a blank slide
NOTE Confidence: 0.821743143

00:41:25.008 --> 00:41:26.440 here, but I'll just move past that.
NOTE Confidence: 0.830772118

00:41:29.850 --> 00:41:32.480 This was just a refresher.
NOTE Confidence: 0.830772118

00:41:32.480 --> 00:41:34.120 II shared the slide earlier these so the
NOTE Confidence: 0.830772118

00:41:34.120 --> 00:41:35.855 Department of Community Resilience, UM,
NOTE Confidence: 0.830772118

00:41:35.855 --> 00:41:38.765 will include the Office Violence Prevention,
NOTE Confidence: 0.830772118

00:41:38.770 --> 00:41:40.120 crisis response, reentry,
NOTE Confidence: 0.830772118

00:41:40.120 --> 00:41:41.642 homeless services, mental health
NOTE Confidence: 0.830772118

00:41:41.642 --> 00:41:42.886 and harm reduction coordination.
NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:41:45.960 --> 00:41:47.180 And we really have some.
NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:41:47.180 --> 00:41:49.280 You know, some aims and goals and

NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:41:49.280 --> 00:41:51.618 values to live up to as part of this.

NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:41:51.620 --> 00:41:54.021 Uh, and I really look forward to

NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:41:54.021 --> 00:41:55.972 to actually bringing on a, uh,

NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:41:55.972 --> 00:41:59.252 a capable and passionate department head.

NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:41:59.252 --> 00:42:01.556 Another shameless recruiting plug.

NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:01.560 --> 00:42:02.904 I know many folks are having

NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:02.904 --> 00:42:03.576 recruiting issues here,

NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:03.580 --> 00:42:08.529 but I I think someone with a.

NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:08.530 --> 00:42:11.666 I towards policy the the you know

NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:11.666 --> 00:42:15.283 the ability to navigate their local

NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:15.283 --> 00:42:17.486 government and really the passion to pull

NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:17.486 --> 00:42:19.409 pull these types of programs together.

NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:19.410 --> 00:42:21.238 We can have a really, really, uh,

NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:21.238 --> 00:42:23.362 probably once in a lifetime opportunity

NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:23.362 --> 00:42:25.748 to to work on this in New Haven,

NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:25.750 --> 00:42:28.110 so I'm really hoping to get a good
NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:28.110 --> 00:42:30.378 leader to have this new department
NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:30.380 --> 00:42:31.970 up the values and objectives here
NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:31.970 --> 00:42:34.363 that we are hoping to live up to is
NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:34.363 --> 00:42:36.059 reducing our reliance on coercive and
NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:36.059 --> 00:42:37.889 punitive approaches to social problems.
NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:37.890 --> 00:42:38.658 I think we here.
NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:38.658 --> 00:42:40.056 This everyday you can't arrest yourself out
NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:40.056 --> 00:42:41.498 of homeless since you can't arrest yourself.
NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:41.500 --> 00:42:42.800 I've gotta use problems.
NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:42.800 --> 00:42:44.100 Can't arrest yourself about
NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:44.100 --> 00:42:45.969 out of mental health crises,
NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:45.970 --> 00:42:48.502 so we're really helping to elevate
NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:48.502 --> 00:42:50.919 that approach and bring that too.
NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:50.920 --> 00:42:53.818 That sort of bread and butter.
NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:53.820 --> 00:42:56.768 Approach to city services.

NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:56.770 --> 00:42:57.940 We want to focus on data,

NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:57.940 --> 00:42:58.437 evidence,

NOTE Confidence: 0.85162906

00:42:58.437 --> 00:42:59.928 outcomes and transparency.

NOTE Confidence: 0.8771634

00:43:03.030 --> 00:43:05.280 And making sure that we're we're

NOTE Confidence: 0.8771634

00:43:05.280 --> 00:43:06.410 honest about what we're doing

NOTE Confidence: 0.8771634

00:43:06.410 --> 00:43:07.540 and what's working and what's

NOTE Confidence: 0.8771634

00:43:07.581 --> 00:43:08.769 not working and then of course,

NOTE Confidence: 0.8771634

00:43:08.770 --> 00:43:10.750 correct if we need to.

NOTE Confidence: 0.8771634

00:43:10.750 --> 00:43:14.194 Uh. For all too long,

NOTE Confidence: 0.8771634

00:43:14.194 --> 00:43:16.640 I think uh government as well as.

NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572

00:43:19.320 --> 00:43:21.987 Human Services agencies have been sort of,

NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572

00:43:21.990 --> 00:43:23.925 and it's easy to fall into this sort of

NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572

00:43:23.930 --> 00:43:25.694 deficit based model of saying I'm trying

NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572

00:43:25.694 --> 00:43:27.709 to correct a problem I'm trying to solve

NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572

00:43:27.709 --> 00:43:29.972 a problem and that kind of translates into

NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572

00:43:29.972 --> 00:43:31.970 how individuals and communities are treated,
NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572

00:43:31.970 --> 00:43:35.890 so the aspiration for this department is to.
NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572

00:43:35.890 --> 00:43:38.732 To employ an asset and strengths based
NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572

00:43:38.732 --> 00:43:41.069 approach to individuals and communities.
NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572

00:43:41.070 --> 00:43:43.582 And I hope that kind of trickles into
NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572

00:43:43.582 --> 00:43:45.628 all the different programs that that
NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572

00:43:45.628 --> 00:43:48.238 we that fold into this new department.
NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572

00:43:48.240 --> 00:43:51.980 Uhm? To adopt A committee oriented
NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572

00:43:51.980 --> 00:43:53.750 approach to to mental health.
NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572

00:43:53.750 --> 00:43:56.646 Really, I think the the key factor here
NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572

00:43:56.646 --> 00:43:59.447 is that as a municipal government,
NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572

00:43:59.450 --> 00:44:01.994 we really can and do carry the responsibility
NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572

00:44:01.994 --> 00:44:04.910 for all population approach to mental health.
NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572

00:44:04.910 --> 00:44:07.339 In the same way the Department of
NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572

00:44:07.339 --> 00:44:08.380 Health Carrizal population.
NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572

