

With the aid of a \$7.4 million HUD grant, ABCD and the Church of the Holy Mass. Board of Higher Spirit establish 45 units of elder Education votes to charter affordable housing in Mattapan. This is Urban College of Boston as a the first of four such initiatives that ABCD establishes Massachusetts degree-granting institution of brought \$28.2 million in HUD funds to Immigration & Refugee higher education. Boston and created 206 units of elder Assistance (MIRA) to ensure housing in low-income neighborhoods. immigrants' rights are protected. ABCD starts University High -Ford Foundation gives an alternative high school in ABCD a special award for collaboration with the Boston its Summer Training & Public Schools to serve young Education Program (STEP) people who struggle to combat high school academically or otherwise in dropout problem. the traditional system. 1982 1982 1987 1994 1993 2015 2016 2020 2020 2022

ABCD expands to serve the Mystic Valley region, receiving federal Community Services Block Grant and other funding and successfully providing vital services and programs.

COVID-19 poses unprecedented challenges for ABCD and the world, but ABCD turns adversity into action by scaling up emergency services, using technology to meet people where they are, and providing direct relief to community members who need it most.

John J. Drew retires and Sharon Scott-Chandler, Esg. becomes the first woman to serve as ABCD President & CEO. ABCD celebrates its 60th anniversary at the Community Heroes Celebration. John I. Drew is inducted into the ABCD Hall of Fame.

ABCD renovates an historic building on the ABCD Roxbury/North Dorchester campus and names it for community activist, educator volunteer and health champion and longtime ABCD board member Thelma D. Burns.

The MassHire Metro North Workforce Board (MNWB) selects ABCD as the operator of the MassHire Metro North Career Center.