

2007

Connecticut State Employees' Campaign

Directory of Charitable Organizations

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from Connecticut State Employees***

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2007 CONNECTICUT STATE EMPLOYEES' CAMPAIGN



M. JODI RELL
GOVERNOR

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS



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GOVERNOR

August 2007

Dear Connecticut State Employee/Retiree:

I would like to thank you for your overwhelming support of the 2006 Connecticut State Employees' Campaign (CSEC). Through your generosity nearly \$1.9 million was collected for those less fortunate living in Connecticut and around the world.

Over the years the CSEC has helped thousands of people. With our ongoing support the charities in this campaign can continue to provide vital services and programs to those in dire need.

This fall when your agency coordinator gives you a copy of this directory and a pledge form please consider signing up for payroll deduction or making a one time donation.

Our participation in the Connecticut State Employees' Campaign is one of the best ways to demonstrate our compassion in "Caring for Connecticut and Beyond."

Sincerely,

M. Jodi Rell
Governor

APPOINTEES TO THE CONNECTICUT STATE EMPLOYEES' CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE - AS OF JUNE 2007

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Caring for Connecticut and beyond...

THE CONNECTICUT STATE EMPLOYEES' CAMPAIGN FOR CHARITABLE GIVING (CSEC) is the once a year opportunity for Connecticut State Employees to contribute to non-profit charities at the workplace. Through the CSEC you can make a single gift to help people locally, throughout the nation, and around the world. The contributions made by you and your fellow employees make possible a wide range of vital services: shelter for the homeless, protection of the environment, research for cures of diseases, care for both children and seniors. These are only a fraction of the services provided by the more than 900 charities listed in this directory.

Keep this Directory!

This directory is designed to act as a reference for you, if you need to locate a service, are looking for volunteer opportunities, or need a question answered. The hundreds of listings in this directory include health, social action, human service, educational services, arts, and environmental organizations.

Campaign Help Lines

Hartford **860-951-7399** or Norwich **860-887-5288**

If you have any questions, concerns, comments, etc. about the CSEC please contact the Campaign Help Lines at: **860-951-7399** or **860-887-5288**, or by fax: **860-859-4159**.

E-mail addresses: Jan.Gwudz@po.state.ct.us
LeBaron@chcct.org

Last Year's Results

Thanks to you, **\$1,860,050** was raised in 2006.

Voluntary Participation

Your participation in this campaign is completely voluntary. If you feel that you have been unduly pressured or coerced to participate in this campaign, please contact the Campaign Help Lines **860-951-7399** or **860-887-5288** for assistance.

CSEC Administration

The operation of the CSEC is overseen by a group of State Employees who are appointed to serve on the State Employees' Campaign Committee. Community Health Charities of Connecticut has been selected by the campaign committee to act as the Principal Combined Fundraising Organization (PCFO) (pursuant to PA 93-182) for this charitable drive. Functions of the PCFO include: development of communication materials, coordination of training programs, management of Local Campaign Managers, reporting/distributing of campaign proceeds, and supporting the effort of hundreds of volunteers throughout the state who make this drive possible.

Campaign Dates

Although the campaign runs from **Sept. 4 – Nov. 30**, late pledges are always accepted.

View the CSEC on the Web

Visit our web site at www.csec.ct.gov. Email the campaign director with your thoughts and suggestions. We look forward to hearing from you.

Designations

You have the option of designating all or a portion of your contribution to one or more charitable agencies listed in this directory. If you do not wish to designate your gift, it will be distributed to each federation based on their overall percentage of designated gifts. All gifts will be forwarded as specified by you after a deduction for administrative costs. In the event the agency you designate to is not a part of the CSEC, or if your designation is incomplete or illegible, we will make every reasonable effort to contact you to determine where your donation should be directed. If we are unable to reach you, your gift will be distributed among the participating federations. Each charitable organization in this directory has gone through a rigorous screening process by the CSEC committee. Since the campaign is governed by State Regulation 5-262, only those charities that meet the requirements specified in the regulations, and are approved by the campaign committee are eligible to receive contributions made through the CSEC. The CSEC is unable to accept donations designated to other charities not listed in this directory.

Pledges

The campaign has two methods for which a pledge can be made. The easiest method is payroll deduction of which \$1 per pay period is the minimum contribution. The second option is a one-time gift in the form of cash or a check. Unfortunately, a one-time payroll deduction pledge is not possible through this campaign.

About the Entries in this Directory

All of the federations and their agencies listed in this directory have gone through a rigorous application review process based on regulations governing the operation of this campaign. Percentages listed after each organization's description represent the annual fundraising and administrative costs as a percentage of total income. Please visit the website: www.guidestar.org for financial information on the participating federations and charities.

Organizations with an administrative percentage over 25% are not accepted to this campaign unless they have adequately demonstrated that they are taking the necessary steps to bring these expenses below 25%, as is the case with agencies that have an () after their percentage. The CSEC committee has given these agencies a one-year extension to bring their administrative cost to below 25%.*

Acknowledgments

If you wish to receive an acknowledgment from the charity (ies) you designated, please check the appropriate box on the pledge card. **Please note:** the charity (ies) will receive notification of the amount of your gift.

2007 CONNECTICUT STATE EMPLOYEES' CAMPAIGN

NINE FEDERATIONS are participating in the CSEC this year. All of the federations have also entered their member agencies. If you choose to designate your gift, you can designate to the federation(s) for distribution among member agencies or you can choose a specific agency(ies).



8400 - America's Charities

Helping you help others. America's Charities addresses community needs through member charity services impacting health, human service, education, human and civil rights, and the environment. (See pages 8-10 for listing of agencies.)



8800 - Neighbor To Nation!

People in deed serving people in need, in our local communities, throughout America and in the world. Providing life-sustaining assistance and hope for the future. (See pages 11-14 for the listing of agencies.)



8500 - Greater Hartford Arts Council

GHAC supports over 150 arts and heritage organizations that enliven our communities, preserve our rich history, strengthen our economy, and make our children creative thinkers and problem-solvers. (See page 15-16 for listing of agencies.)



8600 - Earth Share of New England

One gift helps protect your environment, health, wildlife and natural resources - locally, nationally, and internationally. One environment, one simple way to care for it. (See pages 17- 19 for listing of agencies.)



Community Health Charities of Connecticut

- 3000 - Capital Region
- 3200 - Eastern Region
- 3400 - Western Region
- 3600 - South Central Region

A partnership of 37 Connecticut health charities dedicated to saving lives, providing services and finding cures. (See pages 20-23 for listing of agencies.)

Caring for Connecticut and beyond...

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8100 - Independent Charities of America

Feeding the hungry. Sheltering the homeless. Protecting the children. And healing the sick. America's finest independent charities. Working with you to share - the American Way.
(See pages 24-37 for listing of agencies.)



8200 - Global Impact

Founded in 1956, Global Impact supports over 50 U.S.-based international charities providing disaster relief, health care, education and economic opportunities to the world's poorest people.
(See pages 38-41 for listing of agencies.)



Connecticut United Ways

Volunteers distribute gifts among member agencies in their communities through an allocation process based on community needs.
(See pages 42-71 for listing of agencies.)

- 4900 - Middlesex United Way
- 4200 - United Way of Eastern Fairfield County (*Bridgeport area*)
- 5700 - United Way of Greater New Haven
- 6800 - United Way of Greater Waterbury
- 4700 - United Way of Greenwich
- 4800 - United Way of Meriden and Wallingford
- 5518 - United Way of Milford
- 6000 - United Way of Naugatuck & Beacon Falls, Inc.
- 5203 - United Way of New Britain & Berlin, Inc.
- 6700 - United Way of Northwest Connecticut (*Torrington & Winsted areas*)
- 5205 - United Way of North Central Connecticut (*Enfield area*)
- 6300 - United Way of Norwalk & Wilton
- 4600 - United Way of Southeastern Connecticut (*New London County*)
- 6500 - United Way of Southington
- 5000 - United Way of the Capital Area (*Hartford*)
- 4300 - United Way of West Central Connecticut (*Bristol & Plainville*)
- 4400 - United Way of Western Connecticut (*Northern Fairfield County area*)
- 6601 - United Way of Western Connecticut (*Stamford area*)
- 5206 - Windham Region United Way



8300 - Community Works of Connecticut

Working to improve the quality of life for all citizens in the state of Connecticut through the promotion of organizations dedicated to social and economic justice.
(See pages 72-74 for listing of agencies.)

Caring for Connecticut and beyond...

Community Health Charities of Connecticut - Towns Served

CAPITAL REGION - Andover, Ashford, Avon, Berlin, Bloomfield, Bolton, Canton, Chaplin, Columbia, Coventry, East Hartford, East Windsor, Ellington, Enfield, Farmington, Glastonbury, Hampton, Hartford, Hebron, Lebanon, Manchester, Mansfield, Marlborough, New Britain, Newington, Rocky Hill, Scotland, Simsbury, Somers, South Windsor, Stafford, Suffield, Tolland, Vernon, West Hartford, Wethersfield, Willington, Windham, Windsor, Windsor Locks

Eastern Region - Bozrah, Brooklyn, Canterbury, Colchester, Eastford, East Haddam, East Lyme, Franklin, Griswold, Groton, Killingly, Ledyard, Lisbon, Lyme, Montville, New London, North Stonington, Norwich, Old Lyme, Plainfield, Pomfret, Preston, Putnam, Salem, Sprague, Sterling, Stonington, Thompson, Union, Voluntown, Waterford, Woodstock

South Central Region - Bethany, Branford, Cheshire, Chester, Clinton, Cromwell, Deep River, Durham, East Hampton, East Haven, Essex, Guilford, Haddam, Hamden, Killingworth, Madison, Meriden, Middlefield, Middletown, Portland, Wallingford, Westbrook, West Haven, Woodbridge

Western Region - Ansonia, Barkhamsted, Beacon Falls, Bethel, Bethlehem, Bridgeport, Bridgewater, Bristol, Brookfield, Burlington, Canaan, Colebrook, Cornwall, Danbury, Darien, Derby, East Granby, Easton, Fairfield, Goshen, Granby, Greenwich, Hartland, Harwinton, Kent, Litchfield, Middlebury, Monroe, Morris, Naugatuck, New Canaan, New Fairfield, New Hartford, New Milford, Newtown, Norfolk, North Canaan, Norwalk, Oxford, Plainville, Plymouth, Prospect, Redding, Ridgefield, Roxbury, Salisbury, Seymour, Sharon, Shelton, Sherman, Southbury, Southington, Stamford, Stratford, Thomaston, Torrington, Trumbull, Warren, Washington, Waterbury, Watertown, Weston, Westport, Wilton, Winchester, Winsted, Wolcott, Woodbury

United Ways - Towns Served

BRIDGEPORT

United Way of Eastern Fairfield County

Bridgeport, Easton, Fairfield, Monroe, Stratford, Trumbull

BRISTOL

United Way of West Central Connecticut

Bristol, Burlington, Plainville, Plymouth

DANBURY

United Way of Western Connecticut

Bethel, Brookfield, Danbury, New Fairfield, Newtown, Redding, Ridgefield

GALES FERRY

United Way of Southeastern Connecticut

Bozrah, Colchester, East Lyme, Franklin, Griswold, Groton, Lebanon, Ledyard, Lisbon, Lyme, Montville, Mystic, New London, North Stonington, Norwich, Old Lyme, Preston, Salem, Sprague, Stonington, Voluntown, Waterford

GREENWICH

United Way of Greenwich

Greenwich

HARTFORD

United Way of the Capital Area

Andover, Avon, Bloomfield, Bolton, Canton, East Hartford, East Windsor, Ellington, Enfield,

Farmington, Glastonbury, Hartford, Hebron, Manchester, Marlborough, Newington, Rocky Hill, Simsbury, Somers, South Windsor, Stafford, Suffield, Tolland, Vernon, West Hartford, Wethersfield, Windsor, Windsor Locks

MERIDEN

United Way of Meriden & Wallingford

Meriden, Wallingford

MIDDLETOWN

Middlesex United Way

Chester, Clinton, Cromwell, Deep River, Durham, East Haddam, East Hampton, Haddam, Killingworth, Middlefield, Middletown, Old Saybrook, Portland, Westbrook

MILFORD

United Way of Milford

Milford

NAUGATUCK

United Way of Naugatuck & Beacon Falls

Beacon Falls, Naugatuck

NEW BRITAIN

United Way of New Britain & Berlin

Berlin, New Britain

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NEW HAVEN

United Way of Greater New Haven

Bethany, East Haven, Hamden, New Haven, North Branford, North Haven, Orange, West Haven, Woodbridge

NORWALK

United Way of Norwalk & Wilton

Norwalk, Wilton

SOUTHINGTON

United Way of Southington

Southington

STAMFORD

United Way of Western Connecticut

Stamford

TORRINGTON/WINSTED

United Way of Northwest Connecticut

Bantam, Barkhamsted, Colebrook, Cornwall, Cornwall Bridge, East Canaan, Falls Village, Goshen, Harwinton, Lakeville, Litchfield, Morris, New Hartford, Norfolk, North Canaan, Pleasant Valley, Pine Meadow, Riverton, Salisbury, Sharon, Torrington, West Cornwall, West Hartland, Winchester Center, Winsted

WATERBURY

United Way of Greater Waterbury

Bethlehem, Cheshire, Middlebury, Prospect, Southbury, Thomaston, Waterbury, Watertown, Wolcott, Woodbury

WINDHAM

Windham Region United Way

Ashford, Chaplin, Columbia, Coventry, Hampton, Lebanon, Mansfield, Scotland, Willington, Windham, Willimantic

What the CSEC staff did on summer vacation...



Caring for Connecticut and beyond...

