



United Way
of Orange County

Working to improve
the health, education,
and financial stability
of every person in our
community

A large, semi-circular graphic on the right side of the slide. It features a background image of several hands clasped together in a circle. Overlaid on this is a dark grey rectangular border containing the word "COMMUNITY" in a bold, hand-drawn font. The letters "COM" are orange, and "MUNITY" are blue.

COMMUNITY

United Way works to improve the health, education, and financial stability of every person in every community. United Way organizations can be found around the globe, all with the same ultimate purpose. The international brand brings many resources in times of disaster and crisis.

United Way of Orange County works to improve the health, education, and financial stability of every person in Orange County. We work closely with our Partner Agencies to support this mission.





Our Partner Agencies

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Our Partner Agencies

- Anayat House
- Boy Scouts - Three River Council
- CASA of the Sabine Neches Region
- Crisis Center of Southeast Texas
- Family Services of SETX (Women and Children's Shelter)
- GOALS (Greater Orange Area Literacy Services)
- Jackson Community Center
- OCAA (Orange Community Action Association) - Meals on Wheels
- OCARC, Inc.
- Recovery Council of Southeast Texas – Right Choice of Orange County
- Recovery Council of Southeast Texas - Unity Treatment Center
- Salvation Army
- Salvation Army Boys and Girls Club
- Samaritan Counseling Center of Southeast Texas
- Shorkey Center
- Southeast Texas Food Bank
- Southeast Texas Hospice
- Spindletop Center - Tejas Center
- Stable-Spirit
- Vidor Children's Fund
- YMCA of Southeast Texas



Health


We work to improve the physical and mental health, safety, and well-being for people of all ages.

- Substance abuse treatment for adults and adolescents
- Mental health counseling
- Palliative care for end-of-life patients
- Advocates for abused and neglected children
- Medical hospitality house
- Youth vegetable garden
- Trauma services for victims of sexual assault
- Suicide intervention
- Shelter for women and children from domestic violence
- Meals delivered to elderly and disabled
- Men's residential treatment facility
- Physical, occupational, and speech therapies
- K.I.D.D. ABA (applied behavior analysis) treatment
- Equine assisted growth and learning assoc (EAGALA) services
- Hippotherapy and therapeutic riding



Education

We work to help children, youth, and adults achieve their full potential.

- GED preparation
 - ESL (English as a second language) classes
 - After school programs
 - Summer day camps
 - Leadership and mentoring
 - Character and skill building
 - Special needs vocational training
 - Adult basic training
 - Tutoring services
 - Youth literacy program
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Financial Stability

We work to promote financial stability and independence.

- Housing, rent and utility assistance
- Disaster and crisis assistance
- Food pantry
- Childcare assistance
- Clothing and household items vouchers
- Volunteer individual tax assistance



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By creating lasting changes in social conditions and preventing problems from happening, we create a stronger and healthier community for everyone.



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In addition to the collaboration with our Partner Agencies, we have many other programs to support our community.

EFSP

(Emergency Food and Shelter Program) allows jurisdictions in the United States to receive federal funding for approved agencies which can assist individuals with food, shelter, rent and utilities.



Day of Caring

An annual event where our Corporate Partners take a day to do a service project for one of our Partner Agencies or work to repair a flood-impacted home.





We partner with SingleCare to increase the Health and Financial Stability of families in our communities. Through their prescription savings card, SingleCare works to make prescription medications more affordable for all families, so that no one ever has to make the hard choice between the meds they need, and other basics like food or rent.

Disaster Relief/ Crisis Relief

Since 2017...

We have assisted in relief and recovery for five disasters that have impacted our community. We also provided COVID-19 relief.

- Harvey in 2017
- Imelda in 2019
- Laura in 2020
- COVID-19 in 2020
- Winter Storm Uri in 2021
- Tornadoes in 2021

- We have distributed nearly \$900,000 in disaster/crisis funds.
- We have coordinated nearly \$250,000 in relief supplies.
- We have provided countless volunteer hours.

