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From Missouri's FFY 2021 Community Services Block Grant Annual Report

WHO WE SERVED...



For FFY 2021:

There were 19 CAAs, serving 145,238 people with low incomes who were living in 66,434 families.

CAAs served 14,273 people who lacked healthcare, 33,390 people who reported having a disability, 12,674 senior citizens, 56,191 children living in poverty, and 1,725 veterans and active military persons.



WHAT IS CSBG?

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:

- 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.

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

- 853 non-profits
- 778 for-profits
- 457 faith-based organizations
- 379 school districts



There were 726,385 hours of volunteer time donated to CAAs in Missouri.

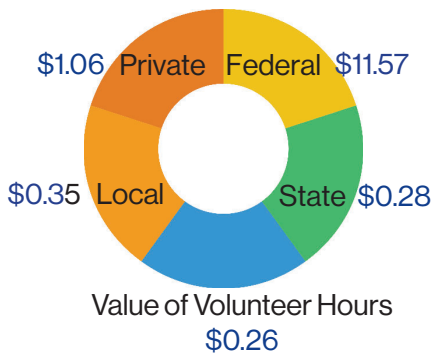
What kind of RESOURCES do CAAs have?

Community Action Agencies utilize a Results Oriented Management and Accountability system that is strategically designed to ensure accountability and improve performance management. In FY21, there were 49 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, Missouri's CAAs leveraged \$13.53 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.

- \$16,323,243 in CSBG funds were allocated in support of CAAs in Missouri in FY21.
- Including all leveraged funds Missouri had \$293,627,219 available to the CAA network to improve the lives of people with low incomes in FY21.



17 CAAs in Missouri also operate the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP).



17 CAAs in Missouri also operate the Weatherization Assistance Program (WAP).



13 CAAs in Missouri 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

3,562 outcomes were obtained in the employment domain. This includes outcomes such as obtaining and maintaining a job, increasing income, and obtaining benefits.

EDUCATION

24,811 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

21,257 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

1,318 outcomes were obtained in the civic engagement and community involvement domain. This includes outcomes such as increasing leadership skills, and improving social networks.

HOUSING

22,458 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

28,635 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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