America's Charities



8400

America's Charities

1-800-458-9505

www.charities.org

Helping you help others. We address community needs through member charity services impacting health, human service, education, human & civil rights & the environment. 9.2%

8405

American Center for Law & Justice
800-296-4529

www.aclj.org

Specializing in constitutional law, the ACLJ is dedicated to the concept that freedom & democracy are God-given inalienable rights that must be protected. 11%

8436

American Civil Liberties Union
Foundation 212-549-2500

www.aclu.org

Defends constitutional rights for all individuals in the U.S. Upholds free speech, religious liberty, equality, privacy, due process. Protects minorities, women, immigrants & the poor. 15.5%

8424

Amnesty International of the USA
800-AMNESTY

www.amnestyusa.org

Worldwide membership-based human rights organization-impartial & non-political-working to free prisoners of conscience, eliminate torture, executions, "disappearances." 1977 Nobel Peace Prize recipient. 22.1%

8459

Believe In Tomorrow National
Children's Foundation
800-933-5470

www.believeintomorrow.org

Give comfort & hope to critically ill children & their families. A national leader in Children's Hospital & Retreat Housing services. 8.7%

8474

Breast Cancer Coalition
800-622-2838

www.stopbreastcancer.org

Works to end breast cancer by increasing research funding, making sure all women have access to treatment & training advocates. 12.5%

8437

Cancer Research & Prevention
Foundation 800-227-2732

www.preventcancer.org

100% of contributions support cancer prevention/early detection research, education, outreach to medically underserved; childhood cancer research/support. Free educational materials, toll free information line, award-winning Website. 15.9%

8482

Cancer Research for Children (National
Childhood Cancer Foundation)
800-458-6223

www.curesearch.org

Cancer is the #1 disease killer of children. Please help us reach the day when every child with cancer can be guaranteed a cure. 6.8%

8433

Catholics United for Life
800-764-8444

www.clji.org

Pro-life Catholic organization dedicated to defending human life from the moment of conception. Activities include sidewalk counseling, educational information & legal defense of religious liberties. 16.2%

8456

Childhelp®

800-422-4453

www.childhelp.org

Founded in 1959, one of the nation's largest & oldest agencies dedicated to the treatment, prevention & research of child abuse & neglect. 10.9%

8401

Christopher & Dana Reeve
Foundation 800-225-0292

www.ChristopherReeve.org

Dedicated to curing spinal cord injury by funding innovative research & improving the quality of life for people living with paralysis. 16.2%

8483

Connecticut Food Bank
203-469-5000

www.ctfoodbank.org

Solicits, warehouses, transports & distributes donated food to 679 community-based hunger relief programs that serve more than 250,000 low-income residents in 6 CT counties. 6.3%

8468

Diabetes Research & Wellness
Foundation

877-633-3976

www.diabeteswellness.net

Scientific research into treatments & cure of diabetes. Conducts screenings, education programs to save lives from blindness, kidney failure, amputations. Publishes The Diabetes Wellness News. 7%

America's Charities

Helping you help others.

8486 Diabetes Research Institute Foundation, Inc. 800-321-3437 www.diabetesresearch.org A recognized world leader in cure- focused research, committed to bringing promising discoveries from the lab to patients in the fast- est & safest way possible. 11.9%	8406 Give Kids The World 800-995-5437 www.gktw.org A non-profit resort that creates memories & hope for children with life-threatening illnesses who wish to visit Central Florida's attractions. 5.6%	8495 Lance Armstrong Foundation, Inc. 877-236-8820 www.livestrong.org From the moment of diagnosis, the Lance Armstrong Foundation provides the practical information & tools people with cancer need to live on their own terms. 15.7%
8479 Dress for Success Worldwide 212-532-1922 www.dressforsuccess.org The mission of Dress for Success is to advance low-income women's economic & social development & to encourage self-sufficiency through career development & em- ployment retention. 9%	8447 The Hole In The Wall Gang Fund 203-772-0522 www.holeinthewallgang.org Founded by Paul Newman, is a non-profit camp & year-round center providing free services to children with cancer & other life- threatening illnesses. 10.8%	8409 Make-A-Wish Foundation® of Connecticut 877-203-9474 www.ct.wish.org The Make-A-Wish Foundation grants the wishes of children with life-threatening medical conditions to enrich the human experience with hope, strength & joy. 19%
8455 Father Flanagan's Boys' Home 800-448-3000 www.girlsandboystown.org Provides food, clothing, shelter, education, spiritual & medical care to homeless, neglected, abused & communicatively handicapped boys & girls. 11.1%	8457 Hospice America (American Hospice Foundation) 202-223-0204 www.americanhospice.org Increases access to hospice care through public education, profes- sional training & advocacy with the hope that hospice will be an integral part of our society. 12.8%	8465 Mothers Against Drunk Driving 800-438-6233 www.madd.org Provides national & local pro- grams to educate the public about drunk driving & underage drink- ing as well as provides assistance to drunk driving victims. 22.6%
8499 Feed The Children 800-627-4556 www.feedthechildren.org Provides food, medical care, clothing & educational materials to children domestically & inter- nationally, supplementing more than 1.4 million meals each day worldwide. 9.8%	8432 The Humane Society of the United States 202-452-1100 www.hsus.org Mission is to create a humane & sustainable world for all animals, including people, through educa- tion, advocacy & the promotion of respect & compassion. 14.4%	8412 NAACP Legal Defense & Educa- tional Fund 800-221-7822 www.naacpldf.org Fights for equality, access to edu- cation, employment, health care, housing, environmental justice, voting rights, criminal justice. Provides scholarships to promis- ing African-American under- graduates & law students. 20%
8489 The Fund for Animals 888-405-FUND www.fundforanimals.org Founded in 1967 by bestselling author Cleveland Amory. Pro- vides hands-on care to protect wildlife at sanctuaries such as Black Beauty Ranch. 6.4%	8487 'I Have a Dream'® Foundation 212-293-5480 www.ihad.org The program motivates & empowers children to reach their education & career goals by providing a long-term program of mentoring, tutoring & tuition assistance. 20.3%	8413 NAACP Special Contribution Fund 877-622-2798 www.naacp.org Focused on protecting & advanc- ing civil rights by eliminating the disparity within target areas: crimi- nal justice, education, employment, emergency relief, health advocacy, housing, legal assistance. 1.1%

8414 NARAL Pro-Choice America Foundation 877-YOU DECIDE www.ProChoiceAmerica.org Protects & advances women's freedom to make personal deci- sions regarding full range of re- productive choices through edu- cation, training, organizing, legal analysis & public policy. 27.8%*	8492 National Trust for Historic Preservation in the United States 800-944-NTHP www.nationaltrust.org Your support will help provide leadership, education & advocacy to save America's diverse historic places & revitalize communities for the future. 18.1%	8497 The Rutherford Institute 800-225-1791 www.rutherford.org A civil liberties organization that provides free legal services to people whose constitutional & human rights have been threat- ened or violated. 18.3%
8416 National Black Child Development Institute 800-556-2234 www.nbcdi.org Exists to improve & protect the quality of life of children & fami- lies through educational pro- grams, tutoring, training, public education & other community outreach programs. 23.5%	8481 PetSmart Charities 800-738-1385 www.petsmartcharities.org Over 2.7 million pets saved since 1994, through 840+ Adoption Centers. Provides funding for spay/neuter, pet retention, disaster relief & adoption programs. 14.3%	8493 Starlight Starbright Children's Foundation 800-315-2580 www.starlight.org Transforming the lives of seri- ously ill children & their families through programs that educate, uplift spirits, foster community & help alleviate pain & fear. 17.1%
8490 National Down Syndrome Society 800-221-4602 www.ndss.org Strives to increase public awareness about Down syndrome & improve the lives of people with Down syndrome through research, education & advocacy. 27.9%*	8426 Population Connection 800-767-1956 www.populationconnection.org National organization working to slow population growth & achieve a sustainable balance of people, resources & the environ- ment. 16.6%	8428 Teach For America 800-832-1230 www.teachforamerica.org The national corps of outstanding recent college graduates who commit two years to teach in public schools & become lifelong leaders in expanding educational opportunity. 12.5%
8488 National Organization for Rare Disorders (NORD) 800-999-6673 www.rarediseases.org Provides understandable informa- tion on rare diseases, peer net- working, community resource referrals, patient medication as- sistance programs, research, ad- vocacy for over 25 million people with rare disorders. 2.5%	8485 Reading Is Fundamental, Inc. (RIF) 888-725-4801 www.rif.org Provides free books for children across America to choose & keep. By promoting a love of books, RIF encourages children's literacy. 11.2%	8494 Tiger Woods Foundation, Inc. 888-TWF-KIDZ www.tigerwoodsfoundation.org Helping all children build values, characteristics & attitudes to reach their goals, TWF initiates & supports programs that en- hance their learning, growth & development. 9.9%
	8464 Ronald McDonald House Charities® 630-623-7048 www.rmhc.org Creates, finds & supports pro- grams improving the health & well-being of children through its global network of local Chapters & 260+ Ronald McDonald Houses® worldwide. 13.5%	8498 Tuberous Sclerosis Alliance 800-225-6872 www.tsalliance.org Supports tuberous sclerosis re- search, maintains a national net- work for family support & pro- motes public awareness & the education of medical & allied professionals. 23.5%

*Agency granted a one-year waiver.

Neighbor To Nation



8800

Neighbor To Nation

877-841-6839

www.neighbortonation.org

People in deed serving people in need, in our local communities, throughout America & the world. Providing life-sustaining assistance & hope for the future. 1.4%

8845 African American Self-Help Foundation 800-514-3499 www.aashf.org God's love effectively expressed through hot meals, healthcare, education & vocational training to homeless children worldwide; also providing assistance to qualified African-American working mothers.		8875 Alliance Defense Fund 800-835-5233 Defending the right to hear & speak the Truth in the areas of religious liberty, family values & sanctity of life.		8871 American Family Association 800-326-4543 www.afa.net Motivates Christians through radio, online & print publications to act on issues affecting families. Examples: media indecency, pornography, abortion, entertainment, education, parenting.	5.5%
8859 AIDS & Infectious Disease Science Center 800-877-9541 www.infection-research.org Deadly new bacteria & viruses are discovered daily. We need cures now! Please help us. We can't afford to lose this life or death race.	2.3%	8821 Alpha-1 Foundation 888-825-7421 www.alphaone.org Supports research towards a cure for Alpha-1, a deadly genetic disorder causing liver & lung disease, affecting over 25 million Americans who are unknown carriers.	14.4%	8850 American Foundation for Suicide Prevention 888-333-2377 www.afsp.org Exclusively dedicated to understanding & preventing suicide through research & education & to reaching out to people with mood disorders & those affected by suicide.	19.7%
8801 AIDS Research Alliance of America 800-358-2423 www.aidsresearch.org AARA's medical team helped develop nearly 50% of all current HIV/AIDS medications. Now help us save lives by finding an HIV vaccine & cure.	11.9%	8852 Alzheimer's and Aging Research Center 800-877-0019 www.aging-research.org Stop the suffering caused by aging-related medical conditions! Your support makes exciting new research possible. Please help our aging population & their families.	3.8%	8862 Arthritis & Chronic Pain Research Institute 800-877-4166 www.pain-research.org Chronic pain caused by arthritis, cancer & other medical conditions cripple 86 million Americans. Help us continue our search for new medications to relieve pain.	9.2%

People In Deed Serving People In Need

8867 Asthma and Allergy Foundation of America 800-727-8462 www.aafa.org Supports research to cure asthma & allergies & helps patients through educational programs, advocacy, free information & a national network of regional chapters & local support groups. 15.3%	8851 Breast Cancer Research Foundation, The 866-346-3228 www.bcrfcure.org Make A Difference. Breast cancer claims over 40,000 lives annu- ally. Your support funds lifesav- ing breast cancer research world- wide. Prevention & A Cure In Our Lifetime. 10.1%	8844 Children's Food Fund/World Emergency Relief 888-484-4543 www.worldemergencyrelief.org You'll "GIVE CHILDREN A LIVING CHANCE" through emergency re- lief, food, medical care, schools, orphanages & micro-economic assistance in 33 countries & U.S. including American Indians. 2%
8822 Blessings International 877-250-8101 www.blessing.org Giving hope to destitute children & adults by providing life-saving pharmaceuticals, vitamins & medical supplies for treating needy patients in developing na- tions & U.S. clinics. 0.2%	8846 Cancer Treatment Research Foundation 888-221-2873 www.ctrf.org 99% of workplace contributions support our mission to expedite innovative, scientifically based, human research into beneficial treatment options for cancer pa- tients today. 0.4%	8832 Children's Hunger Relief Fund 888-781-1585 www.chrf.org Saving children's lives! Sharing God's love by providing hot meals, disease-free water, health- care, medicines, food growing technology & Christian education to suffering children worldwide. 1.9%
8824 Brain Tumor Foundation of America 800-934-2873 www.braintumor.org Funding national research, pro- viding free patient support ser- vices & education, gives Help & Hope to children & adults whose lives are affected by brain tu- mors. 10.7%	8868 Child Aid: Children's Literacy and Hearing Projects 503-223-3008 www.child-aid.org Provides teachers, librarians, doctors, books, scholarships, hearing aids to poor children in Mexico & Guatemala. No fancy offices. No big salaries. Just hope for kids. 6.5%	8869 Christian Legal Society 703-642-1070 www.clsnet.org CLS defends religious freedom & the sanctity of life, provides legal assistance to the poor & pro- motes conflict resolution through biblical counseling, mediation & arbitration. 15%
8855 Bread & Water for Africa 888-371-6622 www.africanrelief.org Strengthening African initiatives for self-sufficiency through grassroots health, clean water, education, orphanages, voca- tional training, agriculture & mi- cro-credit programs focusing on women & children. 4.3%	8831 Children's Cancer Assistance Fund 800-532-6459 <a href="http://www.nationalchildrens
cancersociety.org">www.nationalchildrens cancersociety.org Give children with cancer a chance for a brighter future! Your support will provide vital financial assistance & emotional resources for children battling cancer. 17.7%	8833 Christian Military Fellowship 800-798-7875 www.cmfhq.org Supports U.S. military & their families, providing prayer, Bible studies, hospitality, link-ups, training & resources, encouraging them to love & serve the Lord Jesus Christ. 8.1%

