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Arkansas

CSBG NETWORK PARTICIPANTS

Arkansas administers CSBG to
16 agencies in 100% of AR counties

73% of AR families served were in poverty, below 100% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines

24% of AR families served were in severe poverty, below 50% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines

The CSBG Network provided services to **224,027 low-income individuals in 119,961 families in Arkansas.**

Vulnerable populations served included:

62,839 children

53,776 people with disabilities

53,813 seniors

89,822 people who lacked health insurance

Nationally, 1,040 agencies receiving CSBG funding provided services to 15.7 million low-income individuals in 6.7 million families.

Of the 6.7 million families nationwide, 70% of those families were living in poverty, below 100% of the Federal Poverty Guildelines.

CSBG NETWORK RESOURCES

For every $1 of CSBG, the AR Network leveraged $4.49 from state, local, and private sources, including the value of volunteer hours*

$1.34 State
$0.09 Local
$2.59 Private
$0.46 Value of Volunteer Hours

$4.49

*Value of Volunteer Hours calculated using federal minimum wage, except in those states with a higher minimum wage.

$7,921,289 CSBG funds were allocated in support of the AR CSBG Network

The AR Network's non-CSBG funding totaled **$116,035,559**

Including all federal sources and volunteer hours, the AR CSBG Network leveraged **15.11 per $1** of CSBG

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CSBG PERFORMANCE OUTCOMES FOR ARKANSAS

Below is a subset of the AR Network's **929,300 outcomes**, including indicators of movement toward self-sufficiency and community revitalization.

Outcomes Include:

160,232	**Employment or Work Supports** Low-income participants in CSBG Network employment initiatives obtained supports which reduced or eliminated barriers to initial or continuous employment, acquired a job, obtained an increase in employment income, or achieved "living wage" employment and benefits.
5,538	**Economic Asset Enhancement and Utilization** Low-income households achieved an increase in financial assets or financial skills as a result of CSBG Network assistance.
52,663	**Child and Family Development** Infants, children, youth, parents, and other adults participated in developmental or enrichment programs facilitated by the CSBG Network and achieved program goals.
98,030	**Independent Living for Low-Income Vulnerable Populations** Low-income vulnerable individuals received services from the CSBG Network and secured or maintained an independent living situation as a result.
122,749	**Family Stability** Low-income participants obtained supports which reduced or eliminated barriers to family stability through assistance from the CSBG Network.
438,413	**Emergency Assistance** Low-income individuals and families received emergency assistance from the CSBG Network.
18,898	**Community Opportunities and Resources** Community opportunities or resources were improved or expanded for low-income people as a result of CSBG Network projects or initiatives, or advocacy with other public and private agencies.
32,777	**Community Empowerment** Community members and low-income people mobilized to engage in activities that support and promote their own well-being and that of their community as a direct result of CSBG Network initiatives through maximum feasible participation.