Community Impact 2021

- Over 100,000 hot meals delivered to the homes of elderly or disabled individuals.
- 82 overnight accommodations provided to families while their loved ones received medical treatment.
- 56 families provided with end-of-life care, or comfort care for a loved one.
- 679 clients received crisis support and education regarding traumatic situations.
- 265 women with their children provided refuge from domestic violence.
- 178 clients received drug/alcohol counseling and treatment including relapse prevention, behavioral therapy, and motivational counseling.
285 clients received mental health counseling.
- 64 clients received Physical, Occupational, Speech and/or Behavioral Therapy.
- Over 3,500 residents provided emergency food, rental & utility assistance.
- 26 Intellectually challenged adults provided vocational and rehabilitative services including social, cognitive, and self-help skills.
- 37 adults learned to read and were taught basic education, learned English, and helped obtain their GED.
- More than 50 abused or neglected children provided a loving advocate to fight in court for the child's best interest.

Community Impact 2021

- 29 Adult males received inpatient alcohol/drug recovery rehabilitation consisting of counseling and education on maintaining a clean lifestyle.
- 101 children provided with new clothing and shoes.
- 575 individuals taught leadership development skills, empowerment skills, and how to become active and ethical citizens.
- 61 individuals provided with behavioral healthcare services to treat mental illness, chemical dependency, and intellectual/developmental disabilities.
- 25 individuals received computer skills and/or after-school tutoring.
- 72 Orange County residents living with genetic/neurological, sensory, musculoskeletal, speech and communication disorders learned relationship development, built muscle control, and gained confidence and independence through professionally guided interaction with horses.
- 650 residents provided with emergency rental/utility assistance during times of despair.
- 112 residents assisted with income tax services.
- 226 children provided free after school care program.
- At least 2,000 of those served were minors.



Over 1,500 Volunteer Hours in 2021

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HOW TO LIVE UNITED:

JOIN HANDS. OPEN YOUR HEART.
LEND YOUR MUSCLE. FIND YOUR VOICE.

GIVE 10% GIVE 100% GIVE 110%.

GIVE AN HOUR. GIVE A SATURDAY.

THINK OF WE BEFORE ME.

REACH OUT A HAND TO ONE AND

INFLUENCE

THE CONDITION OF ALL.

GIVE. ADVOCATE. VOLUNTEER.

LIVE UNITED.





GIVE



ADVOCATE



VOLUNTEER

GIVE – Donate through your employer, online, or mail donations.

ADVOCATE – Get informed, follow our social media, and share our messages.

VOLUNTEER – Give your time and talents to our Partner Agencies and special events.

Why donate through United Way?

- Our Partner Agencies are vetted through a very thorough application process every year. Allocations are determined based on need and those amounts are determined by a local Board.
- Many companies offer a corporate match. In some cases, that means if you donate \$100, your employer may match the contribution for a total donation of \$200.
- Some of our Partner Agencies rely heavily on funding from us. For example, 90% of the social service dollars distributed by The Salvation Army – Orange are from United Way of Orange County grants.

98.5% of Fund Stay LOCAL!

Your Dollars Make a Difference

- \$25 → an hour of outpatient drug/alcohol counseling
- \$50 → one day of safe transitional housing for abused women and children
- \$75 → three overnight stay for outpatients or caregivers using local medical facilities
- \$100 → two days of occupational training for a client

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People can easily create a Facebook birthday fundraiser for United Way of Orange County and share it with supporters and encourage them to give.

Giving Tuesday is a global day of giving fueled by the power of social media and collaboration that is celebrated on the Tuesday following Thanksgiving.



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Whether a small business, a major corporation or even a nonprofit organization, you can join the numerous local businesses and organizations that run United Way campaigns each year. Participating in a United Way campaign will give your organization the opportunity to learn firsthand about Orange County needs, as well as, provide rewarding team building experiences through volunteerism and engage your employees to make an impact in our community. Every workplace campaign is different and shaped around your organization's culture. Setting up and running a campaign is simple and we can help you every step of the way.

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