<p>8834 Christian Relief Fund 800-858-4038 www.christianrelieffund.org Fighting hunger & poverty internationally by providing food, medicine, educational support, Christian disaster relief & humanitarian aid to children & families in developing countries. 9.9%</p>	<p>8825 Foundation Fighting Blindness 800-683-5555 www.fightblindness.org Funds research to discover treatments & cures for retinal diseases that cause blindness such as retinitis pigmentosa, macular degeneration & other related retinal diseases. 23%</p>	<p>8876 Mission Aviation Fellowship 800-359-7623 www.maf.org Aviation, communications & medical evacuations in remote, areas worldwide. Serves 600 Christian & humanitarian organizations, as well as doctors, teachers, missionaries, relief efforts, community development. 18.7%</p>
<p>8864 City of Hope 800-544-3541 www.cityofhope.org Internationally recognized innovative biomedical research, treatment & educational institution. Physicians/scientists dedicated to the prevention & cure of cancer, HIV/AIDS, diabetes & other life-threatening diseases. 19.5%</p>	<p>8810 Guide Dog Foundation for the Blind 800-548-4337 www.guidedog.org More than eyes for a blind person, a guide dog provides independence, security & companionship. Help us breed, train & give guide dogs without charge. 14%</p>	<p>8860 Multiple Sclerosis National Research Institute 866-676-7400 www.ms-research.org Conducts research for understanding, treating & halting the progression of multiple sclerosis & related diseases. Current research progress is promising. Please help us find cures! 6.8%</p>
<p>8857 Diabetes National Research Group 800-877-3457 www.diabetes-science.org Nicknamed "The Silent Killer," diabetes affects 16 million Americans. We support medical research to find treatments & possibly cures, for Type 1 & 2 diabetes. 4%</p>	<p>8816 Lions Clubs International Foundation 630-571-5466 www.lcif.org Supports large-scale humanitarian projects of Lions worldwide through grants to preserve sight, combat disability, promote health & serve youth. 14.9%</p>	<p>8877 National Eating Disorders Association 206-382-3587 www.NationalEatingDisorders.org Working to prevent, treat & cure anorexia, bulimia & other eating disorders. Your gifts fund life-saving research, treatment referrals and education programs. 15.2%</p>
<p>8806 Fellowship of Christian Athletes 800-289-0909 www.fca.org Since 1954, FCA has empowered coaches & athletes by providing them with encouragement, resources & training as they impact the world for Jesus Christ. 16.4%</p>	<p>8818 MAZON: A Jewish Response to Hunger 800-813-0557 www.mazon.org Provides grants to national & international anti-hunger organizations to help prevent & alleviate hunger. 16.7%</p>	<p>8870 Navigators, The 866-568-7827 www.navmilitary.org Strengthening the personal & spiritual lives of military men & women & their families through discipleship, Bible studies, leader development, conferences, counseling & group activities. 17.6%</p>
	<p>8837 Mercy Ships 800-772-7447 www.mercyships.org The leader in using hospital ships to deliver free world-class specialized healthcare & community development services to the poor. 10.7%</p>	

8849 Nazarene Compassionate Ministries, Inc. 800-214-4999 www.ncmi.org Provides crisis assistance world-wide, including food, healthcare & rebuilding. Promotes long-term solutions to poverty through training, gifts-in-kind, economic & community development & micro-enterprise projects. 3.9%	8823 Prison Fellowship 877-478-0100 www.pfm.org Provides programs to transform prisoners' lives & help them make responsible moral choices. Angel Tree program provides Christmas gifts to prisoners' children. Founder Chuck Colson. 22.8%	8843 Voice of the Martyrs, The 800-747-0085 www.persecution.com Provides humanitarian & spiritual aid to Christians persecuted for their faith. Types of aid include Bibles, trauma care, vocational training, & other humanitarian aid. 9.2%
8840 Officers' Christian Fellowship 800-424-1984 www.ocfusa.org Equipping military personnel to provide humanitarian leadership to all ranks. Individual & group counseling is provided during deployments, transfers. Provides retreat centers for rest/renewal. 12.9%	8841 Samaritan's Purse 800-528-1980 www.samaritanaspurse.org Christian relief agency led by Franklin Graham, providing food, medicine, clothing, shelter & other emergency assistance to victims of war, poverty, disease & natural disasters. 8.7%	8827 World Concern—A Division of CRISTA Ministries 800-755-5022 www.worldconcern.org Christian humanitarian organization providing microloans to women, care to AIDS orphans, education, business & agricultural training & emergency relief in 17 countries. 2.2%
8866 Osteoporosis and Breast Cancer Research Center 800-877-1775 www.osteobreastcancer.org Women throughout the world are victims of these horrifying diseases. We support vital scientific research for preventing & curing these & other diseases affecting women. 17.5%	8872 United Leukodystrophy Foundation, The 800-728-5483 www.ulf.org Provides patients & families specific information, networking opportunities, assists identifying sources of medical care, funds direct & indirect research leading to clinical trials & therapies. 13.7%	8873 Y-ME National Breast Cancer Organization 800-221-2141 www.y-me.org Provides information & support to anyone touched by breast cancer through its 24-Hour hotline staffed by trained breast cancer survivors with interpreters available in 150 languages. 22.6%

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People In Deed Serving People In Need

Greater Hartford Arts Council



8500
Greater Hartford Arts Council
860-525-8629
www.LetsGoArts.org

GHAC provides vital support for arts & heritage organizations that enliven our communities, strengthen our economy & give our children productive & creative ways to learn, during and after school. 16%

<p>8502 Artworks Gallery 860-247-3522 www.artworksgallery.org Promotes gifted local & regional contemporary artists. Works with schools & runs a community exhibition which includes 40 students from 12 towns. 22%</p>	<p>8538 Connecticut Guitar Society 860-249-7041 www.ccs.org Serves the educational & cultural needs of all levels of guitarists & the community through concerts, workshops, master classes & sponsorship of amateur guitar ensembles. 24%</p>	<p>8525 Guakia 860-296-9141 www.guakia.org Provides families from many cultures with Latino music, dance, writing & visual arts instruction. Also produces the children's arts newspaper El Pregonerito. 14%</p>
<p>8503 Bushnell Center for the Performing Arts 860-987-6000 www.bushnell.org A national leader in arts-in-education programs with its innovative Partners program, the Bushnell offers a broad range of cultural programming in its three performance spaces. 24%</p>	<p>8539 Connecticut Historical Society 860-236-5621 www.chs.org Seventh oldest historical society in the nation. Houses one of the most significant museum & library collections in New England. Diverse programming reaches 10,000+ school kids. 13%</p>	<p>8536 Hartford Children's Theatre 860-249-7970 www.hartfordchildrenstheatre.org Nurtures children of all ages from 135 CT towns with school, community & social service activities. Year-round educational programs celebrate diversity, build confidence, self-esteem. 12%</p>
<p>8534 Charter Oak Cultural Center 860-249-1207 www.charteroakcenter.org Offers multi-cultural arts & educational programs accessible for all, especially impoverished kids in the neighborhood. Has the only Spanish language theater series around. 31%*</p>	<p>8506 Connecticut Opera Association 860-527-0713 www.connecticutopera.org Celebrating 65 years, CT Opera presents over 100 educational & outreach programs to 30,000+ students throughout CT, as well as 3 operas each season. 17%</p>	<p>8514 Hartford Stage 860-527-5151 www.hartfordstage.org Presents 6-play season, new readings by minority playwrights. Widely-praised education programs that provide in-class trainings, bring 18,000 students to the theater, work with teens. 15%</p>
	<p>8510 Farmington Valley Arts Center 860-678-1867 www.fvac.net Arts education for students of all ages, on-site & at urban & suburban schools. Provides low-rent studios to visual artists, exhibition space, community events. 13%</p>	

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Enlivening Community with Art, History, Music, Dance, Theater & More

<p>8515 Hartford Symphony Orchestra 860-246-8741 www.hartfordsymphony.org Strongest programs include annual Reverend Martin Luther King, Jr. celebration, Musical Dialogues which reaches 60,000 children with live symphonic music & outreach to communities, schools. 16%</p>	<p>8541 The Mark Twain House & Museum 860-247-0998 www.marktwainhouse.org National historic landmark serves school children, educators, families, adult visitors from all 50 states. Programs include lectures, free outdoor concerts, family-friendly activities, teacher-training workshops. 22%</p>	<p>8518 Real Art Ways 860-232-1006 www.realartways.org Multidisciplinary arts organization with gallery exhibitions, 7-day-a-week cinema showing foreign films & award-winning documentaries, annual family film festival & educational programming for neighborhood teens. 20%</p>
<p>8531 Hill-Stead Museum 860-677-4787 www.hillstead.org A national historic landmark, this house-museum on 152 acres has an outstanding art collection & offers student tours that explore connections between art & nature. 12%</p>	<p>8530 New Britain Museum of American Art 860-229-0257 www.nbmaa.org With new 43,000 sq. ft. building, NBMAA added film & concert series, more educational programming & partnerships with area social service agencies to serve at-risk youth. 6%</p>	<p>8529 TheaterWorks www.theaterworkshartford.org 860-527-7838 Moderately priced professional, off-Broadway theater in a casual setting. TheaterWorks donates 2,500 free tickets per year to non-profit health & human service agencies & schools. 15%</p>
<p>8527 Little Theatre of Manchester/Cheney Hall 860-647-9824 www.cheneyhall.org A national historic landmark, Cheney Hall is the oldest operating community theater in CT. Summer youth program Rascal Rep has 50 kids singing, dancing, acting. 16%</p>	<p>8542 Noah Webster House & West Hartford Historical Society 860-521-5362 www.noahwebsterhouse.org 12,000 students each year visit this childhood home of the author of the first American dictionary. Costumed guides, hands-on activities. 7%</p>	<p>8523 Wadsworth Atheneum Museum of Art 860-278-2670 www.wadsworthatheneum.org The nation's oldest public art museum houses world-renowned paintings, sculpture, decorative arts, textiles, African-American & contemporary art, plus films, concerts & Saturday programs for kids. 25%</p>

*Linda Philie, widow of former CSEC committee member Bill Philie, congratulates Revenue Services employee **Brian Swanson**, the recipient of the 2006 William Philie Most Outstanding Loaned Employee Award. Bill was the first state worker to be approved as a loaned employee to the CSEC in the early 1990's. Brian was recognized for being an exceptional volunteer during the 2006 campaign.*



Earth Share of New England



8600

Earth Share of New England

877-207-5756

www.GreenforNewEngland.org

One gift helps protect your environment, health, wildlife & natural resources-locally, nationally & internationally. One environment, one simple way to care for it. 6.5%

8623

African Wildlife Foundation
888-4-WILDLIFE

www.awf.org

Foremost authority on African Wildlife dedicated to protecting elephants, mountain gorillas & other unique species through innovative, practical programs developed with the people of Africa. 14.9%

8601

Appalachian Mountain Club
617-523-0655

www.outdoors.org

Promotes the protection, enjoyment & wise use of the mountains, rivers & trails of the Appalachian region through programs in conservation, outdoor education & recreation. 12.2%

8602

Center of Ecological Technology
413-445-4556

www.cetonline.org

Provides education, technical assistance & services to communities, businesses, schools & individuals in the areas of renewable energy, energy efficiency, waste management & sustainable development. 11.8%

8649

American Farmland Trust
800-431-1499

www.farmland.org

Stopping the loss of farmland to sprawling development. Working with communities on smarter growth that includes local family farms. Advocating environmentally healthy farming practices. 14.5%

8661

Bat Conservation International
800-538-2287

www.batcon.org

Bats, & the habitats they rely on, urgently need your assistance. Help save these remarkable & vulnerable animals through our education, conservation & research efforts. 20.8%

8626

Center for Health, Environment & Justice
703-237-2249

www.chej.org

Empowers families protecting their children & communities protecting public health, from toxic chemicals in drinking water, air, food. Assists with information, community organizing & coalition-building. 6.1%

8662

American Forests 800-368-5748
www.americanforests.org

Funds private & public land reforestation projects; provides satellite imagery of tree loss to cities; educates the public on the value of trees & forests. 18.3%

8625

Beyond Pesticides (National Coalition Against the Misuse of Pesticides)

202-543-5450

www.beyondpesticides.org

Prevents pesticide poisoning of our environment, homes, workplaces, schools, food & water through a practical information clearinghouse on toxic hazards & non-chemical pest control. 2.1%

8663

Clean Water Fund
202-895-0432

www.cleanwaterfund.org

We all live downstream... Neighborhood-based action, education programs which join citizens, businesses, government for sensible solutions ensuring safe drinking water, pollution prevention, resource conservation. 21.6%

8624

American Rivers
877-4-RIVERS

www.AmericanRivers.org

Working to protect & restore healthy, natural rivers for the benefit of people & wildlife; ensuring clean drinking water, natural flood protection & recreational enjoyment. 15.4%

One Environment. One Simple Way To Care For It.

