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WHO WE SERVED...



## For FFY 2020:

There were 28 CAAs, serving 104,262 people with low incomes who were living in 54,293 families.

CAAs served 16.973 people who lacked healthcare, 16,421 people who reported having a disability, 9,789 senior citizens, 29,624 children living in poverty, and 1,041 veterans and active military persons.

From Virginia's FFY 2020 Community Services Block Grant Annual Report



The Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) provides critical funding to Community Action Agencies (CAAs) to operate programs addressing the causes and conditions of poverty under three national goals:

Virginia's Community Action Agencies are centrally located to serve their communities. For maximum impact, they partnered with:

- 776 non-profits
- 461 for-profits
- 427 faith-based organizations
- 126 school districts





There were 655,921 hours of volunteer time donated to CAAs in Virginia.

Goal 1 - Individuals and families with low incomes are stable and achieve economic security. Goal 2 - Communities where people with low incomes live are healthy and offer economic opportunity. Goal 3 - People with low incomes are engaged and active in building opportunities in communities.

# What kind of RESOURCES

Community Action Agencies utilize a Results Oriented Management and Accountability system that is strategically designed to ensure accountability and

improve performance management. In FY20, there were 30 ROMA professionals available in the network to help agencies with planning, reporting, data analysis and evaluation.

Community Action Agencies leverage several other federal, state, local, and other private funds.

For every \$1 of CSBG, Virginia's CAAs leveraged \$9.24 from federal, state, local, and private sources, including the value of volunteer hours.



- \*Value of Volunteer Hours calculated using federal minimum wage
- \*\* Values may not equal total due to rounding.

- \$15,784,063 in CSBG funds were allocated in support of CAAs in Virginia in FY20.
- Including all leveraged funds Virginia had \$156,543,845 available to the CAA network to improve the lives of people with low incomes in FY20.



12 CAAs in Virginia also operate the Weatherization Assistance Program (WAP).



15 CAAs in Virginia also operate a Head Start Program.



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Community Action Agencies utilize CSBG funds to address specific local needs through services and programs that address one or more of the core domains in which we work: employment, education and cognitive development, income, infrastructure and asset building, housing, health and social behavioral development, and civic engagement and community involvement.

#### **EMPLOYMENT**

2,817 outcomes were obtained in the employment domain. This includes outcomes such as obtaining and maintaining a job, increasing income, and obtaining benefits.

#### **EDUCATION**

7,097 outcomes were obtained in the education and cognitive development domain. This includes outcomes such as improved literacy skills, school readiness, and obtaining additional education and diplomas.

## **INCOME & ASSETS**

2,386 outcomes were obtained in the income and asset building domain. This includes outcomes such as maintaining a budget, opening a savings account, increasing assets and net worth, and improving financial well-being.



# **CIVIC ENGAGEMENT**

6,538 outcomes were obtained in the civic engagement and community involvement domain. This includes outcomes such as increasing leadership skills, and improving social networks.

#### **HOUSING**

11,635 outcomes were obtained in the housing domain. This includes outcomes such as obtaining and maintaining housing, avoiding eviction or foreclosure, and reducing energy burden.

### **HEALTH**

37,504 outcomes were obtained in the health and social/behavioral development domain. This includes outcomes such as increasing nutrition skills, improving physical or mental health, and living independently.

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