

# UNITED WAY OF THE LAUREL HIGHLANDS



Serving Cambria and Somerset Counties

AT A GLANCE

## WHAT IS THE UNITED WAY OF THE LAUREL HIGHLANDS?

A volunteer-driven, community leading organization responsible for creating, expanding, and accelerating social change in Cambria & Somerset Counties. We invest in the futures of children, families and those in need. **With the help of our donors we drive measurable results.**

## SUPPORTING BASIC HUMAN NEEDS



**18,157** People Provided Meals or Housing



**3,054** People Provided Mental Health/ Medical Care



**3,646** Safe Nights Provided for Victims of Abuse



**6,500** Students Received Drug/Alcohol Education

**34,827 Lives Touched**

& Dental Services, Utility Assistance, and More

## OUR INITIATIVE AREAS - WHAT WE DO

Increase parental knowledge of child development and care.

**PARENTAL ENGAGEMENT**

Prepare all children socially, emotionally, and academically for kindergarten.

**EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT**

Prevent substance abuse and promote healthy coping skills.

**YOUTH DRUG & ALCOHOL PREVENTION**



## COMMUNITY-WIDE INITIATIVES

**GRANT WRITING @ UNITED WAY OF THE LAUREL HIGHLANDS**



The United Way's focus on grant writing has delivered more than \$7.4 Million in funding toward United Way initiatives and community programs. **Find out more at [UWLaurel.org/GrantWriting](http://UWLaurel.org/GrantWriting).**

**UNITED WAY WOMEN UNITED OF THE LAUREL HIGHLANDS**

An affinity group focused on early childhood development & parental engagement. All women interested in making an impact in their community are welcome to join! **Find out more at [UWLaurel.org/JoinWU](http://UWLaurel.org/JoinWU).**

**2-1-1**

Pennsylvania Get Connected. Get Help.™ POWERED BY UNITED WAY

This free, 24/7 hotline is for those who are in a situation of need. Calling 2-1-1 allows residents to gather information and resources that may be vital. **For more information, visit [UWLaurel.org/2-1-1](http://UWLaurel.org/2-1-1).**

## Leading Change in Our Community

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Join more than 2,201 community-minded individuals who **follow us!**

We have earned the highest designations for **excellence in fiscal management, transparency, and community impact** by a leading charity evaluating organization, **GuideStar**.



### ACCOUNTABILITY

Program results are reported to the United Way on a quarterly basis. Every dollar raised stays in Cambria and Somerset Counties.

## 2021-2022 FUNDED PROGRAMS & AGENCIES

Program Investment	Program Delivered by	Investment
Parents As Teachers	Beginnings, Inc.	\$180,000
Grant Writing Initiatives	United Way of the Laurel Highlands	\$72,518
Community Impact Initiatives	United Way of the Laurel Highlands	\$67,371
Community Outreach Services	United Way of the Laurel Highlands	\$59,981
Nurse-Family Partnership	Home Nursing Agency	\$50,000
Direct Services to Victims of Violent Crimes	Victim Services	\$42,000
Youth Drug & Alcohol Prevention	Cambria County Drug Coalition	\$40,000
Parents As Teachers	Family Center	\$34,000
Free Medical Clinic	Highlands Health	\$32,500
Early Childhood Mental Health	The Learning Lamp	\$25,000
Emergency Food & Shelter	United Way of the Laurel Highlands	\$19,993
Emergency Financial Assistance	Catholic Charities	\$18,000
Homeless Shelter Cambria County	Catholic Charities	\$18,000
Dental Center	The Salvation Army - Johnstown	\$18,000
PA 2-1-1	211 Southwest PA	\$15,225
Drop In Center for Adults with Mental Illness	Peer Empowerment Network - Cambria	\$15,000
Children's Grieving Support Services	Victim Services	\$13,000
Youth Tutoring	Flood City Youth Academy	\$12,500
Preschool Programming	Small Town Hope	\$12,000
Homeless Shelter Somerset County	Next Step Center	\$11,500
Outreach Programs	The Learning Lamp	\$10,000
Tutoring (Power Hour)	Boys & Girls Club of Somerset County	\$10,000
Girl Scouts Urban Setting	Girl Scouts	\$10,000
Preschool Scholarships	The Learning Lamp	\$8,000
Heating Assistance	The Salvation Army - Somerset	\$6,500
Children's Vision Screening Program	Somerset County Blind Center	\$6,000
Emergency Shelter	Women's Help Center	\$5,400
Unrestricted	Greater Johnstown YMCA	\$5,282
Sustainable Produce Program	Somerset County Mobile Food Bank	\$5,078
Stork's Nest	Greater Johnstown YWCA	\$3,500
Youth Drug & Alcohol Prevention	Twin Lakes Center	*680*
Donor Designated Pledges		**\$32,000**
<b>Total Community Impact Investment</b>		<b>\$859,028</b>

\*Funding supplemented by the Somerset Single County Authority for Drug and Alcohol\* \*\* Includes ACRP and Boy Scouts of the Laurel Highlands Council\*\*

### ENDOWMENT & PLANNED GIVING

## What kind of legacy will you leave?

Make a lasting impact **with the United Way!**  
Contact us today about making your gift!

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