**Education Statement, Mission and Goals of Urban Ingenuity:**

**"To educate, inform support, distribute, and conduct free learning courses, workshops, and one on one counseling related to Medicare, health, vocations, nutrition and other classes as needed for the general community, especially disadvantaged people being inclusive through diverse community events, classes, and instruction; including specific information on health and nutrion through in person and virtual on-line courses and distance learning classes.”**

**Goals: To improve and provide for better general life-long learning and education courses through detailed, specific instruction, and communication.**

**To provide access through direct services and collaboration with various community leaders, agencies and organizations specialized in knowledge, and education for specific advancement; including, but not limited to general education, health, and  personal finance management.**

**The education courses, counseling and health information we provide is for all, and not limited to, but includes homeless, young people, minorities, and seniors regardless of age, birth, gender, nationality, religion, orientation, or political beliefs.**

**Background:** Since Urban Ingenuity’s inception in 2021, Urban Ingenuity leaders and partners have steadily worked in our community to provide and distribute concrete services, health and educational information through events, classes, seminars, and food security give-a-ways through our efforts and in collaboration with our partners. We also provide free one on one counseling sessions for those with social and special needs.

We have conducted numerous weekend and weekday classes and seminars, events and festivals connecting seniors to better health benefits in one on one sessions. We take pride in our real action.  We work to bring together volunteers including health and education professionals, and certified Medicare Insurance representatives and guide seniors through the complicated processes of gaining much needed health and dental coverage. along with access to good nutrition.

**History:** Our christening event took place in October of 2019, before we became incorporated with nearly 4,000 people, including well over 800 children in attendance at an outdoor festival.

Since that first event, we have incorporated as a Federally recognized, tax exempt, nonprofit organization. We are also recognized by the Secretary of the State of California as a legal, nonprofit corporation.