

# FFY 2017 STATE CSBG FACTSHEETS



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

## Mississippi

### CSBG NETWORK PARTICIPANTS

The Mississippi State Office administered CSBG funds to **17 Community Action Agencies**.

In Mississippi, Community Action Agencies provided services to **155,032 low income individuals**.

**83%** of families served in MS by the CSBG Network lived below **100%** of the Federal Poverty Guidelines.

Vulnerable populations served included:



**36,547**  
seniors



**40,727**  
people with disabilities



**78,045**  
people who lacked health insurance



**53,468**  
children

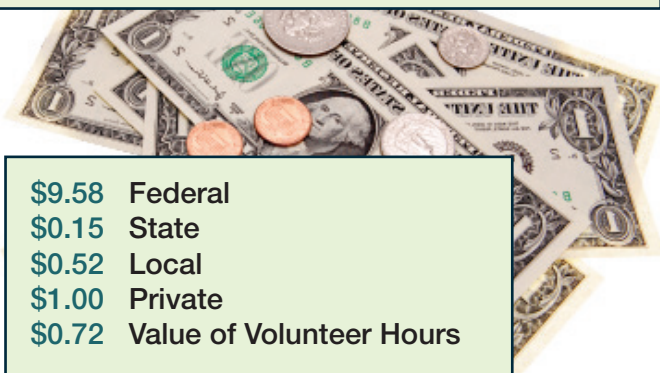
**34%** of families served in MS were in severe poverty, below **50%** of the Federal Poverty Guidelines.

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 MS Network leveraged **\$11.96** from federal, state, local, and private sources, including the value of volunteer hours.\*



**\$9.58** Federal  
**\$0.15** State  
**\$0.52** Local  
**\$1.00** Private  
**\$0.72** Value of Volunteer Hours

**\$11.96\*\***

**\$10,015,069** in CSBG funds were allocated in support of local entities in Mississippi.

The MS Network's non-CSBG funding totaled **\$102,633,729**.

\*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 MISSISSIPPI

Services and strategies provided by the MS Network resulted in 399,096 outcomes for participants and communities with low incomes.

### Outcomes Include:

79,623

#### 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.

22,250

#### Economic Asset Enhancement and Utilization

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

53,937

#### 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.

61,610

#### 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.

64,425

#### Family Stability

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

25,364

#### Emergency Assistance

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

85,515

#### 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.

6,372

#### 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.