

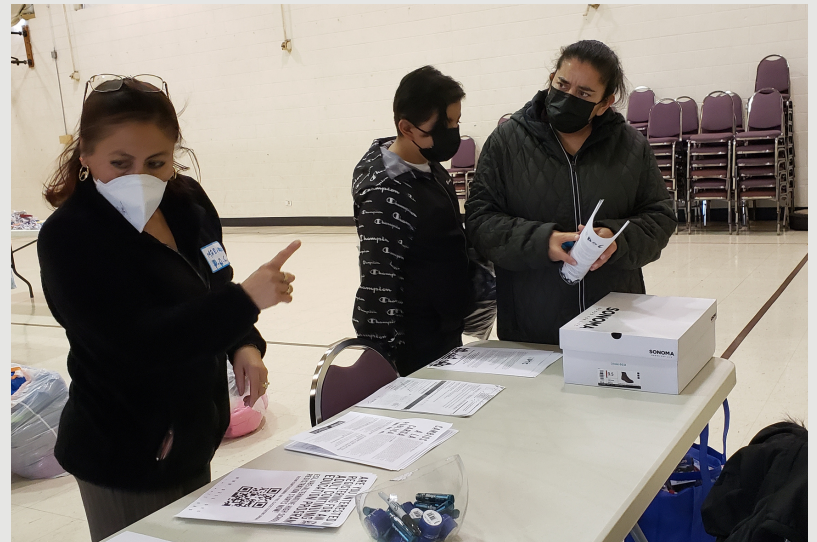
Moment of the Month

January 2022



POC celebrated Martin Luther King Day by hosting the first Day of Warmth event for families primarily living in Hanover, Schaumburg, and Hoffman Estates. We distributed 74 coats and snow pants, homemade knit hats, and essential information on immigrant and renter's rights. This event was made possible through the generous support and participation from the Schaumburg Hoffman Estates Rotary Club, Church of the Cross, and Church of Christ. A few highlights of the impact of this outreach include:

- A Venezuelan family, new to Illinois, received five winter coats. They had never seen snow and only brought sweaters with them.
- A Mother asked for a coat for her elderly mother, having her first winter in Illinois. We found one, just her size!
- A Hoffman Estates family needed coats, and we noticed that one of them was only wearing sandals and socks. We provided the family coats and boots for him.



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