00:44:08.380 --> 00:44:11.476 Anyone who's within our borders we

NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572
00:44:11.476 --> 00:44:14.449 consider them a account we consider
NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572
00:44:14.449 --> 00:44:17.287 ourselves to be the accountable unit.
NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572
00:44:17.290 --> 00:44:22.120 Uhm, and that.
NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572
00:44:22.120 --> 00:44:23.785 That approach that the Health
NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572
00:44:23.785 --> 00:44:26.260 department employs.
NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572
00:44:26.260 --> 00:44:28.101 Parts of it can be translated into
NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572
00:44:28.101 --> 00:44:29.839 a mental health strategy as well,
NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572
00:44:29.840 --> 00:44:31.597 and I think some of the thought
NOTE Confidence: 0.821089851428572
00:44:31.597 --> 00:44:32.350 partnership I appreciate.
NOTE Confidence: 0.87471503
00:44:34.710 --> 00:44:36.184 Mike Sarniak and Kyle.
NOTE Confidence: 0.87471503
00:44:36.184 --> 00:44:38.174 For some of that partnership
NOTE Confidence: 0.87471503
00:44:38.174 --> 00:44:40.350 on that in the early thinking,
NOTE Confidence: 0.87471503
00:44:40.350 --> 00:44:41.478 integrating harm reduction
NOTE Confidence: 0.87471503
00:44:41.478 --> 00:44:42.606 across service lines.
NOTE Confidence: 0.87471503
00:44:42.610 --> 00:44:43.600 I think that's really important.
NOTE Confidence: 0.87471503

00:44:43.600 --> 00:44:45.616 We've done had some success with
NOTE Confidence: 0.87471503

00:44:45.616 --> 00:44:47.550 this already, but again, it's.
NOTE Confidence: 0.87471503

00:44:47.550 --> 00:44:49.848 It's also an approach in philosophy in
NOTE Confidence: 0.87471503

00:44:49.848 --> 00:44:52.103 terms of how we approach individuals
NOTE Confidence: 0.87471503

00:44:52.103 --> 00:44:55.285 that use drugs and and trying to sort
NOTE Confidence: 0.87471503

00:44:55.285 --> 00:44:57.730 of infuse that throughout our service.
NOTE Confidence: 0.87471503

00:44:57.730 --> 00:44:58.925 You know, infrastructure and landscape
NOTE Confidence: 0.87471503

00:44:58.925 --> 00:45:00.959 I think will be an important priority.
NOTE Confidence: 0.87471503

00:45:00.960 --> 00:45:02.346 And of course with violence prevention.
NOTE Confidence: 0.87471503

00:45:02.350 --> 00:45:03.910 Setting long range plans for violence.
NOTE Confidence: 0.87471503

00:45:03.910 --> 00:45:04.732 Production, you know,
NOTE Confidence: 0.87471503

00:45:04.732 --> 00:45:05.828 using a model of,
NOTE Confidence: 0.87471503

00:45:05.830 --> 00:45:07.510 you know focusing on prevention,
NOTE Confidence: 0.87471503

00:45:07.510 --> 00:45:08.520 social services.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8882859375

00:45:11.260 --> 00:45:13.408 Acute response to to violent events
NOTE Confidence: 0.8882859375

00:45:13.408 --> 00:45:15.961 as well as making sure that aftercare

NOTE Confidence: 0.8882859375

00:45:15.961 --> 00:45:18.418 is robust for folks who need it.

NOTE Confidence: 0.8882859375

00:45:18.420 --> 00:45:20.352 And I believe that is my

NOTE Confidence: 0.8882859375

00:45:20.352 --> 00:45:21.824 last slide, so I will, uh,

NOTE Confidence: 0.8882859375

00:45:21.824 --> 00:45:23.500 I don't know how you do fissel,

NOTE Confidence: 0.8882859375

00:45:23.500 --> 00:45:24.136 facilitate the discussion,

NOTE Confidence: 0.8882859375

00:45:24.136 --> 00:45:25.930 but I guess I'll turn it back to you.

NOTE Confidence: 0.8882859375

00:45:25.930 --> 00:45:27.700 Mike Sarniak, if that makes sense.

NOTE Confidence: 0.8882859375

00:45:27.700 --> 00:45:29.410 I'm happy to take any questions.

NOTE Confidence: 0.8877486575

00:45:31.120 --> 00:45:33.878 Sure, thank you very much from hope

NOTE Confidence: 0.8877486575

00:45:33.878 --> 00:45:35.804 really thought provoking about where

NOTE Confidence: 0.8877486575

00:45:35.804 --> 00:45:38.484 the city has been and where it's going.

NOTE Confidence: 0.8877486575

00:45:38.490 --> 00:45:41.160 I'm throwing up first for somebody

NOTE Confidence: 0.8877486575

00:45:41.160 --> 00:45:44.428 else before I start hugging the time.

NOTE Confidence: 0.8877486575

00:45:44.430 --> 00:45:48.318 Uhm OK sandy bacon.

NOTE Confidence: 0.8877486575

00:45:48.320 --> 00:45:50.810 Or any considerations for sobering centers.

NOTE Confidence: 0.8877486575

00:45:50.810 --> 00:45:52.070 Emergency departments are being
NOTE Confidence: 0.8877486575

00:45:52.070 --> 00:45:54.375 used by patients by ambulance and or
NOTE Confidence: 0.8877486575

00:45:54.375 --> 00:45:56.170 by police for simple uncomplicated
NOTE Confidence: 0.8877486575

00:45:56.170 --> 00:45:57.606 alcohol intoxication because they're
NOTE Confidence: 0.8877486575

00:45:57.660 --> 00:45:59.360 not appropriate community services.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8877486575

00:45:59.360 --> 00:46:00.880 For patients struggling with
NOTE Confidence: 0.8877486575

00:46:00.880 --> 00:46:02.020 alcohol use disorders,
NOTE Confidence: 0.8877486575

00:46:02.020 --> 00:46:03.924 we currently have a number of high
NOTE Confidence: 0.8877486575

00:46:03.924 --> 00:46:05.519 utilizers of acute need services.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8877486575

00:46:05.520 --> 00:46:07.074 It would be better served at
NOTE Confidence: 0.8877486575

00:46:07.074 --> 00:46:08.609 a less acute level of care.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8877486575

00:46:08.610 --> 00:46:11.424 This would also help with Ed overcrowding.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8877486575

00:46:11.430 --> 00:46:11.780 He
NOTE Confidence: 0.785999236666667

00:46:11.810 --> 00:46:13.850 the answer is a resounding yes.
NOTE Confidence: 0.785999236666667

00:46:13.850 --> 00:46:16.923 Uh, we see, uh in in conjunction
NOTE Confidence: 0.785999236666667

