## <u>Steps to Success – Self Sufficiency Programming Through Service</u> <u>Coordination and Management Collaboration</u>

Steps to Success is an educational program that provides financial literacy and employment education and resources to low income residents to help them work to increase their income and work toward self-sufficiency. This program is implemented in a collaboration between Housing Management and Resident and Community Services.

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## Irene Wehrwein

Irene Wehrwein is the Self Sufficiency Program Administrator in the Resident and Community Services Department at the Denver Housing Authority. As the Self Sufficiency Program Administrator, Irene supports Service Coordinators across DHA's family properties and administers programming to further residents' economic self- sufficiency. Irene is a graduate of the University of Colorado, where she earned BAs in Neuroscience and Psychology. She took her passion for working with people to Denver Housing Authority, where she worked as a Service Coordinator since 2016 before serving in her current role.



## <u>Tina Johnson</u>

Tina Johnson is a Service Coordinator in the Resident Community Services Department at the Denver Housing Authority. Tina has been in the social service field for 26 years. As a Service Coordinator, Tina works with both family and senior/disabled communities. She helps residents improve their financial literacy and promotes physical and emotional well-being to support residents in reaching financial selfsufficiency and aging in place goals.