

# 2016 STATE CSBG FACTSHEETS



From the CO FFY 2015 Community Services Block Grant Information System Survey

## Colorado

### CSBG NETWORK PARTICIPANTS

The Colorado State Office administered CSBG funds to 35 Community Action Agencies in 97% of CO counties.

In Colorado, Community Action Agencies provided services to 49,897 low-income individuals.

74% of families served by the CSBG Network lived below 100% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines.

40% of families served in CO were in severe poverty, below 50% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines.

Vulnerable populations served included:



5,304  
people who  
lacked health  
insurance



7,180  
people with  
disabilities



10,440  
seniors



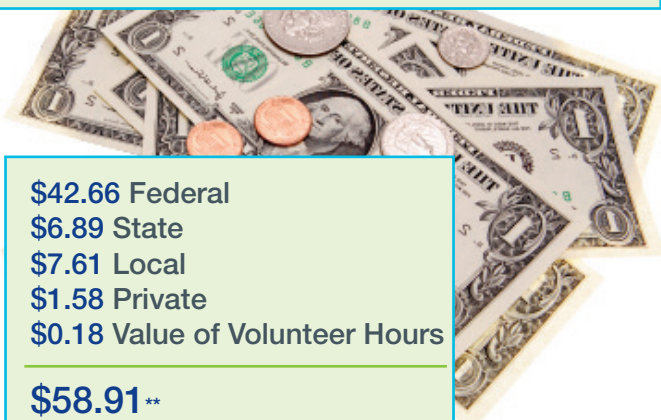
8,890  
children

Nationally, of the 6.6 million families served by the CSBG Network, 82.6% were living below 125% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines.

Nationally, 1,026 Community Action Agencies receiving CSBG funding provided services to 15.6 million individuals with low-incomes.

### CSBG NETWORK RESOURCES

For every \$1 of CSBG, the CO Network leveraged \$58.91 from federal, state, local, and private sources, including the value of volunteer hours.\*



\$6,109,717 in CSBG funds were allocated in support of local entities in Colorado.

The CO Network's non-CSBG funding totaled \$310,805,839.52.

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

\*\* Values may not equal total due to rounding

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## CSBG PERFORMANCE OUTCOMES FOR COLORADO

Services and strategies provided by the CO Network resulted in **55,493 outcomes for participants and communities with low incomes.**

### Outcomes Include:

3,700

#### Employment

Participants with low incomes in the CSBG Network employment initiatives obtained supports which reduced or eliminated barriers to initial or continuous employment, acquired a job, increased their income, or achieved “living wage” employment and benefits.

484

#### Economic Asset Enhancement and Utilization

Households with low incomes increased their financial assets or financial skills.

412

#### 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.

11,666

#### Independent Living for Vulnerable Populations with Low Incomes

Vulnerable individuals with low incomes received services from the CSBG Network and secured or maintained an independent living situation as a result.

5,068

#### Family Stability

Participants with low incomes obtained supports which reduced or eliminated barriers to family stability through assistance from the CSBG Network.

30,039

#### Emergency Assistance

Individuals and families with low incomes received emergency assistance from the CSBG Network.

1,341

#### Community Opportunities and Resources

Community opportunities or resources were improved or expanded for people with low incomes as a result of CSBG Network projects or initiatives, or partnerships with other public and private agencies.

2,783

#### Community Empowerment

Community members and people with low incomes mobilized to engage in activities that support and promote their own well-being and that of their community as a result of CSBG Network initiatives through maximum feasible participation.