00:46:16.923 --> 00:46:20.043 with standing up our our community

NOTE Confidence: 0.785999236666667
00:46:20.043 --> 00:46:23.150 crisis response team we we feel it's
NOTE Confidence: 0.785999236666667
00:46:23.150 --> 00:46:25.250 very important to have what what,
NOTE Confidence: 0.785999236666667
00:46:25.250 --> 00:46:27.326 what we're doing an alternative destination.
NOTE Confidence: 0.785999236666667
00:46:27.330 --> 00:46:28.408 I don't know if that's going to
NOTE Confidence: 0.785999236666667
00:46:28.408 --> 00:46:29.270 be the terminology that sticks,
NOTE Confidence: 0.785999236666667
00:46:29.270 --> 00:46:32.826 but that that's for lower lower acuity,
NOTE Confidence: 0.785999236666667
00:46:32.830 --> 00:46:34.678 mental health and substance use cases
NOTE Confidence: 0.785999236666667
00:46:34.678 --> 00:46:37.188 that don't need to go to the ER or in
NOTE Confidence: 0.785999236666667
00:46:37.188 --> 00:46:39.219 some cases may end up at Manhattan jail.
NOTE Confidence: 0.76825976
00:46:41.510 --> 00:46:44.652 Create. Uhm, while we're waiting,
NOTE Confidence: 0.76825976
00:46:44.652 --> 00:46:46.946 I don't know Trish, I don't see anybody
NOTE Confidence: 0.76825976
00:46:46.946 --> 00:46:48.709 hand up right now so I could answer.
NOTE Confidence: 0.76825976
00:46:48.710 --> 00:46:50.460 Question is that right? No hands up.
NOTE Confidence: 0.76825976
00:46:50.460 --> 00:46:53.652 OK, I was interested because we have
NOTE Confidence: 0.76825976
00:46:53.652 --> 00:46:56.435 been working very closely with the
NOTE Confidence: 0.76825976

00:46:56.435 --> 00:46:59.590 city about your experience so far.
NOTE Confidence: 0.76825976

00:46:59.590 --> 00:47:00.781 You can summarize.
NOTE Confidence: 0.76825976

00:47:00.781 --> 00:47:02.766 About the listening sessions where
NOTE Confidence: 0.76825976

00:47:02.766 --> 00:47:04.867 you've gone out in the community
NOTE Confidence: 0.76825976

00:47:04.867 --> 00:47:06.733 and ask people what they want.
NOTE Confidence: 0.76825976

00:47:06.740 --> 00:47:10.020 I'm which a novel process.
NOTE Confidence: 0.76825976

00:47:10.020 --> 00:47:10.302 Unfortunately,
NOTE Confidence: 0.76825976

00:47:10.302 --> 00:47:12.840 it's it's nice for the say you be doing.
NOTE Confidence: 0.76825976

00:47:12.840 --> 00:47:15.040 It's important for the city doing this,
NOTE Confidence: 0.76825976

00:47:15.040 --> 00:47:16.294 and I know it's early in
NOTE Confidence: 0.76825976

00:47:16.294 --> 00:47:17.400 their last summaries to come,
NOTE Confidence: 0.76825976

00:47:17.400 --> 00:47:20.557 but just overall impressions at this point.
NOTE Confidence: 0.76825976

00:47:20.560 --> 00:47:20.890 Yeah,
NOTE Confidence: 0.7843796805

00:47:20.900 --> 00:47:22.730 I mean, I think, uh.
NOTE Confidence: 0.96076639125

00:47:26.160 --> 00:47:27.920 There's a couple of things I can mention.
NOTE Confidence: 0.96076639125

00:47:27.920 --> 00:47:30.240 I think you know and it sort of

NOTE Confidence: 0.96076639125

00:47:30.240 --> 00:47:32.238 varies on the type of format.

NOTE Confidence: 0.96076639125

00:47:32.240 --> 00:47:33.968 I know the listening sessions have

NOTE Confidence: 0.96076639125

00:47:33.968 --> 00:47:36.016 been done in different ways as focus

NOTE Confidence: 0.96076639125

00:47:36.016 --> 00:47:37.708 groups of those who've been involved

NOTE Confidence: 0.96076639125

00:47:37.708 --> 00:47:39.515 there was virtual sessions and there

NOTE Confidence: 0.96076639125

00:47:39.515 --> 00:47:41.788 was also in person sessions and I

NOTE Confidence: 0.96076639125

00:47:41.788 --> 00:47:43.808 haven't attended the focus groups,

NOTE Confidence: 0.96076639125

00:47:43.810 --> 00:47:45.418 but do the nature of the fact that

NOTE Confidence: 0.96076639125

00:47:45.418 --> 00:47:46.999 they are for specific population,

NOTE Confidence: 0.96076639125

00:47:47.000 --> 00:47:49.820 but in terms of the community

NOTE Confidence: 0.96076639125

00:47:49.820 --> 00:47:50.760 listening sessions.

NOTE Confidence: 0.96076639125

00:47:50.760 --> 00:47:53.052 I think it was really important

NOTE Confidence: 0.96076639125

00:47:53.052 --> 00:47:54.772 and then specifically speaking to

NOTE Confidence: 0.96076639125

00:47:54.772 --> 00:47:56.770 the one that happened in person

NOTE Confidence: 0.96076639125

00:47:56.770 --> 00:48:01.190 to understand the sort of.

NOTE Confidence: 0.96076639125

00:48:01.190 --> 00:48:02.620 Expressions of.
NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:48:05.820 --> 00:48:08.220 I've tried, I guess expressions of
NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:48:08.220 --> 00:48:10.772 trauma or unmet trauma that people
NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:48:10.772 --> 00:48:12.778 brought forth about their experiences
NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:48:12.778 --> 00:48:15.203 with first response, like you could.
NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:48:15.203 --> 00:48:17.358 You could kind of palpably.
NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:48:17.360 --> 00:48:20.874 You see, when people were speaking to
NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:48:20.874 --> 00:48:24.156 this that they had, you know, powerful,
NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:48:24.156 --> 00:48:26.436 potent experiences around calling the
NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:48:26.436 --> 00:48:29.570 police or doubts about calling the police.
NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:48:29.570 --> 00:48:30.686 And like you know they would
NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:48:30.686 --> 00:48:31.719 say that you know I did.
NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:48:31.720 --> 00:48:32.842 I just don't know if it's
NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:48:32.842 --> 00:48:33.760 the right thing to do.
NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:48:33.760 --> 00:48:35.307 I don't want to get anyone hurt,
NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:48:35.310 --> 00:48:37.740 or if they did have an encounter like how,

NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:48:37.740 --> 00:48:39.845 how important a positive encounter

NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:48:39.845 --> 00:48:42.382 is for someone who's in crisis

NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:48:42.382 --> 00:48:44.840 and we heard we heard, you know,

NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:48:44.840 --> 00:48:46.590 we actually heard positive things

NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:48:46.590 --> 00:48:48.119 about police encounters as well.

NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:48:48.120 --> 00:48:49.710 That you know and sometimes where

NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:48:49.710 --> 00:48:51.555 in some cases where they said you

NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:48:51.555 --> 00:48:53.270 know the police handled this in the

NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:48:53.320 --> 00:48:55.064 way that I wanted it to be handled,

NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:48:55.070 --> 00:48:57.420 and they appreciate the professionalism,

NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:48:57.420 --> 00:48:58.782 but in some cases we've heard

NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:48:58.782 --> 00:49:00.251 that you know the response and

NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:49:00.251 --> 00:49:01.526 this is not just police,

NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:49:01.530 --> 00:49:04.110 even EMTs or or fire department.

NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:49:04.110 --> 00:49:05.615 They just felt like in the moment

NOTE Confidence: 0.824431609285715

00:49:05.615 --> 00:49:06.939 of crisis they weren't heard.

NOTE Confidence: 0.951077968

00:49:09.250 --> 00:49:10.888 So yeah, I mean I, I think that's sort

NOTE Confidence: 0.951077968

00:49:10.888 --> 00:49:12.440 of my not my main impression like that.

NOTE Confidence: 0.951077968

00:49:12.440 --> 00:49:14.560 Just the this how close.

NOTE Confidence: 0.951077968

00:49:14.560 --> 00:49:17.107 This hits home for a lot of folks and

NOTE Confidence: 0.951077968

00:49:17.110 --> 00:49:19.098 and how important it is for folks.

NOTE Confidence: 0.951077968

00:49:19.100 --> 00:49:20.339 Have the opportunity to speak about it.

NOTE Confidence: 0.772958425

00:49:34.750 --> 00:49:37.588 There is a hand up now, OK?

NOTE Confidence: 0.772659836666667

00:49:39.600 --> 00:49:42.630 Speak away, Millie.

NOTE Confidence: 0.772659836666667

00:49:42.630 --> 00:49:45.710 Yes, I just wanted to piggyback onto

NOTE Confidence: 0.772659836666667

00:49:45.710 --> 00:49:49.068 what doctor Delao said I was at the

NOTE Confidence: 0.772659836666667

00:49:49.068 --> 00:49:51.555 community in person meeting at Hill

NOTE Confidence: 0.772659836666667

00:49:51.555 --> 00:49:54.820 House High School and it was very

NOTE Confidence: 0.772659836666667

00:49:54.820 --> 00:49:58.660 moving to see the mix of people.

NOTE Confidence: 0.772659836666667

00:49:58.660 --> 00:50:01.330 It really seemed to represent

NOTE Confidence: 0.772659836666667

00:50:01.330 --> 00:50:04.554 the ethnic mix that we are in New

NOTE Confidence: 0.772659836666667
00:50:04.554 --> 00:50:07.601 Haven and to hear people stories
NOTE Confidence: 0.772659836666667
00:50:07.601 --> 00:50:10.276 spoken so honestly in their
NOTE Confidence: 0.772659836666667
00:50:10.276 --> 00:50:13.159 desire for something to happen.
NOTE Confidence: 0.772659836666667
00:50:13.160 --> 00:50:15.470 And the hope that it can happen.
NOTE Confidence: 0.772659836666667
00:50:15.470 --> 00:50:21.968 So I'm very impressed with what this can be.
NOTE Confidence: 0.772659836666667
00:50:21.970 --> 00:50:23.395 And Doctor del,
NOTE Confidence: 0.772659836666667
00:50:23.395 --> 00:50:27.225 I hope your employment pitch works and you
NOTE Confidence: 0.772659836666667
00:50:27.225 --> 00:50:30.942 get some great people on the team with you.
NOTE Confidence: 0.772659836666667
00:50:30.950 --> 00:50:33.316 So thanks to everybody who's doing this.
NOTE Confidence: 0.836250299047619
00:50:35.620 --> 00:50:37.724 Yeah, and the one thing I one thing
NOTE Confidence: 0.836250299047619
00:50:37.724 --> 00:50:40.093 I will mention you reminded me Millie
NOTE Confidence: 0.836250299047619
00:50:40.093 --> 00:50:42.320 about a couple of comments there,
NOTE Confidence: 0.836250299047619
00:50:42.320 --> 00:50:44.108 which I think raise raise an
NOTE Confidence: 0.836250299047619
00:50:44.108 --> 00:50:46.019 important point of sort of self
NOTE Confidence: 0.836250299047619
00:50:46.019 --> 00:50:47.664 reflection for the mental health
NOTE Confidence: 0.836250299047619

00:50:47.664 --> 00:50:51.255 field is sort of the that there is,
NOTE Confidence: 0.836250299047619

00:50:51.260 --> 00:50:53.356 even if we're not sending the police wear
NOTE Confidence: 0.836250299047619

00:50:53.356 --> 00:50:55.585 which has a certain kind of known sort of,
NOTE Confidence: 0.836250299047619

00:50:55.590 --> 00:50:57.396 you know, authority and power structure.
NOTE Confidence: 0.836250299047619

00:50:57.400 --> 00:50:59.530 Mental health professionals also are
NOTE Confidence: 0.836250299047619

00:50:59.530 --> 00:51:02.548 part of that power structure and can
NOTE Confidence: 0.836250299047619

00:51:02.548 --> 00:51:04.594 potentially impose harm on folks as well.
NOTE Confidence: 0.836250299047619

00:51:04.594 --> 00:51:06.709 So I think that was an important piece.
NOTE Confidence: 0.836250299047619

00:51:06.710 --> 00:51:08.285 That that that's just it's it's it
NOTE Confidence: 0.836250299047619

00:51:08.285 --> 00:51:09.873 will be important for this team to
NOTE Confidence: 0.836250299047619

00:51:09.873 --> 00:51:11.169 also be reflective of the dynamic
NOTE Confidence: 0.836250299047619

00:51:11.222 --> 00:51:12.740 that they bring into the situation.
NOTE Confidence: 0.836250299047619

00:51:12.740 --> 00:51:14.522 Just because they're not police doesn't
NOTE Confidence: 0.836250299047619

00:51:14.522 --> 00:51:16.308 mean that they they can't cause
NOTE Confidence: 0.836250299047619

00:51:16.308 --> 00:51:17.748 some sort of traumatic experience.
NOTE Confidence: 0.854166154285714

00:51:30.230 --> 00:51:31.959 So I did have one other question.

NOTE Confidence: 0.854166154285714
00:51:31.960 --> 00:51:33.586 Well more statement.
NOTE Confidence: 0.854166154285714
00:51:33.586 --> 00:51:36.296 I'm cousin looking at your
NOTE Confidence: 0.854166154285714
00:51:36.296 --> 00:51:37.466 new resiliency program.
NOTE Confidence: 0.854166154285714
00:51:37.466 --> 00:51:40.852 To us it looks a lot like she may social
NOTE Confidence: 0.854166154285714
00:51:40.852 --> 00:51:43.294 determinants of health or mental health,
NOTE Confidence: 0.854166154285714
00:51:43.300 --> 00:51:45.060 and they're lined up there.
NOTE Confidence: 0.854166154285714
00:51:45.060 --> 00:51:46.992 I think one of our findings at
NOTE Confidence: 0.854166154285714
00:51:46.992 --> 00:51:49.140 CMHC over the past year and a half
NOTE Confidence: 0.854166154285714
00:51:49.140 --> 00:51:51.360 has been kind of food insecurity,
NOTE Confidence: 0.854166154285714
00:51:51.360 --> 00:51:52.684 becoming a big issue.
NOTE Confidence: 0.854166154285714
00:51:52.684 --> 00:51:55.078 It was always a very large issue
NOTE Confidence: 0.854166154285714
00:51:55.078 --> 00:51:57.088 for the people we work with.
NOTE Confidence: 0.854166154285714
00:51:57.090 --> 00:51:59.736 But that there really being times
NOTE Confidence: 0.854166154285714
00:51:59.736 --> 00:52:02.330 where it seemed extremely precarious
NOTE Confidence: 0.854166154285714
00:52:02.330 --> 00:52:05.116 and I don't know about policy wise.
NOTE Confidence: 0.854166154285714

00:52:05.120 --> 00:52:09.683 Anything you think of in terms of trying to?

