

# COMMUNITY INITIATIVES

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**United Way of Central Alabama** operates programs and initiatives that helped more than 50,000 people of all ages last year. We respond to ever-changing needs for human services in our community through collaboration with experts, strategic planning, implementation of solutions and scaling of services to large populations.



United Way's Success By 6 program gave 1,370 pre-K children access to quality early learning for improved school readiness last year while also promoting health and physical activity. [uwca.org/successby6](http://uwca.org/successby6)



Help Me Grow Alabama connects parents to resources concerning child development and offers access to developmental screening for children up to eight years old. The program served 660 clients last year. [uwca.org/helpmegrow](http://uwca.org/helpmegrow)



In partnership with the Alabama and Jefferson County Departments of Health, United Way's COVID Response program allows those who have tested positive for COVID-19 to safely isolate and receive essential services, including housing and food.



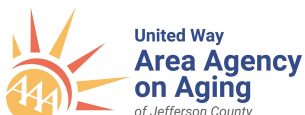
UWCA's Financial Stability Services help hard-working families become and remain financially secure. Programs include Financial and Housing Education, Free Tax Preparation and Family Stability Services. [uwca.org/fss](http://uwca.org/fss)



United Way's Housing Alliance is a regional HUD intermediary, partnering with approved housing counseling agencies across the Southeast to help more people realize their housing goals. [uwca.org/housingalliance](http://uwca.org/housingalliance)



United Way's Priority Veteran program serves about 500 local military veterans per year, providing one-on-one assistance in homeless prevention as well as help obtaining affordable housing and achieving financial stability. [priorityveteran.org](http://priorityveteran.org)



United Way's Area Agency on Aging provides services that enhance the quality of life and independence of seniors and people with disabilities. These include: the Aging & Disability Resource Center; Alabama Cares; Homemaker & Personal Care; Legal Assistance; Nutrition Counseling; Older Relative Caregiver Program; Long-Term Care Ombudsman; Preventive Health; Senior Medicare Patrol; Senior Nutrition; State Health Insurance Assistance Program (SHIP); and Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP). [uwaaa.org](http://uwaaa.org)



With the help of nearly 700 dedicated volunteers, United Way's Meals on Wheels provides meals and safety checks to almost 2,000 homebound seniors in Jefferson County five days a week, helping them live independently with dignity. [mowjeffco.org](http://mowjeffco.org)



United Way's 2-1-1 Call Center operates 24/7 connecting callers to a vast range of health and human services in Alabama. Our Call Center answered approximately 27,000 inquiries last year and is part of a statewide network. [uwca.org/2-1-1](http://uwca.org/2-1-1)

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