

# FFY 2017 STATE CSBG FACTSHEETS



From the LA FFY 2017 Community Services Block Grant Information System Survey

## Louisiana

### CSBG NETWORK PARTICIPANTS

The Louisiana State Office administered CSBG funds to **42 Community Action Agencies**.

In Louisiana, Community Action Agencies provided services to **255,077 low income individuals**.

**75%** of families served in LA by the CSBG Network lived below **100%** of the Federal Poverty Guidelines.

Vulnerable populations served included:



**58,336**  
seniors



**59,499**  
people with disabilities



**53,018**  
people who lacked health insurance



**71,406**  
children

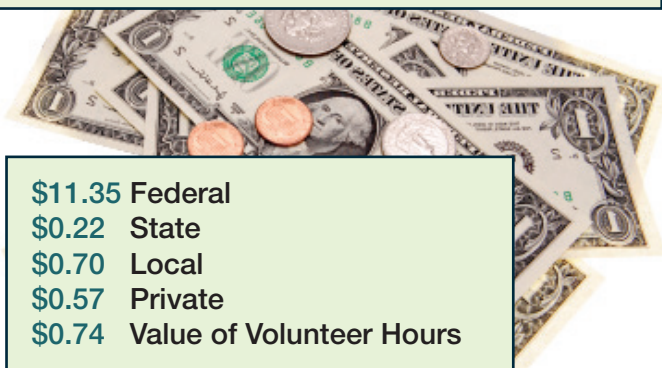
**35%** of families served in LA were in severe poverty, below **50%** of the Federal Poverty Guidelines.

Nationally, over **1,000 Community Action Agencies** receiving CSBG funding provided services to **15.3 million individuals with low incomes**.

Nationally, of the **6.3 million families** served by the CSBG Network who reported income, **82.8%** were living at or below **125%** of the Federal Poverty Guidelines.

### CSBG NETWORK RESOURCES

For every **\$1** of CSBG, the LA Network leveraged **\$13.58** from federal, state, local, and private sources, including the value of volunteer hours.\*



**\$11.35** Federal  
**\$0.22** State  
**\$0.70** Local  
**\$0.57** Private  
**\$0.74** Value of Volunteer Hours

**\$13.58\*\***

**\$15,317,171** in CSBG funds were allocated in support of local entities in Louisiana.

The LA Network's non-CSBG funding totaled **\$196,113,452**.

\*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 LOUISIANA

Services and strategies provided by the LA Network resulted in 429,750 outcomes for participants and communities with low incomes.

### Outcomes Include:

84,998

#### 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.

11,946

#### Economic Asset Enhancement and Utilization

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

57,796

#### 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.

105,436

#### 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.

107,791

#### Family Stability

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

42,618

#### Emergency Assistance

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

1,524

#### 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.

17,641

#### 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.