**Benefits of Service Learning**

**Benefits to Students**
- Learn from the agency personnel, clientele, experience, and the instructor.
- Explore majors and careers, gain valuable job experience, and strengthen the resume.
- Enhance critical thinking skills and moral/ethical development.
- Provide practical application of academic pursuits.
- Increase understanding of multicultural values and traditions.

**Benefits to Faculty**
- Form new ways of encouraging students’ academic progress and comprehension.
- Build avenues for greater understanding through intentional critical reflection.
- Improve the motivational base for instruction and learning.
- Generate support and positive publicity in the community.
- Establish relationships with people in the community.

**Benefits to the Community**
- Increases opportunities for collaboration and the creation of possible solutions.
- Enhances meaningful services to the community.
- Increases awareness of community needs.
- Creates opportunities for community partners to participate in student learning.
- Builds community awareness of college programs and services.