WITHOUT YOU, ANGELA CAN’T KEEP THE LIGHTS ON.
GIVE NOW.

Building a stronger Miami, together
Thousands of families like Angela’s across our community struggle to get by. Many of our neighbors are unable to meet their basic needs, and even go to bed hungry. That’s why we’re here. United Way Miami wants to ensure that children get quality education, families get the support they need to become financially secure, and the elderly don’t go hungry. We are a force for good in our community, but we can’t do it alone – we need your help.

- **54%** of Miami-Dade households are either in or one emergency away from falling into poverty.
- **23%** of children in Miami-Dade are living at or below the poverty level.
- **47%** of seniors have had to visit a food pantry or apply for food stamps.
- **50%** of veterans struggle to find sustainable employment.

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2. Miami Matters 2020
3. Based on survey by the Senior Citizens League (SCL)
4. United Way Miami CI Highlight Report 2020-21
WHAT WE HAVE ACCOMPLISHED...TOGETHER

This past year your support helped fund over 100 programs and initiatives to improve equitable access to quality education, financial stability and health.

**Education**
- 7,891 students served in school-age education
- 4,359 students received literacy and or math supports as a part of their summer or afterschool programming

**Financial Stability**
- 7,491 unemployed and underemployed individuals participated in training and placement programs to help them access jobs
- 1,300 connections providing food to veteran households
- 9,200 taxpayers received $13.1 million in tax refunds and Earned Income Tax credits of $4.8 million saving $1.6 million in tax preparation fees through the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance program

**Health**
- 3.5 million free nutritious meals served to older adults
- 32,258 health tests, assessments and counseling sessions were provided

- 5,894 young children received quality early interventions and experiences, improving their chances for success
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Information as of June 30, 2022.
Meet Lakisha. Due to her high-risk pregnancy, Lakisha had to stop working. She was stressed and overwhelmed dealing with her family’s situation. Not only could the stress mean she could lose her unborn baby but her young child Heaven’s care and education were also at risk. Feeling worried that her husband could no longer afford their rent, she contacted her United Way Family Support Specialist. The specialist shared with her the financial assistance program offered by the United Way Center for Financial Stability. Lakisha applied and was able to receive a check to pay her family’s rent.

In addition to the support Lakisha was able to receive from United Way, she was also able to keep her child in the United Way Early Head Start program.

She delivered a healthy baby and feels blessed at their second chance. “United Way has expanded our minds to always have goals for the future. They gave me the peace of mind and the child care we needed to go to work and study to improve our way of life. We are very appreciative for United Way.”

Our Partner Agencies

Your donation to United Way Miami supports over 100 programs focused on improving the lives of those in need in our community. Tackling issues like improving access to quality education, financial security, and health, turning your contribution into real change.

To learn more about these programs, use your camera to scan the QR code to the left or visit unitedwaymiami.org/ourpartners

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