NOTE Confidence: 0.854166154285714

00:52:09.690 --> 00:52:11.881 Beef that up for certainly people we

NOTE Confidence: 0.854166154285714

00:52:11.881 --> 00:52:14.040 work with another people in New Haven.

NOTE Confidence: 0.9451535

00:52:16.630 --> 00:52:18.206 Yeah, I mean we do have the,

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:52:18.210 --> 00:52:19.674 you know, I think there's a

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:52:19.674 --> 00:52:20.850 couple of components to it.

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:52:20.850 --> 00:52:25.051 One is ensuring that our our

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:52:25.051 --> 00:52:27.306 emergency Food Assistance program is,

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:52:27.310 --> 00:52:30.166 you know, robust and we do have,

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:52:30.170 --> 00:52:31.151 you know, actually,

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:52:31.151 --> 00:52:33.790 New Haven has a really great existing

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:52:33.790 --> 00:52:36.790 network of partners under the operating

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:52:36.790 --> 00:52:39.180 under the sea fan community Community

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:52:39.180 --> 00:52:41.770 Fudacz II have so many acronyms.

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:52:41.770 --> 00:52:42.680 I really do apologize even

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:52:42.680 --> 00:52:43.810 though that I should know them.

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091
00:52:43.810 --> 00:52:45.886 I don't see because I only
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091
00:52:45.886 --> 00:52:47.270 referred to by acronym.
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091
00:52:47.270 --> 00:52:48.430 So someone on this.
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091
00:52:48.430 --> 00:52:50.668 Column shirt will know and can drop it
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091
00:52:50.668 --> 00:52:54.288 in the chat the so there is a robust
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091
00:52:54.288 --> 00:52:56.984 network of providers in the emergency
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091
00:52:56.984 --> 00:52:59.114 food assistance pays that space,
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091
00:52:59.120 --> 00:52:59.990 so I think from, uh,
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091
00:52:59.990 --> 00:53:02.222 you know from the city standpoint
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091
00:53:02.222 --> 00:53:05.345 I just we want to be supportive and
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091
00:53:05.345 --> 00:53:08.949 make sure that we are supportive
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091
00:53:08.949 --> 00:53:10.743 and doing every week and everything
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091
00:53:10.743 --> 00:53:13.036 we can to to to make sure that
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091
00:53:13.036 --> 00:53:14.371 system remains robust and can
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091
00:53:14.431 --> 00:53:16.166 address anyone with emergency food
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:53:16.166 --> 00:53:18.271 assistance needs on the policy level.
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:53:18.271 --> 00:53:19.354 You know I,
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:53:19.354 --> 00:53:21.520 we really do have this opportunity,
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:53:21.520 --> 00:53:22.166 because, again,
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:53:22.166 --> 00:53:24.104 we've received a grant from the
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:53:24.104 --> 00:53:25.747 Department of Agriculture to.
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:53:25.747 --> 00:53:28.246 To really rethink our own local food
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:53:28.246 --> 00:53:31.200 system and how we address food insecurity.
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:53:31.200 --> 00:53:32.412 Whether that's true,
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:53:32.412 --> 00:53:35.412 you know you know urban agriculture
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:53:35.412 --> 00:53:37.003 initiatives and.
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:53:37.003 --> 00:53:39.895 You know, you know,
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:53:39.895 --> 00:53:42.854 having the the the city
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:53:42.854 --> 00:53:44.742 infrastructure support you know,
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:53:44.742 --> 00:53:46.472 smaller cottage businesses and food
NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:53:46.472 --> 00:53:48.220 provision that are lower costs.

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:53:48.220 --> 00:53:49.684 I think there's a lot of potential there.

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:53:49.690 --> 00:53:50.782 You know there is there stuff in

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:53:50.782 --> 00:53:51.820 the city level that we need to.

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:53:51.820 --> 00:53:53.809 We need to get out of the way in

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:53:53.809 --> 00:53:55.609 terms of regulatory regulations.

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:53:55.610 --> 00:53:56.980 Is there any Technical Support

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:53:56.980 --> 00:53:58.883 we can provide to folks who are

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:53:58.883 --> 00:54:00.329 typically not part of the the,

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:54:00.330 --> 00:54:00.984 you know,

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:54:00.984 --> 00:54:02.946 kind of the the Community food

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:54:02.946 --> 00:54:04.824 system and food business world

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:54:04.824 --> 00:54:06.330 that we can help with?

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:54:06.330 --> 00:54:08.010 So that's the opportunity that our

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:54:08.070 --> 00:54:09.685 food systems and policy division

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:54:09.685 --> 00:54:11.670 and that challenge that our phone

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:54:11.670 --> 00:54:13.518 system Poly division is taking on.

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:54:13.520 --> 00:54:14.858 They have a community Advisory Board

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:54:14.858 --> 00:54:16.715 or we have a community visor board

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:54:16.715 --> 00:54:18.545 of over 60 individuals that are

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:54:18.545 --> 00:54:19.994 participating in that and they'll

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:54:19.994 --> 00:54:21.929 be working through those challenges

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:54:21.929 --> 00:54:23.948 to ultimately develop a master plan

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:54:23.948 --> 00:54:26.036 for urban agriculture from the City

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:54:26.036 --> 00:54:28.686 of New Haven in the next year or so.

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:54:28.686 --> 00:54:30.046 So that's that's the way

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:54:30.046 --> 00:54:30.900 we're addressing that,

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:54:30.900 --> 00:54:32.502 and I'm happy to connect folks

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:54:32.502 --> 00:54:34.209 with the appropriate contact in my

NOTE Confidence: 0.901332400909091

00:54:34.209 --> 00:54:35.385 department if they're interested.

NOTE Confidence: 0.796981702

00:54:37.190 --> 00:54:40.077 Cole has his hand raised well,

NOTE Confidence: 0.796981702

00:54:40.077 --> 00:54:42.339 I think we have a question.

NOTE Confidence: 0.796981702

00:54:42.340 --> 00:54:46.568 From the chat, five well OK Bob.

