

LIVE UNITED®

Did you know that your United Way is MORE than just a funding organization?

Helped
124, 424
individuals
last year!

DAYS OF SHARING

December 2, 2016

March 3, 2017

June 2, 2017

During the last year, through our Days of Sharing program, more than \$100,000 worth of clothing and household items were distributed to more than 40 nonprofits in Dutchess and Orange Counties. Donations are received through local businesses including Bed, Bath and Beyond and Woodbury Commons Premium Outlets.

ORANGE COUNTY FUEL FUND

On an annual basis, in partnership with Orange County Government, United Way provides direct financial assistance to low income families through a one-time fuel grant. Funding is restricted to families whose income is just above the social service HEAP benefit level and who reside in Orange County. Last winter, the Fuel Fund contributed almost \$55,000 to keep 372 households warm.

EMERGENCY FOOD AND SHELTER PROGRAM

To ensure that the most basic necessities are provided to families in our community, United Way chairs the local board of the Emergency Food and Shelter Program in both Dutchess and Orange Counties, providing hundreds of thousands of dollars to food pantries, feeding programs and soup kitchens.

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In our community, help is just three numbers away. During the past year, more than 17,000 referrals were provided to individuals and families in Dutchess and Orange Counties. Assistance ranged from access to basic needs such as shelter, food, and utility assistance to support groups, assistance following disasters, and legal services.

VOLUNTEERISM

More than 150 nonprofit partners offer volunteer opportunities through our online volunteer portal! Help United Way strengthen the community by encouraging your colleagues, family and friends to register and volunteer. Visit volunteer.uwdor.org for more information today! If you or your organization is interested in volunteerism, email mclark@uwdor.org.

DAYS OF CARING

Through national days of service, United Way seeks to connect business partners with meaningful volunteer opportunities:

Make A Difference Day – October 22, 2016

Martin Luther King, Jr. Day - January 16, 2017

Read Across America Day - March 2, 2017

National Volunteer Week – April 23-29, 2017

Day of Action – June 21, 2017

9-11 Day of Service - September 11, 2017



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Do you want to get involved in your community by volunteering?

Last year **1,431** individuals contributed over **34,794** volunteer service hours in Dutchess and Orange counties for an economic impact of **\$959,966**. Help your United Way strengthen our community by encouraging your colleagues, family and friends to register and volunteer. Visit volunteer.uwdor.org or call **845-471-1900 ext 3128**.

Local non profit organizations, schools, and churches can participate in **United Way's Days of Sharing** to help their clients in times of need – for further information call **845-471-1900 ext. 3113**.

Programs YOU can use!

HUDSON VALLEY REGION 2-1-1

Last year **17,176** individuals called HUDSON VALLEY 2-1-1.

You can call HUDSON VALLEY 2-1-1 if you have a health/human service question at any time!

- 2-1-1 is a FREE confidential information and referral hotline available 365 days a year in 250 languages.
- 2-1-1 connects individuals to local organizations to help with food, housing, employment and much more.

Hudson Valley Region ★

2-1-1

Get Connected. Get Answers.

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Rockland • Sullivan • Ulster • Westchester

1-800-899-1479 hudson211.org

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Save up to 75%.
Show this card to your pharmacist.
This is not insurance - Discounts Only

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CASH

Creating Assets Savings and Hope

FAMILYWISE PRESCRIPTION DISCOUNT PROGRAM

Last year **4,343** individuals in Dutchess & Orange Counties saved **\$314,549** on their prescriptions by using the free prescription discount card.

- YOU can use the FREE FAMILYWISE PRESCRIPTION DISCOUNT CARD too, even if you have insurance you can take advantage of this program. Get your card today!

HUDSON VALLEY CASH COALITION

More than **\$6,176,853** in refunds were generated for **7,655** Hudson Valley residents for the 2015 tax year! YOU could take advantage of this program offered by United Way and have your taxes prepared FREE of charge!

- Certified volunteer tax preparers provide individuals, families and seniors with free tax preparation services at over 30 locations across Dutchess and Orange Counties. For information, go to hv-cash.org or call **2-1-1**.

ORANGE COUNTY FUEL FUND (For Orange County Residents Only)

It's warm now but winter in our region can be cold. Last year **811** people received heat thanks to you.

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