

## Connecting Real People with Real Savings



## HOME REPAIR GRANTS TO THE RESCUE

Vincent was living in his home that desperately needed repairs that he could not afford. His quality of life was negatively impacted and he was starting to get notices of code violations from the City. Not knowing where to turn, he called a SpringFour subscriber to see if he had any options. She reviewed his situation, and quickly provided SpringFour referrals for local home repair programs. Vincent was able to get the repairs on his home addressed and receive grants to cover the costs of several thousand dollars. SpringFour referrals helped him find the resources to save and repair his home.



## PRESCRIPTION COSTS ON A FIXED INCOME

Getting by on an extremely tight budget with a fixed income from social security, Diane was overwhelmed by her prescription expenses. She was not always filling all of her prescribed medications because the copays were too high for her to cover each month. She called a SpringFour subscriber, and received referrals through SpringFour for prescription programs and a local senior center. From these referrals she was able to get prescription vouchers to cover her copays at \$80+ a month, saving more than \$950 annually. Diane is now able to fill all of her prescriptions each month and can spend a bit more on food and other necessities.



## LEGAL AID REFERRALS GREATLY REDUCE BANKRUPTCY EXPENSES

Vivian called a SpringFour subscriber to talk about her financial insecurity. Having lost significant income over the previous months, she was having a very difficult time paying her bills and had begun selling personal items to try to cover her monthly deficit. The subscriber worked with her on a budget and realized that she needed to file for bankruptcy. She received referrals through SpringFour for three different Legal Aid offices and was able to greatly reduce her legal expenses, saving at least \$3,000.