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UNITED WAY COMMUNITY UPDATE 6.17.20

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PROVIDING ACCESS TO HEALING (PATH) MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS GOLF DAY

Today marks 3 days until the PATH Golf Day and 3 days left to double your donation.

Support youth mental health and wellness by playing a 9-hole round of golf on Friday, June 19th, 2020 (9 AM - 4 PM) at Sunset Hills Golf Course. **Book your tee time by calling Sunset Hills Golf Shop at (920) 467-0780.** Half of the entry fee will benefit the UWSC's Providing Access to Healing (PATH) Program, providing school-based mental health services county-wide.

DOUBLE YOUR DOLLAR

Can't join us for the Golf Day or want to give above the 50% of your entry fee? If you donate this week, a generous donor is **matching all donations** to help your contribution go further.

[Click here to donate to the PATH program and have your gift matched.](#)



Currently, hundreds of students are already supported through (PATH) school-based mental health program. Please share [the event flyer](#) and join us to let every child know "**You matter**". Our students need us now more than ever.

GRATITUDE SHOUT OUT

Gold Sponsor



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Hole Sponsors: Lakeshore Community Health Care, McClone, Meisfields, Ozaukee Community Therapies, and Wicked Auto Films

Special thanks: Anonymous Donor matching online donations

Note: This event was changed from a "golf outing" to a "golf day" and will follow recommendations from Sheboygan County Division of Public Health's ["Sheboygan County Safe Restart"](#) guidelines which follow WEDC and sector specific recommendations.

UWSC FISCAL YEAR & CAMPAIGN ENDS

"The continued ability to support the many Sheboygan County residents affected by COVID-19 reflects the generosity of our community and the great work done by these organizations."

— Louie Gentine, UWSC Campaign Co-Chair.

Collectively, the contributions made to the Community Action Fund during the 2019-2020 Campaign will provide \$1.67 million dollars to support 40 Partner Agency programs, 2 Community Impact Initiatives, and other community programming such as the Volunteer Center, Food for Tomorrow, and 2-1-1 call center. That impact does not include the generous contributions made to the Sheboygan County COVID-19 Relief Fund, outlined further in this document.

[Click here for the full press release.](#)

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UWSC REORGANIZATION UPDATE

The position of Volunteer Center & Database Specialist was eliminated due to a reorganization of staff at United Way of Sheboygan County. Lee Anne Raleigh's more than four years of service at UWSC do not go unnoticed and the staff's dedication to supporting nonprofit agencies through the Volunteer Center will not be halted. The social sector continues to work hard to meet needs while facing new challenges. The Volunteer Center will continue to support nonprofit agencies with new efficiencies and the UWSC staff have already started planning for 2020 Day of Caring this fall with thoughtful consideration.

To connect with the Volunteer Center of Sheboygan County, please utilize the following contacts:

- **General Questions & Inquiries on Volunteering:**
volunteer@uwofsc.org – Managed by Emily Kaiser, Director of Donor Engagement
- **Corporate Partners (Organizing Volunteer Opportunities) should contact their UWSC Campaign Contact:**
Katelyn Piper, Director of Community Development: katelyn@uwofsc.org
Emily Kaiser, Director of Donor Engagement: emily@uwofsc.org
- **Partner Agencies and/or Volunteer Center Network Members:**
Gina Covelli, Director of Community Impact: Gina@uwofsc.org

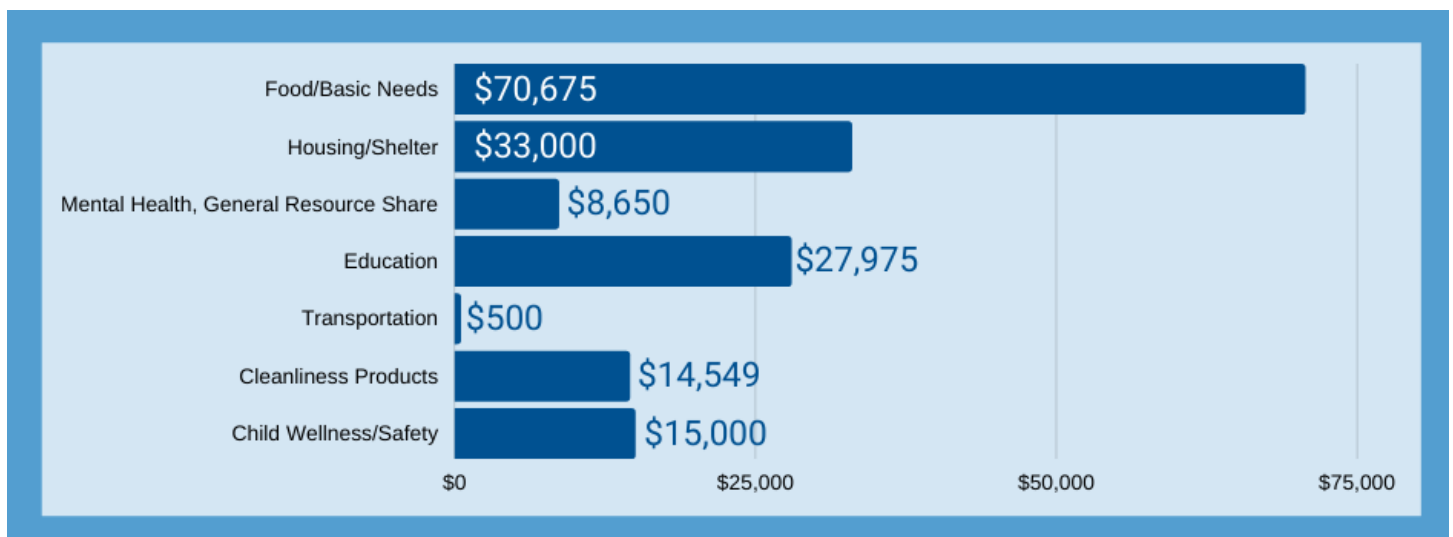
The Volunteer Center of Sheboygan County and UWSC will continue to thrive under these changes and if you have any questions, please reach out to Kate Baer, Executive Director at kate@uwofsc.org or email volunteer@uwofsc.org with Volunteer Center related questions.