8614 Connecticut River Watershed Council 413-772-2020 www.ctriver.org The principal citizen champion for the Connecticut River, challenging threats, solving problems, & helping others enjoy the natural wonders of New England's largest river. 52.3%*	8622 Farmington River Watershed Association 860-658-4442 www.frwa.org A citizen's group working in CT & Mass. since 1953 to protect the natural resources of the Farmington River Watershed through research, education & advocacy. 15.6%	8664 National Arbor Day Foundation 402-474-5655 www.arborday.org National leader in environmental education, nature education for children, conferences, community forestry, tree planting/care, conservation & stewardship, celebrating Arbor Day & Arbor Day Farm. 10.6%
8650 Environmental & Energy Study Institute 202-628-1400 www.eesi.org Brings together diverse interests to educate Congress & promote solutions on clean energy, climate change, transportation, agriculture & sprawl for a cleaner, healthier, safer future. 16.8%	8660 Green Corps, Inc. 617-426-8506 www.GreenCorps.org Training a new generation of environmental leaders by working in communities with local groups to preserve forests, clean up our air & promote cleaner energy. 14%	8651 National Parks Conservation Association 800-NAT-PARK www.npca.org Preserves national parks from the Grand Canyon to Gettysburg; protects endangered wildlife & cultural sites; promotes new parks; defends against pollution, inappropriate development & overcrowding. 15.3%
8635 Environmental Defense 800-684-3322 www.environmentaldefense.org Environmental Defense's scientists, economists & attorneys design practical, long-term strategies to protect wildlife, natural resources, safeguard clean air, water & human health. 15.5%	8606 Housatonic Valley Association 860-672-6678 www.hvatoday.org We continue 63 years of protection & education throughout the Housatonic River Watershed focusing on clean water, education, its 50-mile riverway & land protection. 9.2%	8639 National Wildlife Federation 800-332-4949 www.nwf.org America's conservation organization keeping wildlife in our future, protecting endangered species & habitats & connecting children & adults with nature through education & action opportunities. 16.1%
8636 Environmental Law Institute 202-939-3800 www.eli.org Environmental law that works for you: community-based education + research on national problems = solutions to protect people & nature. Independent & non-partisan. 20.5%	8637 Izaak Walton League of America 800-IKE-LINE www.iwla.org Solutions-oriented conservationists—hunters, anglers, outdoor recreationist—working to protect America's air, waters, woods & wildlife habitat through education, advocacy & fostering strong outdoor ethics. 21.8%	8652 Natural Resources Defense Council 212-727-2700 www.nrdc.org NRDC defends embattled wilderness, rivers, clean air, coasts & wildlife across America & around the globe. Saved Baja's whales, Canada's Spirit bears & California's sequoias. 14.8%

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<p>8640 The Nature Conservancy 703-841-5300 www.nature.org Buys & protects land to save our world's rare plants & animals from extinction. Over 117 million acres protected --rainforests, prairies, wetlands, mountains, beaches. 13.7%</p>	<p>8645 The Sierra Club Foundation 800-216-2110 www.tscf.org Fights to preserve wilderness & protect environmental quality worldwide through a powerful combination of education, scientific research, publishing & litigation. 16.6%</p>	<p>8616 The Trust for Public Land 800-714-LAND www.tpl.org Conserves land for people to enjoy as parks, gardens & other natural places, ensuring livable communities for generations to come. 11.4%</p>
<p>8653 The Peregrine Fund 208-362-3716 www.peregrinefund.org Saves eagles, condors, falcons & other endangered birds through research, breeding & conservation programs. Helps preserve rainforests. Educates children & adults about nature & science. 4.8%</p>	<p>8655 The Student Conservation Association 603-543-1700 www.theSCA.org Over 1,600,000 hours of environmental service yearly, with high school & college volunteers working in parks, forests, refuges nationwide. Building trails, saving wildlife, helping visitors. 15.6%</p>	<p>8647 Union of Concerned Scientists 800-666-8276 www.ucsusa.org Scientists & citizens working on solutions to reduce air pollution & global warming, protect biodiversity, prevent nuclear proliferation & ensure a sustainable, safe food system. 15.9%</p>
<p>8641 Pesticide Action Network North America 415-981-1771 www.panna.org Works to eliminate poisonous pesticides. Links consumer, labor, health, environment & agriculture groups internationally to advance safer, ecologically sound pest control alternatives. 13.6%</p>	<p>8646 Surfrider Foundation 800-743-SURF www.surfrider.org Protects & preserves the world's oceans, waves & beaches through conservation, activism, research & education. Activities include: water quality monitoring, environmental education & grassroots activism. 17%</p>	<p>8665 The Wilderness Society 800-THE-WILD www.wilderness.org Works to protect America's last unspoiled wild places — parks, forests, wildlife refuges & other wilderness areas, which belong to all Americans, from development. 21.1%</p>
<p>8642 Rails-to-Trails Conservancy 866-202-9788 www.railtrails.org Converts thousands of miles of unused railroad corridors into public trails for walking, bicycling, hiking, skating, horseback riding, cross-country skiing, wildlife habitats & nature appreciation. 21.5%</p>		<p>8648 World Wildlife Fund 202-293-4800 www.worldwildlife.org Protects endangered wildlife & their threatened habitats by providing emergency assistance & long-term support to parks, nature preserves & anti-poaching activities on 5 continents. 18.5%</p>

Community Health Charities of Connecticut



3000 Capital Region
3200 Eastern Region
3400 Western Region
3600 South Central Region
860-951-5933 or 203-838-8411
203-230-1781 or 860-859-3111

www.chcct.org

A partnership of 37 Connecticut health charities dedicated to saving lives, providing services & finding cures. 11%

Alzheimer's Association – Connecticut Chapter

3001 Capital Region
3201 Eastern Region
3401 Western Region
3601 South Central Region
860-828-2828
203-845-0010
203-230-1777
www.alzct.org
Provide education, information & referral to community resources & emotional support for families dealing with dementia. 11%

American Cancer Society, New England Division, Inc.

3002 Capital Region
3202 Eastern Region
3402 Western Region
3602 South Central Region
800-492-7161
www.cancer.org
Dedicated to eliminating cancer through prevention, saving lives & diminishing suffering through research, education, advocacy & service. 17%

American Diabetes Association

3003 Capital Region
3203 Eastern Region
3403 Western Region
3603 South Central Region
800-842-6323
www.diabetes.org
Mission is to prevent & cure diabetes & to improve the lives of all people affected by diabetes through research, information & advocacy. 17%

American Heart Association (Heritage Affiliate)

3004 Capital Region
3204 Eastern Region
3404 Western Region
(except Bristol & Torrington)
3604 South Central Region
203-294-0088
www.americanheart.org
Mission is to reduce disability & death from cardiovascular diseases, heart attack, stroke & related disorders. 23%

American Liver Foundation (Connecticut Chapter)

3060 Capital Region
3260 Eastern Region
3460 Western Region
3660 South Central Region
203-234-2022
www.ctalf.org
Dedicated to promoting liver health & preventing, treating & curing hepatitis & other liver diseases through research, education & advocacy. 19%

American Lung Association of Connecticut

3025 Capital Region
3225 Eastern Region
3425 Western Region
3625 South Central Region
800-LUNG-USA
www.alact.org
Part of the American Lung Association, the oldest voluntary health agency in the United States. The focus is on tobacco control, asthma & environmental health. 24%

Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (Lou Gehrig's Disease) Association of Connecticut

3052 Capital Region
3252 Eastern Region
3452 Western Region
3652 South Central Region
203-874-5050
www.alsact.org
The only non-profit voluntary health organization dedicated solely to the fight against ALS. Supports research & provides support to patients & families. 21%

Arthritis Foundation, Northern & Southern New England Chapter

3006 Capital Region
3206 Eastern Region
3406 Western Region
3606 South Central Region
800-541-8350
www.arthritis.org
Supports research, education, exercise, support & advocacy services to prevent, control & cure arthritis & related conditions. 11%

Brain Injury Association of Connecticut

3007 Capital Region
3207 Eastern Region
3407 Western Region
3607 South Central Region
800-278-8242
www.biact.org
Dedicated to providing information, support & advocacy for individuals & families affected by brain injury & increasing public awareness of brain injuries & their prevention. 13%

Working for a Healthy America

Cancer Research Institute
 3053 Capital Region
 3253 Eastern Region
 3453 Western Region
 3653 South Central Region
 800-99CANCER
www.cancerresearch.org
 Supports basic & clinical research nationwide. Funding decisions overseen by Scientific Advisory Council including five Nobel Laureates. Proven fiscal integrity. Cancer Help Book available. 14%

Crohn's & Colitis Foundation of America, Connecticut Chapter
 3055 Capital Region
 3255 Eastern Region
 3455 Western Region
 3655 South Central Region
 800-932-2423
www.ccf.org
 To cure & prevent Crohn's Disease & ulcerative colitis through research & improve the quality of life of CT's residents affected through research & support. 6%

Cystic Fibrosis Foundation
 3008 Capital Region
 3208 Eastern Region
 3408 Western Region
 3608 South Central Region
 800-841-2828
www.cff.org
 Supports innovative research to control & cure cystic fibrosis. Provides specialized medical care through a nationwide network of centers, pharmacies & other patient services. 9%

Easter Seals Connecticut
 3056 Capital Region
 3256 Eastern Region
 3456 Western Region
 3656 South Central Region
 860-228-9438
www.ct.easterseals.org
 Provides physical, occupational, speech therapy, camping (Camp Hemlocks), outdoor challenge, driver assessment, job training placement, support & integrated childcare to children & adults with disabilities. 12%

Easter Seals Greater Hartford Rehabilitation Center, Inc.
 3010 Capital Region
 860-741-9500
www.eastersealshartford.org
 Provides comprehensive medical rehabilitation & vocational services to enhance physical functioning, independent living skills & productive employment for children & adults with multiple disabilities. 17%

The John D. Thompson Hospice Institute (Connecticut Hospice Institute)
 3020 Capital Area
 3220 Eastern Region
 3420 Western Region
 3620 South Central Region
 203-315-7575
www.hospice.com
 Seeks to share Hospice philosophy through comprehensive program of education, publications, training programs, technical assistance, consulting & conduct research programs. 1%

Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation
 3050 Capital Region
 3250 Eastern Region
 3450 Western Region
 3650 South Central Region

860-561-1153
 203-972-1729
 203-248-1880
www.jdrf.org
 Help us find a cure for diabetes. Through research, we can save lives of children & adults who suffer from diabetes & its devastating complications. 4%

Leukemia & Lymphoma Society
 3011 Capital Region
 3211 Eastern Region
 3411 Western Region
 3611 South Central Region
 203-379-0445
 203-967-8326
www.leukemia.org
 Our mission: Cure leukemia, lymphoma, Hodgkin's disease & myeloma & improve the quality of life for patients & their families. 19%

March of Dimes Birth Defects Foundation (CT Chapter)
 3028 Capital Region
 3228 Eastern Region
 3428 Western Region
 3628 South Central Region
 800-446-9255
 203-849-3800
www.modimes.org
 Provides public & professional health education; supports community based programs & research to improve the health of babies by preventing birth defects & infant mortality. 8%

Mental Health Association of Connecticut, Inc.
 3013 Capital Region
 3213 Eastern Region
 3413 Western Region
 (except Waterbury)
 3613 South Central Region
 800-842-1501
www.mhact.org
 Provides residential, social & work services to adults with mental illness; advocacy, support groups, referrals & public education about mental illness & substance abuse. 10%

Muscular Dystrophy Association
 3014 Capital Region
 3214 Eastern Region
 3414 Western Region
 3614 South Central Region
 860-633-4466
www.mdausa.org
 Fighting neuromuscular diseases through worldwide research, nationwide network of clinics offering comprehensive medical services & far-reaching professional & public health education. 11%

National Kidney Foundation of Connecticut

3015 Capital Region
3215 Eastern Region
3415 Western Region
3615 South Central Region

800-441-1280

www.kidneyct.org

Provides information, programs & services to people at risk for, or afflicted with kidney and/or urinary tract diseases. 5%

National Multiple Sclerosis Society

3016 Capital Region
3216 Eastern Region
3416 Western Region
3616 South Central Region

800-FIGHT-MS

www.nmss.org

Dedicated to ending the devastating effects of Multiple Sclerosis by providing education, support groups, information & referral, medical equipment, financial assistance & more. 16%

Prevent Blindness Tri-State—Connecticut

3017 Capital Region
3217 Eastern Region
3417 Western Region
3617 South Central Region

800-850-2020

www.preventblindnesstristate.org

Saves sight & prevents vision loss from accident or illness for children & adults through information, education, advocacy, referral & screening services. 10%

United Cerebral Palsy Association

3429 Western Region
3629 South Central Region

203-269-3511

www.ucpasouthernct.org

A direct care provider working to advance the independence, productivity & full citizenship of people with cerebral palsy & other neuromuscular disabilities. 13%

ASSOCIATE AGENCIES

The following associate charities have met Community Health Charities' eligibility criteria & receive designated funds only:

American Foundation for AIDS Research (amfAR)

3030 Capital Region
3230 Eastern Region
3430 Western Region
3630 South Central Region

800-39amfAR

www.amfar.org

Supports innovative AIDS research; educates patients, doctors & the public about HIV treatment/prevention; works to protect the rights of all people affected by HIV/AIDS. 20%

American Kidney Fund, Inc.

(Northeast Region)

3064 Capital Region
3264 Eastern Region
3464 Western Region
3664 South Central Region

516-336-8530

www.kidneyfund.org

Provides direct financial assistance to kidney patients in need & education to those with & at risk for kidney disease. 10%

American Parkinson Disease Foundation (CT Chapter)

3061 Capital Region
3261 Eastern region
3461 Western Region
3661 South Central Region

203-789-3936

www.ctapda.com

Affiliated with the state's Information & Referral Center at the Hospital of Saint Raphael. Services include telephone assistance, educational materials, lectures, fundraising activities, support groups. 13%

Children's Tumor Foundation

(formerly National Neurofibromatosis Foundation) CT Chapter

3051 Capital Region
3251 Eastern Region
3451 Western Region
3651 South Central Region

888-585-5316

www.ctf.org

Funds research, patient support & public awareness of the Neurofibromatoses (NF1, NF2 & Schwann-omatosis)—genetic disorders that cause random tumor growth throughout the body. 37%*

Connecticut Chronic Fatigue & Immune Dysfunction Syndrome & Fibromyalgia Association (CFIDS & FM)

3062 Capital Region
3262 Eastern Region
3462 Western Region
3662 South Central Region

800-952-2037

www.ct-cfids-fm.org

Offers advocacy, education, research funding, quarterly newsletter, referrals & information for patients & healthcare professionals. 13%

Connecticut Oral Health Initiative

3065 Capital Region
3265 Eastern Region
3465 Western Region
3665 South Central Region

860-246-2644

www.ctoralhealth.org

Making sure CT's children, adults & seniors do not suffer from dental pain due to poor oral health. You are not healthy without good oral health. 14%

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Epilepsy Foundation of
Connecticut

3026 Capital Region
3226 Eastern Region
3426 Western Region
3626 South Central Region

800-899-3745

www.epilepsysct.net

The leading source of information, service & support for the 60,000 people in CT who have epilepsy. 7%

Lea's Foundation for Leukemia
Research, Inc.