NOTE Confidence: 0.796981702

00:54:46.570 --> 00:54:50.108 Hi thanks Doctor Dalloul for

NOTE Confidence: 0.796981702

00:54:50.108 --> 00:54:51.329 really interesting talk.

NOTE Confidence: 0.796981702

00:54:51.330 --> 00:54:54.930 I wanted to follow up on my

NOTE Confidence: 0.796981702

00:54:54.930 --> 00:54:58.770 question about food insecurity.

NOTE Confidence: 0.796981702

00:54:58.770 --> 00:55:01.698 As you are probably aware of

NOTE Confidence: 0.796981702

00:55:01.698 --> 00:55:04.310 Philadelphia as well as other.

NOTE Confidence: 0.796981702

00:55:04.310 --> 00:55:06.323 Municipalities have embraced

NOTE Confidence: 0.796981702

00:55:06.323 --> 00:55:09.678 something called a healthy corner

NOTE Confidence: 0.796981702

00:55:09.678 --> 00:55:11.996 store initiative and since we had

NOTE Confidence: 0.796981702

00:55:11.996 --> 00:55:13.980 you're shaking your head so that's

NOTE Confidence: 0.796981702

00:55:13.980 --> 00:55:16.931 good so you know we have not only

NOTE Confidence: 0.796981702

00:55:16.931 --> 00:55:18.926 food insecurity but we also have

NOTE Confidence: 0.796981702

00:55:18.926 --> 00:55:20.836 food deserts and so you don't

NOTE Confidence: 0.796981702

00:55:20.836 --> 00:55:23.160 have to walk that far from CMHC.

NOTE Confidence: 0.796981702

00:55:23.160 --> 00:55:23.575 Actually,
NOTE Confidence: 0.796981702

00:55:23.575 --> 00:55:25.650 it's right across the street
NOTE Confidence: 0.796981702

00:55:25.650 --> 00:55:27.860 from our our community garden.
NOTE Confidence: 0.796981702

00:55:27.860 --> 00:55:31.206 Where is bodegas and little corner stores,
NOTE Confidence: 0.796981702

00:55:31.210 --> 00:55:33.478 and you know you walk in the store and
NOTE Confidence: 0.796981702

00:55:33.478 --> 00:55:35.922 you see it's just basically unhealthy stuff.
NOTE Confidence: 0.796981702

00:55:35.922 --> 00:55:38.930 And so I was wondering if you could
NOTE Confidence: 0.796981702

00:55:39.005 --> 00:55:41.393 comment on that initiative and to
NOTE Confidence: 0.796981702

00:55:41.393 --> 00:55:44.176 what extent New Haven might try to
NOTE Confidence: 0.796981702

00:55:44.176 --> 00:55:46.050 do something along those lines.
NOTE Confidence: 0.924681596363636

00:55:47.380 --> 00:55:49.403 Yeah, so I haven't been involved too
NOTE Confidence: 0.924681596363636

00:55:49.403 --> 00:55:52.060 much in New Haven, so I'll speak to my
NOTE Confidence: 0.924681596363636

00:55:52.060 --> 00:55:53.925 experience and as the chronic disease
NOTE Confidence: 0.924681596363636

00:55:53.925 --> 00:55:55.422 director where we actually launched
NOTE Confidence: 0.924681596363636

00:55:55.422 --> 00:55:57.000 the initiative wasn't in New Haven,
NOTE Confidence: 0.924681596363636

00:55:57.000 --> 00:56:00.348 but we we partnered with Bridgeport.

NOTE Confidence: 0.924681596363636

00:56:00.350 --> 00:56:03.806 It. It's a really good idea.

NOTE Confidence: 0.924681596363636

00:56:03.810 --> 00:56:06.174 The execution of of having healthy

NOTE Confidence: 0.924681596363636

00:56:06.174 --> 00:56:09.189 foods in in small businesses and corner

NOTE Confidence: 0.924681596363636

00:56:09.189 --> 00:56:12.367 stores is actually where the where you

NOTE Confidence: 0.924681596363636

00:56:12.450 --> 00:56:15.390 know most of the challenges lie and.

NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429

00:56:18.210 --> 00:56:19.962 And without the appropriately,

NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429

00:56:19.962 --> 00:56:22.590 I guess I can't overestimate or

NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429

00:56:22.662 --> 00:56:24.638 underestimate the amount of.

NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429

00:56:24.640 --> 00:56:27.046 Technical Support logistical

NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429

00:56:27.046 --> 00:56:29.430 support that you know.

NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429

00:56:29.430 --> 00:56:31.770 The smaller businesses small food misses

NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429

00:56:31.770 --> 00:56:34.497 need to actually have a sustainable.

NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429

00:56:34.500 --> 00:56:36.942 A business plan that that can

NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429

00:56:36.942 --> 00:56:39.500 stock healthy foods and stop them

NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429

00:56:39.500 --> 00:56:41.615 appropriately stocked them in a

NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429

00:56:41.615 --> 00:56:44.270 way that that reduces spoilage.
NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429

00:56:44.270 --> 00:56:46.130 There you know, there's simple things
NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429

00:56:46.130 --> 00:56:48.579 such as you know refrigerator access,
NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429

00:56:48.580 --> 00:56:50.614 the correct type of refrigerator like
NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429

00:56:50.614 --> 00:56:52.989 there's there's a host of sort of these.
NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429

00:56:52.990 --> 00:56:54.985 You know what seems like small bore
NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429

00:56:54.985 --> 00:56:56.380 logistical challenges that you know
NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429

00:56:56.380 --> 00:56:57.828 if you're big grocery chain, yes,
NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429

00:56:57.828 --> 00:56:59.880 you're going to have the resources to do it,
NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429

00:56:59.880 --> 00:57:01.794 but in the corner store environment
NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429

00:57:01.794 --> 00:57:03.568 it is actually very challenging
NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429

00:57:03.568 --> 00:57:05.288 and requires a sustained.
NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429

00:57:05.290 --> 00:57:07.628 Attention over a long period of time,
NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429

00:57:07.630 --> 00:57:09.425 especially if you're hoping ultimately
NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429

00:57:09.425 --> 00:57:11.632 that these will be self sustaining
NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429

00:57:11.632 --> 00:57:13.720 in terms of the business model.

NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429
00:57:13.720 --> 00:57:15.162 So that's that not to be like
NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429
00:57:15.162 --> 00:57:16.889 not to be discouraged by that,
NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429
00:57:16.890 --> 00:57:19.170 but that that was sort of our experience
NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429
00:57:19.170 --> 00:57:21.476 in working in those types of initiatives.
NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429
00:57:21.480 --> 00:57:23.286 Is that if it's under resourced or
NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429
00:57:23.286 --> 00:57:25.262 if one key champion kind of decides
NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429
00:57:25.262 --> 00:57:27.330 to move on to a different role,
NOTE Confidence: 0.942384363571429
00:57:27.330 --> 00:57:29.138 it's hard to sustain.
NOTE Confidence: 0.88192661
00:57:29.840 --> 00:57:31.160 Devil is in the details.
NOTE Confidence: 0.88192661
00:57:31.160 --> 00:57:35.260 I I hear you so thanks.
NOTE Confidence: 0.88192661
00:57:35.260 --> 00:57:37.120 And so from the chat section,
NOTE Confidence: 0.88192661
00:57:37.120 --> 00:57:38.336 Charlotte Niche,
NOTE Confidence: 0.88192661
00:57:38.336 --> 00:57:41.376 a Connecticut Food alliance network.
NOTE Confidence: 0.88192661
00:57:41.380 --> 00:57:43.620 This is the acronym and
NOTE Confidence: 0.88192661
00:57:43.620 --> 00:57:45.860 for ten or bombers back.
NOTE Confidence: 0.88192661

00:57:45.860 --> 00:57:47.260 Thank you for being here.
NOTE Confidence: 0.88192661

00:57:47.260 --> 00:57:48.948 Could you tell us more about how you
NOTE Confidence: 0.88192661

00:57:48.948 --> 00:57:50.064 became interested in public health
NOTE Confidence: 0.88192661

00:57:50.064 --> 00:57:51.366 and working in the public sector?
NOTE Confidence: 0.76685051

00:57:53.160 --> 00:57:55.460 Uh, yeah, sure I had to do that so that,
NOTE Confidence: 0.76685051

00:57:55.460 --> 00:57:58.382 uh, probably. I was probably interested
NOTE Confidence: 0.76685051

00:57:58.382 --> 00:58:00.950 since I entered medical school.
NOTE Confidence: 0.76685051

00:58:00.950 --> 00:58:04.170 Uhm, I just the first.
NOTE Confidence: 0.76685051

00:58:04.170 --> 00:58:07.264 The first few days of basic science
NOTE Confidence: 0.76685051

00:58:07.264 --> 00:58:10.130 classes I think spurred me to think
NOTE Confidence: 0.76685051

00:58:10.130 --> 00:58:12.440 differently about what else I could
NOTE Confidence: 0.76685051

00:58:12.510 --> 00:58:14.356 learn to keep myself stimulated.
NOTE Confidence: 0.76685051

00:58:14.356 --> 00:58:16.600 And and luckily where I went
NOTE Confidence: 0.76685051

00:58:16.675 --> 00:58:18.649 to Med school at Mount Sinai,
NOTE Confidence: 0.76685051

00:58:18.650 --> 00:58:21.035 they offered a concurrent masters
NOTE Confidence: 0.76685051

00:58:21.035 --> 00:58:22.943 of Community Medicine program,

NOTE Confidence: 0.76685051

00:58:22.950 --> 00:58:24.678 so I'd without planning to when

NOTE Confidence: 0.76685051

00:58:24.678 --> 00:58:26.270 I enrolled in medical school,

NOTE Confidence: 0.76685051

00:58:26.270 --> 00:58:28.320 I decided to give that.

NOTE Confidence: 0.76685051

00:58:28.320 --> 00:58:29.751 Uh, a world.

NOTE Confidence: 0.76685051

00:58:29.751 --> 00:58:32.294 So I ended up, you know,

NOTE Confidence: 0.76685051

00:58:32.294 --> 00:58:34.196 being involved in in a dual

NOTE Confidence: 0.76685051

00:58:34.196 --> 00:58:35.810 degree program at Mount Sinai,

NOTE Confidence: 0.76685051

00:58:35.810 --> 00:58:37.532 getting my Indiana and a Masters in

NOTE Confidence: 0.76685051

00:58:37.532 --> 00:58:39.458 medicine as part of that Masters program.

NOTE Confidence: 0.76685051

00:58:39.460 --> 00:58:41.920 It took, you know, typical,

NOTE Confidence: 0.76685051

00:58:41.920 --> 00:58:43.620 you know MPH type classes,

NOTE Confidence: 0.76685051

00:58:43.620 --> 00:58:46.000 although they would wasn't called an MPH,

NOTE Confidence: 0.76685051

00:58:46.000 --> 00:58:47.956 but also had a the fortune

NOTE Confidence: 0.76685051

00:58:47.956 --> 00:58:49.570 to have a couple of.

NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:58:51.950 --> 00:58:56.498 Experiences doing public health work abroad.

NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:58:56.500 --> 00:58:57.608 And that, you know,
NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:58:57.608 --> 00:58:59.733 once you go go abroad at the
NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:58:59.733 --> 00:59:01.864 impressionable young age of 23 or 24,
NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:59:01.864 --> 00:59:03.680 it kind of kind of hooks you for life.
NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:59:03.680 --> 00:59:05.864 So I, I knew I was going to
NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:59:05.864 --> 00:59:07.967 do public health at that time.
NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:59:07.970 --> 00:59:12.178 Did my residency in primary care at NYU
NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:59:12.180 --> 00:59:14.356 and then I guess another turning point was,
NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:59:14.360 --> 00:59:18.140 you know I was sort of attracted by the glory
NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:59:18.227 --> 00:59:21.587 of academia enrolled in the RWJ program.
NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:59:21.590 --> 00:59:23.750 Its previous iteration here at Yale,
NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:59:23.750 --> 00:59:24.702 and was it took.
NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:59:24.702 --> 00:59:27.107 It took a few years but I was disabused
NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:59:27.107 --> 00:59:28.931 of the notion that academia was
NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:59:28.931 --> 00:59:31.046 the right fit for me and I really
NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:59:31.046 --> 00:59:34.262 wanted to do applied work and and

NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:59:34.262 --> 00:59:36.236 then ended up working at the New

NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:59:36.236 --> 00:59:38.159 York City Department of Health.

NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:59:38.160 --> 00:59:41.094 Under very, very strong mentorship of

NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:59:41.094 --> 00:59:43.820 some public health leaders you know,

NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:59:43.820 --> 00:59:45.056 Tom Frieden had left by then.

NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:59:45.060 --> 00:59:45.964 But he was his.

NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:59:45.964 --> 00:59:47.703 His shadow is large over the New

NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:59:47.703 --> 00:59:49.019 York City Health Department,

NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:59:49.020 --> 00:59:50.220 Tom Farley and other,

NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:59:50.220 --> 00:59:50.820 you know,

NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:59:50.820 --> 00:59:52.660 important prominent leaders Sonya Angel.

NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:59:52.660 --> 00:59:54.488 They were all at the Nexus of

NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:59:54.488 --> 00:59:55.908 exciting public health work and

NOTE Confidence: 0.873606071666667

00:59:55.908 --> 00:59:57.848 and I was hooked since then.

