Poverty is growing in our community as parts of the middle class are slipping into poverty. Poverty is a risk factor that impacts many areas of our community and citizens - education, health, child safety, etc. It is an underlying expense for us and our community. Bridges Out of Poverty is a community training that gives us a common language and helps us look through the lens of economic class so we can begin to address the four main factors that put and keep people in poverty.