3063 Capital Region
3263 Eastern Region
3463 Western Region
3663 South Central Region

860-727-8998

www.leasfoundation.org

Provides grants for research, funds for scholarships, some limited financial aid & funds for a monthly cancer lecture series. 0%

Lupus Foundation of America,
Connecticut Chapter, Inc.

3022 Capital Region
3222 Eastern Region
3422 Western Region
3622 South Central Region

800-699-6967

www.lupusct.org

Dedicated to diagnosis, treatment, support for those affected with lupus; increasing awareness of lupus in the community through education, support, advocacy, research for a cure. 9%

Lyme Disease Foundation

3027 Capital Region
3227 Eastern Region
3427 Western Region
3627 South Central Region

860-870-0070

www.lyme.org

Every other person in CT knows someone with Lyme Disease. Help us eradicate all tick-borne diseases. Your gift funds patient assistance, public/physician awareness, research. 10%

Sickle Cell Disease Association of
America, CT Chapter

3018 Capital Region
3218 Eastern Region
3418 Western Region
3618 South Central Region

800-379-0119

www.sicklecellct.org

Provides services to patients & families; raises awareness among general public, members of at-risk groups, medical professionals; supports efforts to find a cure. 12%

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital

3066 Capital Region
3266 Eastern Region
3466 Western Region
3666 South Central Region

617-965-5262

www.stjude.org

The leading research & treatment hospital focused on pediatric cancer & catastrophic diseases. Increasing survival rates from 20% to 70% overall. 24%

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Independent Charities of America



8100

800-477-0733

www.independentcharities.org

Feeding the hungry. Sheltering the homeless. Protecting the children. & healing the sick. America's finest independent charities. Working with you to share - the American way. 2%

7827

A Mission For Children
305-374-3391

www.AidNicaragua.org

Help eradicate poverty by supporting children, women, elderly & underprivileged across Nicaragua through education, health-care, housing, nutrition & sustainable-development programs. Make a difference. Create change! 0.4%

7904

Adventist Development & Relief
Agency International
800-424-ADRA

www.adra.org

Imagine living without clean water, health services, basic education, or job opportunities. Gifts support ADRA's empowering development & relief programs in the U.S. & worldwide. 2.6%

7825

AIDS Fund, National
202-408-4848

www.aidsfund.org

Nationwide partnership of community-based organizations fighting HIV-AIDS through prevention, education & care. Grant dollars matched by communities 2:1—doubling your contribution! 4.2%

8170

Adoptable Children (North American
Council)

651-644-3036

www.nacac.org

More than 114,000 foster children need adoptive families. Your donation helps find loving parents for these children, support adoptive families & raise adoption awareness. 12.4%

8105

AFS-USA, Inc.
800-AFS-INFO

www.supportafsususa.org

Works toward a just & peaceful world by providing international & intercultural learning experiences to individuals, families, schools & communities through a volunteer partnership. 17.4%

8107

AIDS Programs of the National
Minority AIDS Council
202-483-6622

www.nmac.org

Develops leadership, provide technical assistance, research & treatment advocacy & public policy updates to communities of color in the fight against HIV-AIDS. 20.5%

8104

Adoption & Humanitarian Aid—
MAPS

207-775-4101

www.mapsadopt.org

Provides adoption services & humanitarian aid to orphaned & abandoned children as well as counsels & shelters homeless pregnant and-or parenting women. 2%

8102

Aging Research, American
Federation for (AFAR)
212-703-9977

www.afar.org

Making grants to scientists conducting groundbreaking research on aging & related diseases in the pursuit that we not only live longer, but live healthier longer. 9.7%

7900

AIDS Treatment & Research Information —Project Inform
800-822-7422

www.projectinform.org

Continues to press for a cure-providing respected treatment information & advocacy, toll-free treatment hotline & nationwide educational programs since 1985. 24.1%

7965

Adoptions by Cradle of Hope
301-587-4400

www.cradlehope.org

Help an abandoned child! We provide adoption services & support to children who are waiting for permanent, loving families. 18.1%

8106

AIDS & Sexually Transmitted
Disease Information Services of the
American Social Health Association
919-361-8400

www.asgastd.org

Provides information & support regarding sexually transmitted infections (STIs), including HIV, to thousands every day. 22.1%

8119

Air Compassion America
866-270-9198

www.aircompassionamerica.org

Saving child & adult patient lives through long-distance air ambulance service. Accident victims or seriously ill receive urgently needed medical care. 6.8%

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8109 Allergy & Asthma Network— Mothers of Asthmatics, Inc. 800-878-4403 www.breatherville.org Leading nonprofit health organization dedicated to eliminating suffering & death due to asthma, allergies & related conditions through educa- tion, advocacy & outreach. 19.8%	8120 American Anti-Vivisection Society 800-SAY-AAVS www.aavs.org Oldest nonprofit animal advocacy & educational organization in the nation dedicated to ending experi- mentation on animals used in re- search, testing & education. 8.9%	7951 American Thyroid Association 703-998-8890 www.thyroid.org Know someone with thyroid dis- ease? Maybe you? Support pa- tient education & research fo- cused on causes, treatment, pre- vention with your gifts of money. Best of health. 12.1%
7954 Alley Cat Allies 240-482-1980 www.alleycat.org Works for humane control of out- door feline population across the U.S. through sterilization & care of feral cats as a compassionate alternative to euthanasia. 20.5%	8154 American Foundation for Children with AIDS 888-683-8323 www.helpchildrenwithaids.org Provides free anti-retroviral & other medication to the most vul- nerable: HIV+ children with no voice, so they can reach their full life potential. 2.7%	7924 Animal Protection Institute 800-348-7387 www.api4animals.org Protecting animals from abuse & exploitation through legislation, litigation, public education & ad- vocacy, since 1968. 15.4%
8118 Alzheimer's Foundation of America 866-AFA-8484 www.alzfdn.org Hands-on care & support services for individuals affected by Alzhei- mer's disease & related dementias & to their families. "Together for Care...in addition to Cure." 8.7%	8197 American Friends of Kenya 860-208-2565 www.afkinc.org Sends books, medical supplies, donations for orphanages & work- ing teams to Kenya. Everything we do is monitored & effective. 7.4%	7901 Anxiety Disorders, Panic & Stress Research & Awareness Foundation 240-485-1001 www.adaa.org Champions research, provides re- sources for treatment & self-help & supports the millions affected by OCD, PTSD, panic, phobias, social anxiety, generalized anxi- ety & related disorders. 21.8%
8117 Alzheimer's Research & Prevention Foundation 520-749-8374 www.AlzheimersPrevention.org Help fight Alzheimer's disease & find a cure through research & prevention! Committed to ensur- ing peak mental performance & optimum brain function through- out our lives. 11.9%	8112 American Humane Association 303-792-9900 www.americanhumane.org America's only organization ac- tively protecting both children & animals from abuse, neglect & cruelty through advocacy, train- ing & support of child & animal- welfare professionals. 4.3%	7828 Armed Forces Veterans Homes Foundation 301-899-8386 www.VetHomesFoundation.org Keeping America's sacred prom- ise to military heroes by enhanc- ing quality of life for 30,000 dis- abled veterans requiring long term care in 139 State Veterans Homes. 13.9%
7807 Alzheimer's Research Foundation, Fisher Center 1-800-ALZINF www.alzinfo.org Research into cause, care & cure of Alzheimer's by winner of Nobel Prize for research in Alzheimer's. Your donations bring us closer to a cure. 4.1%	7919 American Kennel Club Canine Health Foundation 888-682-9696 www.akcchf.org Helps dogs live longer, healthier lives. Sponsors non-invasive ge- netic health research that helps conquer canine diseases includ- ing cancer, heart & eye disease (helps people too). 18.2%	7956 Arthritis National Research Foundation 800-588-2873 www.curearthritis.org Help end the suffering of 66 mil- lion Americans with arthritis. Funds research to find new treat- ments & a cure for arthritis. 7%

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8145 Asian Children's Assistance Ltd. 866-523-3133 www.AsianChildrensAssist.org Saving Asian abandoned, orphaned, destitute & handicapped children, providing hope & opportunity. Reaching their full potential through basic care, corrective surgery, therapy & training. 24.7%	7925 Autism Society of America 800-3-AUTISM www.autism-society.org Committed to improving the lives of people with autism, their families & the professionals who work with them through research, advocacy & education. 22.7%	7940 Black Charities for Children, Families, Communities 301-563-6250 www.blackcharities.net Provides programs that improves the quality of life for Black children, families & communities, educational initiatives, economic development, outreach, program funding & crisis relief. 8.7%
7957 ASPCA: American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals 212-876-7700 www.aspca.org America's 1st animal welfare organization. Bringing people & communities together to prevent cruelty to animals & guarantee homes for all adoptable pets. 14.1%	8149 Autoimmune Diseases Association 888-856-8585 www.aarda.org Autoimmunity causes Lupus, Arthritis, Vasculitis, MS, Fibromyalgia, Graves' & 90+ other diseases. Through research & patient services, our work eases the tremendous suffering they inflict. 8.7%	7859 Blind Vietnamese Children Foundation 888-877-0736 www.vietblindchildren.org Supports schools & homes & career development & healthcare programs enhancing the quality of life of visually-impaired children residing in Vietnam. 10.5%
7856 Assistance Dog Institute 707-545-3647 www.assistedog.org Our "Paws for Purple Hearts" project helps heal our returning service-men by teaching those with PTSD to train service dogs for those with physical disabilities. 4.8%	7810 Best Buddies for Children with Mental Retardation 1-800-89-BUDDY www.bestbuddies.org Children with mental retardation are often lonely & isolated. Change their future by matching them with volunteers in one-to-one friendships ...providing 'Best Buddies' for life. 13.3%	8140 Bone Marrow Donor Registry — American 800-745-2452 www.abmdr.org Saving lives! Tests & registers humanitarian heroes to donate bone marrow to save the lives of strangers. Registry makes lifesaving donor-patient matches possible. 2.7%
7857 Assistance Dog United Campaign 800-284-DOGS www.assistedogunitedcampaign.org Help provide loving assistance dog partners - Guide, Service, Hearing, Social-Therapy dogs - to individuals with disabilities through ADUC's assistance dog sponsorships & training program support. 6.5%	7987 Bethany Christian Services 800-238-4269 www.bethany.org Finds homes for homeless children. We cherish children, providing adoptive homes for American, international & special needs children, foster families for abused children. 8.9%	8143 Brady Center to Prevent Gun Violence 202-289-7319 www.bradycenter.org Dedicated to creating an America free from gun violence, where all Americans are safe at home, at school, at work & in communities. 24.2%
7858 Autism Intervention & Treatment Research-Organization for Autism Research 866-366-9710 www.researchautism.org Parents of children with autism never stop seeking answers. We're here to provide those answers & fund studies that provide practical information on lifelong care. 13.6%	7811 Bible Believers Fellowship, Inc. 800-851-8674 www.prisonministry.org Nationwide prison ministry promoting Christianity to English & Spanish speaking inmates using literature, videos, counseling & prayer in faithful obedience to our Lord Jesus Christ. 2.8%	7960 Brain Injury Association of America 800-444-6443 www.BIAUSA.org Promotes research & provides personal support to help the 5.3 million survivors of traumatic brain injury recover their lives to the fullest extent possible. 24.4%

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7906 Brain Tumor Association, American (ABTA) 800-886-2282 www.abta.org Funding research to eliminate brain tumors & sharing knowledge & hope with brain tumor patients & families through publications, referrals & social work consultations. 11.2%	7875 Cancer Research Fund VHL Alliance 800-767-4845 www.vhl.org The VHL gene is critical to tumor progression in many cancers. We fund VHL research & improve cancer patients' diagnosis, treatment & quality of life. 17.7%	8157 Caspari Center for Biblical & Jewish Studies, Jerusalem USA 630-668-3328 www.caspari.com Nurturing the growing community of Jewish believers in Jesus in Israel & helping the Church worldwide to fully understand the roots of their faith. 24.3%
8121 Breast Cancer Foundation, The Susan G. Komen 972-855-1600 www.komen.org Your gift helps fight breast cancer by supporting research & community-based outreach programs for the medically underserved. Established Komen Race for the Cure® series. 16.5%	8156 Canine Assistants 800-771-7221 www.canineassistants.org Training great dogs for special people. Invest in freedom by providing service dogs to children & adults with disabilities. Thank you! 3.8%	7961 CHADD (Children & Adults with Attention-Deficit-Hyperactivity Disorder) 800-233-4050 www.chadd.org Works to ensure children & adults with Attention-Deficit-Hyperactivity Disorder reach their full potential through family support, education & encouragement of research. 13.8%
8146 Breast Cancer Fund 866-760-TBCF www.breastcancerfund.org Breast cancer is a public health crisis affecting mothers, sisters & daughters. BCF identifies & advocates for elimination of the environmental causes of the disease. 18.6%	8125 Canine Companions for Independence 866-224-3647 www.cci.org Help give independence to people with disabilities! Changes lives of children & adults by providing highly trained assistance dogs. 11.5%	8127 Child Family Health International 415-957-9000 www.cfhi.org Crucial life-saving medical assistance where & when most needed. Utilizing healthcare supplies to save women's & children's lives. Providing sustainable, targeted support to underserved communities. 5.4%
8147 Cancer Curing Society 888-443-7766 www.gerson.org Help 1000's of people recover from so-called "incurable" diseases, such as cancer, by teaching a powerful natural treatment to patients, medical professionals & caregivers. 21.7%	8155 Canines for Disabled Kids 978-422-5299 www.caninesforkids.org Funding Assistance Dogs for disabled & autistic children—providing them with companionship & independence, while helping expand awareness of assistance dogs working with children. 14.1%	8128 Child Find of America 800-I-AM-LOST www.childfindofamerica.org Child kidnapping prevention & location specialists, helping children & devastated parents through free investigation, mediation & publicity. Your gift could bring a missing child home. 10.7%
7968 Cancer Research Fund of the Damon Runyon - Walter Winchell Foundation 877-7CANCER www.drcrf.org 100% of your gift funds innovative young scientists across the nation committed to discovering the causes & new cures for all cancers. 6.3%	7861 Carter Center 800-550-3560 www.cartercenter.org Led by former Pres. Jimmy Carter & Rosalynn Carter, the Center prevents & resolves conflicts, enhances freedom & democracy & improves health around the world. 7.2%	

