

“We don’t know where to go to get help!”

SOLUTION:

DIAL 2-1-1

GET CONNECTED GET ANSWERS

**SOUTHERN KENTUCKY 2-1-1 PROVIDES TARGETED
REFERRALS FOR THE FOLLOWING NEEDS:**

**FOOD | HOUSING | RENT/UTILITY AID | EMERGENCY SHELTER
CLOTHING | TRANSPORTATION ASSISTANCE | SUBSTANCE ABUSE
CHILD CARE OPTIONS | SENIOR ISSUES | MEDICAL AND DENTAL CARE
IMMIGRATION | PRESCRIPTIONS | MENTAL HEALTH | HOME REPAIR
AND MUCH MORE!**

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- CONFIDENTIAL



**CHARTING A COURSE
FOR CHANGE**

**VISION: A SOUTHERN KENTUCKY WHERE ALL RESIDENTS ARE
EDUCATED, HEALTHY, & FINANCIALLY STABLE.**

To achieve this vision, United Way focuses on investments in Education, Income, Health and Safety Net programs in Allen, Barren, Butler, Edmonson, Hart, Logan, Metcalfe, Monroe, Simpson and Warren counties.
Take a look inside to see how YOUR donation is making an impact!

WITH A SINGLE DONATION, YOU CAN TACKLE THE ROOT CAUSES OF OUR COMMUNITY'S MOST PRESSING ISSUES INCLUDING...



EDUCATION

Your donation will be invested in programs that prepare children, youth & young adults to succeed in school and life through...

KINDERGARTEN READINESS

BIG BOLD GOAL: Increase BRADD Area Kindergarten Readiness Scores from 49.4% to 75% by the year 2020

- Training parents to be their child's first and best teacher
- Providing high-quality early learning classrooms equipped with language-rich play and discovery
- Connecting families with social and developmental services needed for school success
- Eliminating transportation barriers for preschoolers to attend readiness camp
- Increasing access to high-quality licensed childcare
- Mentoring and relationship building with in-classroom volunteers

COLLEGE & CAREER READINESS

BIG BOLD GOAL: Increase BRADD Area College & Career Readiness Scores from 65% to 80% by the year 2020

- Preparing high school students to stay in school, graduate and transition to college through the development of soft skills
- Building character, leadership and life skills during out-of-school time
- Reducing individual risk factors through focus on literacy, science and math
- Expanding opportunities for hands-on learning activities in the areas of STEM
- Creating career pathways for students through a state-of-the art learning environment



INCOME

Your gift will help support strategies to ensure people have the appropriate skills to maintain a living wage employment through...

WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

- Providing training skills to increase wages of single parents while simultaneously providing low cost afterschool programming for their children
- Assisting adults with obtaining academic skills and credentials needed to transition to post-secondary education, function productively in the workforce and support their families
- Supplying books and technology resources to students preparing for GED testing and career certifications



HEALTH

Your dollars will help support programs that give people access to quality, affordable health & crisis intervention services through...

ACCESS TO AFFORDABLE HEALTH CARE

- Educating and advocating for elderly long-term care residents to improve health and well being
- Offering substance abuse education and counseling before treatment
- Helping individuals obtain health insurance and medical treatment
- Delivering access to substance abuse services while learning life skills to transition to independence

SAFE HOME & COMMUNITY

- Giving victims of domestic violence and their children a safe environment in order to focus on treatment options, safety planning and eventual recovery
- Educating school age children about the dangers of bullying, sexual harassment, dating violence, and stalking
- Partnering with churches to provide temporary care for at-risk children as an alternative to foster care
- Teaching parents and children to care for themselves and each other appropriately in order to reduce child abuse and neglect



SAFETY NET

Your support will be invested in programs so that basic needs are met in a timely manner through a coordinated system of resources through...

ACCESS TO BASIC NEEDS

- Increasing awareness and advocating for safe, affordable housing
- Providing emergency housing to individuals who are homeless or in crisis
- Collaborating with community partners to fill in the gaps for individuals in crisis by identifying causes and helping change the individuals' condition
- Helping single parents obtain stability through court action to establish child custody, housing, spousal maintenance and child support
- Resolving serious problems for individuals in financial crisis in order to increase their ability to secure basic needs for them and their children

TRANSPORTATION

- Supplying residents with options to assist with transportation to employment or employment related activities
- Offering transportation options to allow residents access to basic needs (i.e. food, housing, healthcare, etc.)

Your investment with United Way will improve lives and make our community stronger...not only for today, but for generations to come.