SHEBOYGAN COUNTY COVID-19 RELIEF FUND

FUNDS RAISED (as of 6.17.20): **\$215,283**

GRANTS AWARDED (as of 6.17.20): **\$170,349**

AREAS OF NEED FUNDED



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AGENCIES FUNDED

Anchor of Hope (\$1,500)

Provide essential baby items, including diapers, wipes, and car seats.

BabyCare (\$3,000)

Provide diapers, wipes and essential baby needs.

Big Brothers Big Sisters (\$2,000)

Funds for microgrants to families in need of financial assistance but do not qualify for other assistance programs.

Boys and Girls Club, Mental Health America, and Nourish Collaboration (\$11,075)

Support collaborative approach to provide youth with summer activity kits.

Boys and Girls Club (\$13,409)

Provide 'Club on the Go' kits to youth and grocery gift cards for ready-to-heat meals. Also, purchase COVID-19 related cleaning, sanitizing and hygiene supplies and services at their three summer locations.

Boy Scouts, Bay Lakes Council (\$2,500)

Support upcoming Scouting for Food Drive, benefitting the Sheboygan County Food Bank.

Camp Anokijig (\$2,500)

Purchase PPE to provide safe programming.

Family Service Association (\$3,000)

Support budget and credit counseling sessions.

Habitat for Humanity (\$1,875)

Provide PPE and cleaning/sanitation supplies for ReStore reopening.

Horizons4Girls (\$700)

Provide funding for transportation to appointments. Also, host a virtual event about bullying.

Humane Society (\$500)

To provide dog and cat food to families in need through the Companion Animal Assistance Program.

Lakeshore Regional Child Advocacy Center (\$15,000)

Fund essential staff necessary to facilitate the increased need for forensic interviews of children.

Lakeshore CAP (\$12,000)

To provide direct 8 weeks' worth of rental assistance and case management for residents in Sheboygan County.

Love INC (\$2,500)

Support for two months of Clearinghouse Ministry services.

Lutheran Social Services – Runaway Youth Services (RAYS program) (\$8,875)

Food, hygiene, home supplies and mileage costs for delivery to homes.

Meals On Wheels (\$10,000)

General expenses to meet increased need for services (additional food, packaging, delivery, staffing costs).

Mental Health America in Sheboygan County (\$14,500)

Funds support the marketing of community resources related to COVID-19 public health crisis. Also, to provide interactive mental health workshops for the community and training for staff to meet mental health needs brought on due of COVID.

Partners for Community Development (\$6,000)

To provide rental assistance to clients.

Rainbow Kids (\$150)

Upgrade zoom account to hold virtual support sessions.

RCS Empowers (\$5,000)

To set up virtual wellness check ins, virtual learning, daily living skills training and employment preparation. Also, to purchase 2 double-sided portable handwashing stations.

Reins, Inc (\$2,500)

Supplies and technology to provide virtual therapy sessions.

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Safe Harbor of Sheboygan County (\$15,000)

Provide adequate shelter, with COVID-19 safety regulations in place for residents through July 2020.

Salvation Army (\$15,000)

Support the comprehensive services program (food pantry, utility assistance) and wellness center program (prescription medication assistance) as community needs increase.

Sheboygan County Food Bank (\$15,000)

Purchase food and hygiene items for distributing to community members in need.

Sheboygan County Interfaith Organization (\$1,265)

Supplies for handwashing stations for 55 Farmers Market vendors

Sheboygan Halfway House (\$5,000)

To maintain food, safety and shelter for up to 16 individuals for 2 months.

COVID-19 NONPROFIT RESPONSE NETWORK



UWSC continues to host virtual meetings with local nonprofits throughout the social sector. This network provides opportunities to convene conversations around emerging and ongoing needs, share resources, best practices, and inspire collaborations to optimally serve residents in our county.

To receive information about the COVID-19 Nonprofit Response Network and other resources for nonprofit agencies, visit uwofsc.org/covid-19/nonprofit-support.

LIVE UNITED

As our community moves through the phases of the Sheboygan County Safe Restart Guidelines and Recommendations for Action document put out by the Sheboygan County Division of Public Health (citing WEDC and CDC), UWSC staff continue to conduct meaningful work remotely and UWSC's office will remain closed to the public.

For general inquires, email info@uwofsc.org or call 920-458-3425.

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