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7962 Child Health Foundation 410-992-5512 www.childhealthfoundation.org Making a difference—saving—improving children's lives through low-cost scientific & innovative approaches in health services, education & policy, nutrition, safe water, poverty reduction. 5.1%	8153 Childhood Cancer Research Coalition 504-301-1461 www.nationalcancercoalition.org We support cutting edge cancer research, provide patient assistance & give cancer medicines free to needy patients. Your support saves lives. 4.5%	7813 Children's Angel Flight 757-512-5267 www.childrensangelflight.org Your gift makes air transportation possible for children requiring travel to distant diagnosis, evaluation, treatment, or rehabilitation. 11.1%
8162 Child Labor Watch 866-RUGMARK www.rugmark.org Works to end child slavery in the carpet industry by rescuing child laborers & offering them educational opportunities in India, Nepal & Pakistan. 7.8%	7977 Childhood Cancer Research—St. Baldrick's Foundation 888-899-BALD www.StBaldricks.org Kids fighting cancer lose more than their hair; our volunteers shave in solidarity, raising funds for a cure. Now you can support lifesaving research, too. 8.6%	7830 Children's Fire & Burn Fund 800-877-1250 www.safehome.org Reducing preventable death & injury to children by providing free smoke alarms & fire prevention education. Special attention given to disadvantaged children & families. 13.8%
7928 Child Rescue International 800-245-9191 www.mwb.org Filling the physical, emotional & spiritual void of institutionalized children by providing food, clothing, medicines, vocational education, love & hope for a better future. 13.5%	8129 Children Awaiting Parents 888-835-8802 www.ChildrenAwaitingParents.org Dedicated to finding loving, adoptive homes for abandoned, abused & neglected children who languish in the foster care system. Some have emotional-mental-physical disabilities. 19.9%	8132 Children's Hopes & Dreams Foundation 800-437-3262 www.helpingnow.org Hospitals are frightening! Your pledge directly places our entertaining magazines into the hands of terminally-chronically ill children. Replace fear with amusement, laughter, education smiles. 3.2%
8165 Child Welfare League of America 202-638-2952 www.cwla.org CWLA's nearly 850 member agencies reach millions of children in need every year. We protect children, strengthen families & advocate children as a national priority. 7%	8175 Children & Charity International 202-234-0488 www.childrenandcharity.org Provides critical learning & mentoring experiences & life-saving services to poor & under-represented children & caregivers. 0.8%	7923 Children's Miracle Network 801-278-8900 www.childrensmiraclenetwork.org Your entire donation saves children's lives by helping premier local participating children's hospitals provide state-of-the-art care, lifesaving research & preventative education for millions of kids. 10.8%
8172 Childhood Brain Tumor Foundation 877-217-4166 www.childhoodbraintumor.org Through research, there is hope for cures. Help fund vital scientific & clinical research & provide support to children suffering from brain tumors. 15.6%	7963 Children of the Night 800-551-1300 www.childrenofthenight.org Rescues America's children from prostitution. Includes 24 hour nationwide hotline & home featuring an on-site school & college placement program. 11.4%	7933 Children's Network International 877-264-2243 www.childrensnetworkinternational.org Provides food & medical assistance to needy children & their families, across the U.S. & worldwide where & when it is most needed. 1.5%

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8183 Christian Freedom International 800-323-CARE www.christianfreedom.org Caring for persecuted Christians with ongoing work in war-zones delivering medicine, food, clothes, tools, and Bibles & reporting to the world the atrocities occurring there. 14.3%	7990 Coalition to Salute America's Heroes 914-432-5400 www.saluteheroes.org Assistance to wounded & disabled war on terror veterans who have sacrificed to defend our country - financial aid, career development, housing, education, family support services. 7.4%	7831 Conservation & Protection of Public Lands 703-790-1988 www.publicland.org Keeping America's Public Lands in public hands, sustaining their ecological, social & economic vitality by protecting & developing their natural resources through education & advocacy. 8.4%
8164 Christian Relief Services 800-33-RELIEF www.christianrelief.org Many cannot afford the most basic needs...food, water, medicine, housing. We're providing a hand-up rather than hand-out to those who need it most worldwide. 20.2%	8196 Coast Guard Auxiliary Association 314-962-8828 www.cgaux.org The 32,000 civilian volunteers of the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary serve America in water-boating safety education, vessel safety inspections, search & rescue, homeland security. 19.7%	8136 Cornelia De Lange Syndrome Foundation 800-753-2357 www.cdlsusa.org Children with CdLS & the people who care for them count on us for current, accurate information, professional consultations & a network of family support. 9.5%
8189 Christian World Adoption 888-97-ADOPT www.cwa.org Exists to feed, clothe, medicate, educate & care for children without regard for color or class, based on the teachings & love of Christ. 10.3%	7902 Coast Guard Foundation 860-535-0786 www.cgfdn.org Provides programs that enhance the education, welfare & morale of Coast Guard personnel & their families; augments the Coast Guard Academy's academic & extracurricular programs. 18%	8174 Correctional Peace Officers Foundation 800-800-2763 www.cpop.org Nonprofit charity for Correctional Officers & their families, by providing line-of-duty death benefit & catastrophic assistance in cases of accident or illness. 13%
7908 Chronic Fatigue & Immune Dysfunction Syndrome (CFIDS) Association of America 704-365-2343 www.cfids.org The nation's leading charitable organization dedicated to conquering CFS. Programs in CFS education, research & public policy have greatly enhanced understanding of this debilitating illness. 12.8%	7907 Compassionate Friends 877-969-0010 www.compassionatefriends.org Offers hope & understanding to families grieving the death of a child. Meetings, phone support, newsletters, workshops, website & national magazine to promote healing. 14.2%	8184 COTA Children's Organ Transplant Association 800-366-2682 www.cota.org Helps save kids' lives by raising funds to pay transplant-related expenses. 8.1%
8192 Civil War Preservation Trust 800-CW-TRUST www.CivilWar.org Manassas, Gettysburg, Antietam: Don't let developers pave over our nation's past. If we don't save America's battlefields now, we risk losing them forever! 8.8%	7964 Concerns of Police Survivors, Inc. (COPS) 573-346-4911 www.nationalcops.org Resources for surviving families of law enforcement officers killed in line of duty to rebuild their shattered lives; assists law enforcement agencies; educates public. 20.6%	8188 Dads & Daughters 218-722-3942 www.dadsanddaughters.org DADs inspires fathers to actively & deeply engage in the lives of their daughters & encourages them to transform the pervasive cultural messages devaluing girls. 14.3%

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<p>8190 Deaf Children's Literacy Project 800-459-3529 www.cuedspeech.org Literacy is a critical determiner to an individual's quality of life. A deaf child can learn language, become literate & live independently by communicating with Cued Speech. 15.5%</p>	<p>8169 Dogs for Deaf & Disabled Americans (NEADS) 978-422-9064 www.neads.org We rescue dogs, train them as assistance dogs & match them with disabled veterans & others, for whom they provide freedom, security & unconditional love. 9.4%</p>	<p>8138 ESPERANCA 602-252-7772 www.esperanca.org Improving health & providing hope for families in the poorest communities of the world through sustainable disease prevention, education & treatment. 24.8%</p>
<p>7814 Diabetes Action Research & Education Foundation 202-333-4520 www.diabetesaction.org Funds research for treatment, prevention & cure. Diabetes University focuses on alternative therapies. 100% of workplace contributions used for research & program services. 8.3%</p>	<p>7911 Dollars for Scholars 800-279-2083 www.scholarshipamerica.org Make a difference, change a life! More than financial aid, we also connect students & parents with mentoring & tutoring programs. We build strong communities. 4.5%</p>	<p>8139 FACES: The National Craniofacial Association 800-3-FACES-3 www.faces-cranio.org Children with craniofacial disfigurements require specialized reconstructive surgeries. We take care of these children & their families while treatment is received. Rebuilding faces - rebuilding futures. 5.9%</p>
<p>7917 Diabetes & Immune Disease National Research Institute 858-752-6500 www.didnri.org Help find treatments for diabetes & other immune system disorders. Make the necessary scientific breakthroughs a reality by supporting our cutting-edge research. 8.9%</p>	<p>8187 Educate the Children 607-272-1176 www.etc-nepal.org Working for sustainable change in impoverished areas of Nepal through women's literacy & empowerment, children's education & agricultural development. Partnership with communities building better futures. 24.4%</p>	<p>7931 Families of Spinal Muscular Atrophy 800-876-1762 www.curesma.org Dedicated to eradication of SMA through funding of research, family support & education. Advancing research. Supporting families. Finding a cure! 2.9%</p>
<p>8166 Direct Relief International 800-676-1638 www.directrelief.org Since 1948, providing humanitarian medical aid to people in need worldwide. Privately funded, apolitical, non-sectarian & top-rated in efficiency by Forbes & Charity Navigator. 1.2%</p>	<p>7999 Entomological Foundation 301-459-9083 www.entfdn.org Insects are essential in our ecosystems. Educate youth in applying science-based solutions that incorporate the critical role of insects in achieving healthy environments. 9.7%</p>	<p>7932 Family Adoption Consultants 269-343-3316 www.facadopt.org Works to provide adoptive homes & humanitarian aid to homeless children throughout the world; provides ethical adoption services to adoptive families throughout the U.S. 14.5%</p>
<p>8173 Disabled American Veterans (DAV) Charitable Service Trust 859-441-7300 www.dav.org Your gift provides food, shelter & medical aid to homeless veterans, transportation to medical facilities & counseling-rehabilitation for amputee & other severely disabled veterans. 3.7%</p>	<p>7863 Equestrian Land Conservation Resource 859-455-8383 www.elcr.org Horse land access & protection is the greatest threat to the future of equestrian sport, recreation & industry: Preserving land for those who love horses. 14.3%</p>	<p>7992 Family Violence Prevention Fund 415-252-8900 www.endabuse.org Ending violence against women & children through programs promoting respect, educates public, protects children, trains judges, physicians, policymakers & leaders internationally. 10.4%</p>

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8141 Farm Animal Reform Movement (FARM) 888-FARM USA www.farmusa.org Factory farms abuse innocent animals & confine them in small cages. Help us end needless slaughter, protect the environment & encourage healthy, meat-free living. 2.9%	7967 Friends of Animals 203-656-1522 www.friendsofanimals.org Operating national spay/neuter program for cats & dogs since 1957 (34,000 procedures yearly). Works to protect wildlife, especially wolves & chimpanzees. 15%	7879 Grassroots International, Inc. 617-524-1400 www.grassrootsonline.org Promotes global justice by advancing political, economic & social rights & by supporting development alternatives through partnerships, grant-making, education & advocacy. 20.9%
7833 Farm Safety 4 Just Kids 800-423-KIDS www.fs4jk.org Promotes a safe farm environment to prevent health hazards, injuries & fatalities to children & youth. 20.7%	7803 Giving Children Hope 866-392-HOPE www.gchope.org Rescue children in desperate need, deliver emergency food, medicine, medical equipment; promote health-nutrition education, implement training programs; provide orphanages, clinics & hospitals needed supplies. 0.6%	7880 Greater Yellowstone Coalition 800-775-1834 www.greateryellowstone.org Works to protect & conserve the area's wildlife, waters & lands. We work through advocacy, citizen activism & policy reform to achieve these goals. 14.4%
7913 Federation for American Immigration Reform 877-627-3247 www.fairus.org Educates Americans on the impacts of excessive & illegal immigration. Supports sensible alternatives to mass immigration through research, education & public outreach. 25.5%*	7806 Global Fund for Women 415-202-7640 www.globalfundforwomen.org Advancing women's human rights worldwide by making grants to women-led organizations that promote economic security, health, safety, education & leadership of women & girls. 20.5%	8195 Greenpeace Fund 800-326-0959 www.greenpeacefund.org Takes action, peacefully & creatively, to expose global environmental problems & promote solutions essential to a green & peaceful future. 22.7%
7998 Fisher House Foundation 888-294-8560 www.fisherhouse.org We build & donate Fisher Houses at military-VA medical centers, support existing houses, help military families in need & award scholarships for military children. 2.4%	8148 Global Hunger Project 800-228-6691 www.thp.org Empowers millions of people in Asia, Africa & Latin America to achieve lasting progress in health, education, nutrition & family income. 16.4%	8199 Guide Dogs for the Blind 800-295-4050 www.guidedogs.com Partnerships for blind people to improve quality of life. We have the best dogs, superior training & the best services available anywhere in North America. 14.1%
8144 Food Allergy & Anaphylaxis Network 800-929-4040 www.foodallergy.org To raise public awareness, provide advocacy & education & to advance research on behalf of all those affected by food allergies & anaphylaxis. 18.3%	7878 Globus Relief 801-977-0444 www.globusrelief.org Improves delivery of healthcare to the world's poor by gathering, processing & distributing medical & other humanitarian supplies to partner charities at home & abroad. 1.7%	7934 Guide Dogs of America 800-459-4843 www.guidedogsofamerica.org Dedicated to providing professionally trained guide dogs to blind individuals, free of charge, United States & Canada. 24.5%