NOTE Confidence: 0.952853976666667

01:00:01.720 --> 01:00:05.342 Fantastic thank you. I. Trish,

NOTE Confidence: 0.952853976666667

01:00:05.342 --> 01:00:08.318 anyone else that looks oh wait,
NOTE Confidence: 0.952853976666667

01:00:08.320 --> 01:00:10.340 one more hand. Kyle Peterson.
NOTE Confidence: 0.7466132

01:00:12.470 --> 01:00:12.940 Kyle
NOTE Confidence: 0.82524268625

01:00:15.140 --> 01:00:15.988 thank you very much.
NOTE Confidence: 0.82524268625

01:00:15.988 --> 01:00:16.836 Thank you Doctor Bell.
NOTE Confidence: 0.82524268625

01:00:16.840 --> 01:00:19.080 It's wonderful to hear you present again
NOTE Confidence: 0.82524268625

01:00:19.080 --> 01:00:21.648 and and see how this is all emerging.
NOTE Confidence: 0.82524268625

01:00:21.650 --> 01:00:24.476 My question has to do with financial health
NOTE Confidence: 0.82524268625

01:00:24.476 --> 01:00:26.842 and I know you mentioned the financial
NOTE Confidence: 0.82524268625

01:00:26.842 --> 01:00:28.645 empowerment work that the city is doing.
NOTE Confidence: 0.82524268625

01:00:28.650 --> 01:00:30.456 One of our colleagues anti Harper
NOTE Confidence: 0.82524268625

01:00:30.456 --> 01:00:32.325 who I think you may be met 'cause
NOTE Confidence: 0.82524268625

01:00:32.325 --> 01:00:34.050 she's affiliated with Perch has done
NOTE Confidence: 0.82524268625

01:00:34.050 --> 01:00:36.513 a lot of work on financial health
NOTE Confidence: 0.82524268625

01:00:36.513 --> 01:00:38.924 and its relationship to mental health
NOTE Confidence: 0.82524268625

01:00:38.924 --> 01:00:40.946 and overall health and well being.

NOTE Confidence: 0.82524268625

01:00:40.950 --> 01:00:43.110 So I'm wondering to what degree do you

NOTE Confidence: 0.82524268625

01:00:43.110 --> 01:00:45.480 think that that that financial empowerment.

NOTE Confidence: 0.82524268625

01:00:45.480 --> 01:00:48.460 Work in the city could also come to bear on

NOTE Confidence: 0.82524268625

01:00:48.530 --> 01:00:51.578 this new department of Community resiliency.

NOTE Confidence: 0.82524268625

01:00:51.580 --> 01:00:53.929 It seems like in a city where we have

NOTE Confidence: 0.82524268625

01:00:53.929 --> 01:00:56.639 such high poverty rates and where we know

NOTE Confidence: 0.82524268625

01:00:56.639 --> 01:00:58.974 that the financial stresses are also

NOTE Confidence: 0.82524268625

01:00:58.974 --> 01:01:01.458 having being expressed in health outcomes,

NOTE Confidence: 0.82524268625

01:01:01.460 --> 01:01:02.535 that that would be an

NOTE Confidence: 0.82524268625

01:01:02.535 --> 01:01:03.395 important area to address.

NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:04.730 --> 01:01:05.598 Yeah, that's a really

NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:05.598 --> 01:01:06.683 important point that you know.

NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:06.690 --> 01:01:08.118 I guess that's the danger of the

NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:08.118 --> 01:01:09.208 showing org charts that it is.

NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:09.210 --> 01:01:12.108 It is that things visually looks siloed,

NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:12.110 --> 01:01:14.240 but there's a lot of integration
NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:14.240 --> 01:01:15.305 even already happening,
NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:15.310 --> 01:01:18.124 so we the financial apartment is
NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:18.124 --> 01:01:21.052 already integrated with some of our
NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:21.052 --> 01:01:23.000 service providers that provide.
NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:23.000 --> 01:01:24.644 Programs for individuals
NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:24.644 --> 01:01:25.740 experiencing homelessness.
NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:25.740 --> 01:01:27.690 There's there's referral pathways there.
NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:27.690 --> 01:01:29.242 We have referral pathways
NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:29.242 --> 01:01:30.794 with the Housing Authority,
NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:30.800 --> 01:01:32.096 so I I think you know,
NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:32.100 --> 01:01:34.128 there's plenty of opportunity for integrate.
NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:34.130 --> 01:01:35.426 There's referral pathways with
NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:35.426 --> 01:01:36.398 our reentry population,
NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:36.400 --> 01:01:38.158 so it's all actually, you know,
NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:38.160 --> 01:01:40.880 to an extent already communicating.

NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:40.880 --> 01:01:42.520 I think there's always opportunity

NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:42.520 --> 01:01:44.160 to do more coordination and

NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:44.216 --> 01:01:45.908 communication and and expansion.

NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:45.910 --> 01:01:47.728 I'm actually hoping to expand the

NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:47.728 --> 01:01:49.375 work of the Financial Empowerment

NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:49.375 --> 01:01:51.692 Center using using RP dollars an.

NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:51.692 --> 01:01:54.716 To really make it much more robust,

NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:54.720 --> 01:01:56.580 it's actually a pretty small department.

NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:56.580 --> 01:01:58.120 Here we we only have like a

NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:58.120 --> 01:01:59.372 couple of counselors and they

NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:01:59.372 --> 01:02:00.717 can only carry certain caseload.

NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:02:00.720 --> 01:02:03.640 I think there's potential do a lot more

NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:02:03.640 --> 01:02:05.610 integration with existing services,

NOTE Confidence: 0.891691528888889

01:02:05.610 --> 01:02:09.230 so I I I see it integrated in in many ways.

NOTE Confidence: 0.83303356

01:02:13.590 --> 01:02:18.370 Now that does appear to be it. K.

NOTE Confidence: 0.85046113125

01:02:18.370 --> 01:02:22.026 Well, once again thank you so much Mahal.

NOTE Confidence: 0.85046113125

01:02:22.030 --> 01:02:23.014 Really thought provoking.

NOTE Confidence: 0.85046113125

01:02:23.014 --> 01:02:25.310 I think there's a lot going forward

NOTE Confidence: 0.85046113125

01:02:25.364 --> 01:02:27.104 that the department of people in

NOTE Confidence: 0.85046113125

01:02:27.104 --> 01:02:28.672 the department can be interested

NOTE Confidence: 0.85046113125

01:02:28.672 --> 01:02:30.417 in partnering with the city.

NOTE Confidence: 0.85046113125

01:02:30.420 --> 01:02:32.618 I'm so thank you and we look

NOTE Confidence: 0.85046113125

01:02:32.618 --> 01:02:34.479 to hear more about this.

NOTE Confidence: 0.85046113125

01:02:34.480 --> 01:02:35.329 My future great

NOTE Confidence: 0.950340256

01:02:35.340 --> 01:02:37.000 thank you. Appreciate the opportunity.