

# **POVERTY SIMULATION**

*Enhancing awareness and sensitivity to the daily struggles of low-income families*

**Friday, Apr 17<sup>th</sup>  
9:00 am to 1:00 pm  
1101 Ave. D  
Brownwood**

*All proceeds will benefit*  
**BROWN COUNTY HOME SOLUTIONS**



We cross paths every day with people who live in poverty.  
For some, the wear and tear is obvious; for others, it is a silent struggle.  
Find out what it would be like to be in their shoes.

## **THE SIMULATION**

During a simulation, participants role-play the lives of low-income families, from single parents trying to care for their children, to senior citizens trying to maintain their self-sufficiency on Social Security. The task of each “family” is to provide food, shelter and other basic necessities during the simulation while interacting with various community organizations.

Although it uses “play” money and other props, fictional scenarios, and time limits, the poverty simulation is not a game. It is a simulation tool that enables participants to view poverty from different angles in an experiential setting.

**Simulation is \$25 per person. Must pre-register by Wednesday, April 15<sup>th</sup>, 2015. If there are spots available, you may register the day of the simulation. All proceeds will benefit Brown County Home Solutions. Four (4) hour CEU's provided upon request.**

**To be a part of the Poverty Simulation, complete the registration form below and send to  
Central Texas Opportunities, Inc.**

**118 W. Pecan, Suite 405  
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**Faxed to (325) 625-3335 or emailed to [mail@ctoinc.org](mailto:mail@ctoinc.org)**

**For more information call Central Texas Opportunities, Inc. (325) 625-4167**

### **Poverty Simulation Registration Form**

You may remit payment with registration or you will be mailed an invoice

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Name Phone Organization

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Mailing Address Email

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Signature

By signing and submitting the registration form you are guaranteeing payment, regardless of participation.  
If payment is not attached to your registration, you will be billed.