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7834 Habitat for Humanity International 800-422-4828 www.habitat.org Christian housing ministry working to end poverty by partnering with families in need to build affordable homes; over 200,000 worldwide. 19.9%	7914 Hospice Foundation of America 800-854-3402 www.hospicefoundation.org Assists terminally ill persons & their families through the dying process in a less painful & more caring manner, including caregiving & bereavement assistance. 14.8%	7937 International Medical Corps 800-481-4462 www.imcworldwide.org Global humanitarian organization building self-reliance in local communities by training health care providers, rebuilding clinics, improving water-sanitation-nutrition & supporting livelihoods & mental health. 4.9%
7815 Hearing Foundation 866-354-3254 www.sotheworldmayhear.org Provides hearing aids, batteries, research & training to improve the lives of low-income hearing impaired children & adults in the USA & throughout the world. 3%	7972 In Defense of Animals 415-388-9641 www.idausa.org Fight animal exploitation, cruelty & abuse by supporting our undercover investigations, grassroots activism, rescue operations, lobbying, lawsuits & our abused animals & African chimpanzee sanctuaries. 15%	7885 International Relief & Development 877-844-5644 www.ird.org Our mission is to reduce the suffering of the world's most vulnerable groups & provide the tools & resources needed to increase their self-sufficiency. 7.6%
7971 Hispanic Scholarship Fund 877-HSF-INFO www.hsf.net The nation's leading Hispanic scholarship-granting organization, committed to advancing college education among Hispanic Americans & doubling the rate of college graduates. 11.6%	7882 Institute for In Vitro Sciences, Inc. 301-947-6523 www.iivs.org We use the best science to help eliminate animal use in research & testing. Better information to help protect human health is the result. 20.5%	7938 Jesuit Volunteers International 202-687-1132 www.JesuitVolunteers.org Compassionate college graduates serve the poor as teachers & social workers in schools & training centers in developing countries in Latin America, Asia & Africa. 22.5%
8152 Holt International Children's Services 888-355-4658 www.holtinternational.org Finding families for the world's orphaned, abandoned & vulnerable children through family preservation & adoption, both domestic & international. Every child deserves a home. 16.9%	7883 Institute for International Cooperation & Development 413-458-9466 www.iicd-volunteer.org Providing equal opportunities for people to take part in sustainable development in poor countries, assisting people at grass roots level in realizing locally owned potentials. 25.7%*	7817 Kidney Cancer Research & Education Association 800-850-9132 www.curekidneycancer.org Strives for a world without kidney cancer. We fund kidney cancer research & help patients through patient meetings, information & advocacy. 20.5%
7881 Homes For Our Troops 508-823-3300 www.homesforourtroops.org Builds new handicap-accessible homes & makes existing homes handicap-accessible for severely injured veterans. Homes are provided at no cost to the veteran. 16.1%	7884 International Fellowship of Christians & Jews 800-486-8844 www.ifcj.org Promotes understanding between Jews & Christians. Provides relief in Israel & the former Soviet Union. Helps needy Jews relocate to Israel & assists in resettlement. 20.4%	7886 Labs4Rescue, Inc. 203-605-9634 www.labs4rescue.com Volunteers dedicated to providing a new life for rescued or displaced Labrador Retrievers & Labrador mixes. 4.7%

7887 Last Chance for Animals 310-271-6096 www.lcanimal.org Waking people up to the exploitation & abuse animals experience daily. Help us spread the word that a compassionate world benefits both humans & animals. 18.2%	7918 MAP International 800-225-8550 www.map.org MAP (Medical Assistance Programs) saves lives in over 100 countries by providing \$50 in urgently needed medicines for every \$1 you donate. 1%	7922 Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research 800-708-7644 www.michaeljfox.org The Michael J. Fox Foundation is dedicated to accelerating the development of a cure for Parkinson's disease through an aggressively funded research agenda. 10.9%
7837 Leukemia Clinical Research Foundation 651-229-7131 Leukemia can be cured! We live that dream by supporting research where it has the most impact—on patients in clinical settings. 5.5%	7838 Marine Corps Scholarship Foundation 800-292-7777 www.mcsf.org We provide scholarships to children of current-former-deceased Marines who need financial assistance to pursue a college or votech education. 13.8%	7839 Military Officers Association of America Scholarship Fund 800-234-6622 www.moaa.org Provides interest free loans & grants to undergraduate children of active, reserve, National Guard, or retired military personnel. All administrative costs are paid by MOAA. 0%
7818 Lymphoma Research Foundation 800-235-6848 www.lymphoma.org The foundation is the nation's largest lymphoma-focused organization devoted exclusively to funding research & providing patients & healthcare professionals with critical information about lymphoma. 11.5%	8160 Marine Mammal Center 415-289-SEAL www.marinemammalcenter.org Rescues, rehabilitates & releases sick, injured & orphaned marine mammals & educates thousands of school children each year about marine mammals & ocean ecology. 25.4%*	7889 Miracle Flights for Kids 800-359-1711 www.miracleflights.org Change the future for a sick child! Your donation provides free flights for children needing to reach medical surgeries thousands of miles away from home. 23%
7973 MADRE, Inc. 212-627-0444 www.madre.org An international women's human rights organization providing direct relief, resources & training to women in conflict zones worldwide to promote peace, justice & human rights. 13%	7888 Medical Support Association 504-371-5595 www.medical-support.org Providing life-saving essential medicines to pediatric patients in impoverished communities at no charge. Your gift will have real impact & help save lives. 2.5%	7868 National Alopecia Areata Foundation 415-472-3780 www.naaf.org Provides major research funding, patient educational materials & support for alopecia areata a mystifying autoimmune disease affecting all ages, causing one's hair to fall out. 16.5%
7974 MAGIC Foundation 800-3-MAGIC-3 www.magicfoundation.org Provides support services for families of children afflicted with a variety of chronic and-or critical disorders, syndromes & diseases that affect a child's growth. 9.8%	8163 Mercy Medical Airlift 757-318-9174 www.mercymedical.org Flying the sick & injured to medical care. A national charitable organization providing air transportation to children, parents & grandparents in medical & financial crisis. 5.2%	

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7890 National Children's Advocacy Center 256-533-5437 www.nationalcac.org To model & promote excellence in child abuse response & prevention. We will increase awareness, education, & resources in the effort to protect all children. 18.6%	7975 National Transplant Assistance Fund 1-800-642-8399 www.transplantfund.org Helps patients mobilize their communities to raise funds for uninsured medical expenses related to transplantation & catastrophic injury by providing fundraising expertise & resources. 6.1%	7980 Ovarian Cancer Coalition, National 888-OVARIAN www.ovarian.org Help & hope about ovarian cancer provided with public education & awareness, state chapters, toll-free helpline, comprehensive web site, peer support, publications & special projects 11.6%
7945 National FFA Foundation, Inc. 317-802-6050 www.ffa.org Positive example of what works! Dynamic youth organization that changes lives & prepares students for premier leadership, personal growth & career success through agricultural education. 21%	7979 NumbersUSA Education & Research Foundation 877-885-7733 www.numbersusa.org Seeking lower levels of immigration, population growth, labor importation, sprawl, & congestion, this group researches, educates, & provides tools for 250,000 members & the public. 9%	7872 Pancreatic Cancer Action Network 877-272-6226 www.pancan.org PanCAN provides national public & professional education embracing the urgent need for more research, effective treatments, prevention programs, & early detection methods. 11.2%
7946 National Foundation for Advancement in the Arts 305-377-1140 www.NFAA.ARTSawards.org NFAA's youngARTS program honors America's most talented high school actors, artists, dancers, filmmakers, musicians, photographers, singers, & writers with cash awards & college scholarships. 19.5%	8171 Obsessive Compulsive Foundation, Inc. 203-401-2070 www.ocfoundation.org Educates & assists public & professional communities about OCD & related disorders. Provides critical support, resources; connecting professionals who treat the disorder. 13%	8177 Paralyzed Veterans Of America Spinal Cord Research Foundation (SCRF) 800-424-8200 x 255 www.pvaresearch.org Funds research aimed at restoring function & improving the quality of life for veterans & all others paralyzed by spinal cord injury or disease. 0.2%
7976 National Park Trust 301-279-7275 www.parktrust.org National Park Trust, aka American Parkland Preservation, is America's land conservancy: Saving parks, wildlife & historic sites & protecting them for present & future generations. 9.7%	8173 Operation USA 800-678-7255 www.opusa.org Assists communities to alleviate the effects of disaster, disease & endemic poverty throughout the world by providing privately-funded relief, reconstruction & development aid. 1.2%	7926 Parents as Teachers National Center 866-PAT-4-YOU www.parentsteachers.org Free parenting education & health-developmental screenings for families from prenatal to kindergarten enhances child development & school readiness. All 50 states & US territories. 20.9%
7842 National Partnership for Women & Families 202-986-2600 www.nationalpartnership.org Fighting since 1971 to eliminate workplace discrimination, secure critical family protections like Family & Medical Leave Act, & ensure access to affordable, quality healthcare. 10.2%	7871 ORBIS 800-ORBIS-US www.orbis.org Combats blindness in the developing world using a flying eye hospital, volunteer doctors, & long-term regional & country programs to provide training & expertise. 15.7%	

7916
Parents Television Council
800-TV-COUNTS
www.parentstv.org
Protect children from gratuitous sex, violence, & profanity on television. Support this volunteer parent organization's work with networks, advertisers, & the FCC to promote decency. 24.7%

7845
Parkinson's Research Center, Michael Stern Foundation
800-470-0499
www.parkinsoninfo.org
Providing research into the cause, care, & cure of Parkinson's in a world class laboratory directed by Nobel Prize winner for Parkinson's research. 1.9%

7891
Partnership for a Drug-Free America
212-922-1560
www.drugfree.org
Our research-based education campaigns support children, teens & parents-helping them lead healthy, drug-free lives. As a responsible nonprofit, we support both drug prevention & treatment. 18.1%

8179
Paws With A Cause
800-253-PAWS
www.pawswithacause.org
Trains Assistance Dogs nationally for people with disabilities & provides lifetime team support. Promotes awareness through education. 5%

7892
Pearl S. Buck International, Inc.
1-800-220-Buck (2825)
www.pearlsbuck.org
Dedicated to advancing Pearl S. Buck's legacy of improving the lives of children & promoting cross-cultural understanding through adoption, health, & education programs. 12%

8181
Pet Partners
425-679-5500
www.deltasociety.org
Your yearly contribution helps therapy animal teams comfort over 1M men, women, & children in hospitals, physical therapy, or those who have lost loved ones. 28.3%*

8182
PETA: People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals
757-622-PETA (7382)
www.peta.org
Your contribution will help us save animals' lives. We fight cruelty to animals through education, investigations, grassroots campaigns, rescues, advocacy, & messages of compassion. 14.8%

7929
PKD Foundation
800-753-2873
www.pkdcure.org
Only organization worldwide solely devoted to programs of patient education, public awareness, advocacy, & research toward a treatment & cure for polycystic kidney disease patients. 13.2%

7920
Planned Parenthood Foundation
800-829-7732
www.plannedparenthood.org
We exist to preserve & advance reproductive freedom & choice, provide access to affordable health care, & promote responsible & accurate sexuality education. 11.2%

8194
Polish American Congress Charitable Foundation (PACCF)
773-763-9944
www.polamcon.org
Provides medical supplies, books & equipment to Poland's hospitals, rehabilitation centers, orphanages, & the elderly, & sponsors other health care programs including neonatal training/research. 1.5%

8158
ProLiteracy Worldwide
888-528-2224
www.proliteracy.org
Literacy volunteers teaching youth, adults & families the reading, writing, math & technology skills they need to change their lives & communities. 12.7%

7993
Public Employees for Environmental Responsibility
202-265-7337
www.peer.org
Important resource for public employees who care about the environment. Through PEER, employees can safely & effectively become anonymous activists for environmental protection. 7.7%

7982
Rape, Abuse, & Incest National Network (RAINN)
202-544-1034
www.rainn.org
Operates National Sexual Assault Hotline. Free, 24/7 services help 130,000 people a year. Programs prevent rape, help victims, put rapists in jail. Largest anti-rape organization. 13.4%

7873
Reach Out & Read
617-629-8042
www.reachoutandread.org
Pediatricians, on military bases & civilian health care settings, give free books to young children & advice to parents about the importance of reading aloud. 10%

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7820	Reflex Sympathetic Dystrophy Syndrome Association of America 877-662-7737 www.rsds.org Promotes greater awareness of this painful, debilitating neurological disease that affects millions. Providing crucial information to patients, families, medical professionals, educators, pain advocates, & more. 5.4%	7823	Skin & Dental Dysfunction Foundation 618-566-2020 www.nfed.org Provides dentures, support, & hope to children left toothless from Ectodermal Dysplasia, a rare disorder. Funds research to find improved treatment options & cures. 10.4%	7953	United States Field Hockey Association 719-578-4567 www.usfieldhockey.com Fosters & develops the sport of field hockey; prepares teams to participate in Olympic Games; provides competition & training for athletes, officials, & coaches. 14.6%
7804	Restless Legs Syndrome Foundation 507-287-6465 www.rls.org Increasing awareness, improving treatments, & funding research to find a cure for restless legs syndrome. Working for a better future for everyone living with RLS. 14.5%	7894	Southeastern Guide Dogs 800-944-3647 www.guidedogs.org Mission is to offer, free of charge, independent travel with safety & dignity to blind men & women through professionally trained guide dogs. 17.4%	7995	Vegan Outreach 412-968-0268 www.veganoutreach.org Persuading students & adults throughout the U.S. & Canada with our powerful booklets Why Vegan, Even If You Like Meat, & Try Vegetarian. 9.9%
8198	Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation 406-523-4500 www.elkfoundation.org Ensures the future of elk & other wildlife by conserving, restoring, & enhancing natural habitats through land purchases, conservation easements, management agreements, education, & research. 11.1%	8185	Surgical Eye Expeditions International 1-800-208-6733 www.seeintl.org Heal the blind - S.E.E.'s volunteer Ophthalmologists perform free sight restoring surgery for surgically correctable indigent blind throughout the world. 2.2%	7996	Vietnam Veterans Assistance Fund 301-585-4000 x126 www.vvafund.org We're Vietnam Veterans helping today's disabled, homeless & needy veterans with shelter, counseling, & medical benefits assistance with appreciation for their service to America. 3.6%
7893	Seeing Eye, Inc., The 973-539-4425 www.seeingeye.org Breeds, trains, & provides Seeing Eye dogs to blind & visually impaired people. 14.4%	7986	TMJ Association, Ltd. 262-432-0350 www.tmj.org Improving care & treatment of those affected by TMJ diseases & disorders through fostering research & education, with the goal of preventing these problems. 24%	7876	Water For People 303-734-3490 www.waterforpeople.org Helps the most impoverished people worldwide improve their quality of life by supporting sustainable drinking water, sanitation, health, & hygiene projects. 16.6%
7944	Shriners Hospitals for Children 800-241-4438 www.shrinershospitals.org Provides free, world-class medical care to heal children suffering from burns, spinal cord injuries, & orthopedic problems in a family-centered environment. 8%	7895	United States Association for United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees 800-770-1100 www.UNrefugees.org Provides support for the global work of the United Nations Refugee Agency (UNHCR), ensuring refugees are protected & receive basic humanitarian aid. 14.2%	7984	Wildlife Conservation Fund of America 888-930-4868 www.ussafoundation.org Protects hunting, fishing & trapping through public education & legal defense. Ensures proper use of sportsmen's license fees for scientific wildlife management programs. 9.6%

