

For Immediate Release: June 19, 2018

Media Contact: [Adria Giordano](#), Director of Development, Chrysalis Center
(860) 263-4425

**Chrysalis Center’s “Homestead Farmers Market” Opens June 27
*Providing Fresh Food Options for North Hartford Residents***

Hartford, CT - Local farmers from Connecticut will bring fresh vegetables and fruits, as well as homemade goodies, to the Chrysalis Center’s “Homestead Farmers’ Market” beginning June 27, 2019.

Located on the Chrysalis Center’s main campus at 255 Homestead Avenue in Hartford, the Farmer’s Market provides fresh local foods to families in the area’s most improvised neighborhood. In addition to local produce and vegetables for sale, the market will feature freshly baked goods from Chrysalis Center’s training kitchen, La Cocina, the organization’s commercial kitchen which offers culinary arts hands-on training for clients.

Opening day will feature *Chompers*, the Hartford Yard Goat’s Mascot from who will be on hand to welcome guests, and Chrysalis will be offering a free planting activity for anyone who stops by.

The Homestead Farmers Market is open on Wednesday from 2-5pm and runs June 27-October 10, 2018. It is located in the Chrysalis Center’s upper parking lot and open to the public. Visitors may use their SNAP (food stamp), electronic benefit transfer (EBT) cards, WIC and Senior Farmers Market Nutrition Program benefits to buy items at the Market.

###

About Chrysalis Center

Chrysalis Center is a private, non-profit, socially innovative, multiservice organization that serves individuals and their families living in the State of Connecticut. Chrysalis Center helps those living in poverty, Veterans, men, women, children, and young adults who are struggling with mental health, addiction, HIV/AIDS, those returning from incarceration and homelessness. Find more information about how Chrysalis Center provides supportive services to assist people in need to transform their lives at: [Chrysalis Center](#). Getting help...Getting better...Giving back.

Follow us Find us: [Facebook](#) [Instagram](#) [Twitter](#)