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7896
Women's Health Research
202-223-8224
www.womenshealthresearch.org
Improving women's health through advocacy, education & research by advancing the study of differences between the sexes affecting the prevention, diagnosis & treatment of disease. 23.8%

7991
Youth for Christ USA, Inc.
303-843-9000
www.yfc.org
We see hope & potential in every young person, & seek to develop it through life-changing relationships in campus, community, & church settings. 12.9%

7898
Zero to Three: National Center for Infants, Toddlers & Families
202-638-1144
www.zerotothree.org
We support the healthy development & well-being of infants, toddlers & their families. 19.6%

7897
World Neighbors
800-242-6387
www.wn.org
Works with rural poor throughout Asia, Africa & Latin America to strengthen their capacity to solve their own problems related to hunger, poverty, & disease. 23.2%

*Karen Hansen,
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I HAVE THOUGHT SINCE I BEGAN AS A COORDINATOR of the Connecticut State Employees' Campaign that it was a wonderful, convenient way to contribute to charities that have meaning to each of us. This year, however, the Campaign took on a more personal meaning to me. I lost my mom to cancer in September and had experienced first hand what an impact a charity can have on your life at a time when you think nothing can help.

Hospice was right there for us providing everything we could possibly need to help my mom's last days be comfortable and as painless as possible. They not only helped my mom, but all of my family at a very frightening and devastating time. Surprisingly to me, one of the things they provided that was so helpful was information. We didn't know what to expect or what was happening to my mother. They were only a phone call away at any hour of the day. Nurses and aides came everyday and walked us through everything and handled my mom with loving care.

The people from Hospice were such a blessing and my family will never forget their kindness. Being able to give back, even in a small way, gives you a good feeling in your heart.

Karen Hansen

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Global Impact



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Global Impact

800-836-4620

www.charity.org

Founded in 1956, Global Impact supports over 50 U.S.-based international charities providing disaster relief, health care, education, & economic opportunities to the world's poorest people. 2.73%

<p>8201 ACCION International 800-931-9951 www.accion.org Mission of giving people microloans & other financial services needed to work their way out of poverty. 11.1 %</p>	<p>8205 American Jewish World Service 800-889-7146 www.ajws.org Provides non-sectarian, sustainable development assistance, technical support & emergency relief to people in need in Africa, Asia, Latin America, the Middle East, Russia, & Ukraine. 10.86%</p>	<p>8208 CARE 800-521-2273 www.care.org Fights root causes of poverty in 66 countries; special focus on empowering poor women to lift themselves, their families & communities out of poverty. 7.85%</p>
<p>8202 African Medical & Research Foundation (AMREF) 212-768-2440 www.amref.org Since 1957, has improved health for Africans through training, capacity building & advocacy in HIV/AIDS, malaria, family health, water & sanitation & clinical outreach. 6.05%</p>	<p>8206 American Near East Refugee Aid (ANERA) 202-842-2766 www.anera.org Creates opportunities in education, health & relief services, & job creation programs for people in the West Bank, Gaza, Lebanon, & Jordan. 4.88%</p>	<p>8209 Catholic Relief Services 888-277-7575 www.crs.org Since 1943, in 99 countries, a leader in international relief & development, helping people in need, supporting self-help programs, restoring, & preserving human dignity. 4.62%</p>
<p>8203 Africare 202-462-3614 www.africare.org Develops self-help programs in Africa to increase food production, develop clean water resources, manage the environment, strengthen health care & deliver emergency assistance. 6.53%</p>	<p>8246 American Refugee Committee 800-875-7060 www.arcrelief.org Works for the survival, health, & well being of refugees, & displaced persons caught in the crossfire of civil violence, warfare, & other disasters. 8.11%</p>	<p>8238 Children International 800-888-3089 www.children.org Providing program benefits & services including medical care, educational assistance & material aid to poverty-stricken children & families in 11 countries. 19.32%</p>
<p>8204 American Ireland Fund 800-IRL-FUND www.irlfunds.org Through contributions, primarily from the U.S., the American Ireland Fund supports peace, culture, charity & education projects throughout Ireland. 8.06%</p>	<p>8207 AmeriCares Foundation, Inc. 800-486-4357 www.americares.org Disaster relief & medical assistance organization, providing help & hope for all people irrespective of race, creed, or political persuasion. 0.85%</p>	<p>8211 Christian Children's Fund 800-776-6767 www.christianchildrensfund.org Dedicated to the development & survival of children worldwide regardless of race, nationality, gender, or religion. 19.84%</p>

Assuring help for people in need.

8256 Christian Reformed World Relief Committee (CRWRC) 800-552-7972 www.crwrc.org A relief, development, & justice organization that works in 30 of the world's poorest countries to help communities create positive change. 12.32%	8214 Freedom From Hunger 800-708-2555 www.freedomfromhunger.org Brings innovative & sustainable self- help solutions to the fight against chronic hunger & poverty. 23.41%	8251 International Orthodox Christian Charities 877-803-4622 www.iocc.org Provides humanitarian assistance in 18 countries, helping over 1M people in Africa, Asia, Europe, & the Middle East devastated by di- sasters & poverty. 2.77%
8212 Church World Service/CROP 800-297-1516 www.churchworldservice.org Helps end hunger. Assists refu- gees & disaster survivors. Pro- vides tools of hope for grassroots development: food, water, educa- tion, healthcare, reforestation, & self-reliance. 13.27%	8215 Health Volunteers Overseas, Inc. 202-296-0928 www.hvousa.org Trains, mentors, & provides criti- cal professional support to more than 2600 healthcare providers who care for the neediest popula- tions in 25+ countries. 11.08%	8250 International Relief Teams 619-284-7979 www.irteams.org Sends medical & construction teams to assist disaster victims worldwide. Conducts medical, surgical, & train- ing programs to promote self-suffi- ciency in developing nations. 1.57%
8213 Doctors Without Borders USA 888-392-0392 www.doctorswithoutborders.org Delivers emergency aid to people affected by armed conflict, epi- demics, & natural disasters in over 70 countries. 10.22%	8216 Heifer International 800-422-0474 www.heifer.org Helps poor families worldwide become self-sufficient by provid- ing food & income-producing animals, community develop- ment, training, & environmen- tally sound farming. 20.22%	8219 International Rescue Committee 877-REFUGEE www.theirc.org Our commitment to freedom, hu- man dignity, & self-reliance is re- flected in well-planned global emergency relief, rehabilitation assistance, resettlement services, & advocacy for refugees. 9.38%
8244 ECHO 239-543-3246 www.echonet.org Fights world hunger by using sci- ence & technology to develop ag- ricultural solutions to aid farmers in developing countries. 15.66%	8217 Helen Keller International 877-535-5374 www.hki.org Saves the sight & lives of the most vulnerable & disad- vantaged; combats the causes & consequences of blindness & malnutrition. 17.05%	8252 International Youth Foundation 888-770-8710 www.iyfnet.org Prepares young people to be healthy, productive & engaged citizens through education, lead- ership development, health awareness, & job skills training in 70 countries. 26.26%*
8245 FINCA International 202-682-1510 www.villagebanking.org In 22 countries, our Village Banking programs give the work- ing poor capital loans to finance self-employment activities, im- prove family income, & achieve financial independence. 7.26%	8240 International Eye Foundation 240-290-0263 www.iefusa.org Saves sight worldwide. Programs to control vitamin A deficiency, "river blindness," trachoma & cataracts. Provides local health worker training, technology transfer, eye surgery, equipment, medicine. 6.45%	8220 Lutheran World Relief 800-LWR-LWR2 www.lwr.org Works with partners in 35 coun- tries to help people grow food, improve healthcare, strengthen communities, end conflict, build livelihoods, & recover from di- sasters. 7.08%

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8255 Mercy Corps 800-292-3355 www.mercycorps.org International relief & development agency existing to alleviate suffering, poverty, & oppression by helping people build secure, productive, & just communities. 11.07%	8210 Plan USA (Plan International USA, Inc.) 800-556-7918 www.planusa.org Global partnership of caring people founded in 1937 to bring hope & help to the world's poorest children. 22.53%	8229 TechnoServe, Inc. 800-999-6757 www.technoserve.org Helps men & women in the developing world to build businesses that create income, opportunity & economic growth for their families, communities & their countries. 17.29%
8242 Opportunity International 800-793-9455 www.opportunity.org Global network of partner organizations that raise funds & implement microfinance programs for poor entrepreneurs in developing countries. 24.51%	8225 Project HOPE - the People-to-People Health Foundation, Inc. 800-544-4673 www.projecthope.org Provides sustainable improvements in health through education & humanitarian assistance in 30 countries with 92% of revenues dedicated to programs in the field. 7.74%	8230 UNICEF, U.S. Fund for 800-4UNICEF www.unicefusa.org Works for the survival, protection, & development of children worldwide through fundraising, education, & advocacy. 9.64%
8249 Oxfam America 800-77-OXFAM www.oxfamamerica.org Dedicated to creating lasting solutions to global poverty, hunger & social injustice. 12.29%	8248 Rotary Foundation of Rotary International 866-976-8279 www.rotary.org Our Polio Plus program provides vaccines & mobilizes communities, volunteers, & resources in support of international efforts to immunize children & eradicate polio worldwide. 13.74%	8231 Unitarian Universalist Service Committee Inc. 800-766-5236 www.uusc.org Defends civil liberties & promotes environmental & economic justice with partners around the world, while engaging our members to serve as citizen-activists. 17.21%
8259 PATH 800-836-4620 www.path.org Creates sustainable, culturally relevant solutions, enabling communities worldwide to break long-standing cycles of poor health by advancing technologies, strengthening health systems, & encouraging healthy behaviors. 6.94%	8226 Salvation Army World Service Office (SAWSO) 800-SAL-ARMY www.sawso.org Assists the poor with health services, HIV/AIDS support, education, capacity building, & reconstruction & income generation, with heart to God & hand to man. 0.99%	8247 United Methodist Committee on Relief 800-554-8583 www.umcor.org Humanitarian, non-proselytizing agency of the United Methodist Church. Mission is to alleviate human suffering with open minds to all religions & open hearts to all people. 3.6%
8224 PCI—Media Impact 877-PCI-SOAP www.pci-mediaimpact.org Production of radio & television soap operas that motivate people to adopt new attitudes & behaviors that foster reproductive health, gender equity, & environmental protection. 22.38%	8227 Save the Children Federation, Inc. 800-728-3843 www.savethechildren.org The leading independent organization creating lasting change for children in need in the U.S. & around the world. 9.07%	8236 United Seamen's Service 718-369-3818 www.uss-ammla.com Provides overseas health & welfare services to the American Merchant Marine & seafarers of allied nations & a 24-hour hotline for emergency family assistance. 22.42%

Assuring help for people in need.

8260
William J. Clinton Foundation
212-348-8882
www.clintonfoundation.org
Strengthening people's capacity to meet the challenges of global interdependence through health security, economic empowerment, leadership development/ citizen service, climate change, & racial, ethnic, & religious reconciliation. 5.29%

8233
World Relief Corporation
800-535-5433
www.wr.org
Provides emergency relief & community-based solutions to alleviate hunger & poverty in 20 countries & provides resettlement assistance to refugees in the U.S. 13.57%

8254
World Vision Inc.
888-511-6598
www.worldvision.org
Relief & development organization helping children worldwide by tackling causes of poverty & developing access to clean water, food, health care, education, & economic opportunity. 13.03%

8261
Women for Women International
202-737-7705
www.womenforwomen.org
Provide direct aid, rights awareness & leadership education, vocational skills training & income generation support to women survivors of war, conflict, & civil strife. 17.16%

Top 10 Reasons to Give:

10. You can say "I gave at the office" with pride and know that you have done something to help make things a little better for the people in our community and around the world.
9. Your work and life have new meaning. Every minute of your work and every dollar of your pay helps someone in need.
8. Payroll deduction is an extended, time-release formula for philanthropic action.
7. You can see the results every day in the community through co-workers and in the news.
6. You CAN make a difference. A little money each month can go a long way.
5. You choose the charities and causes. Your donation only goes to the agencies you choose.
4. It's guaranteed. All of the agencies are screened for accountability.
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2. The CSEC is like a department store of charities. Virtually every cause is represented.

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United Way of Eastern Fairfield County (Bridgeport area)



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203-334-5106

www.thewaytocare.org

To build a stronger Eastern Fairfield County by mobilizing our community to improve people's lives.

11%

*Rachael Sunny
Communications Office
Dept. of Environmental Protection*



WHEN APPROACHED ABOUT HEADING UP THE CAMPAIGN for the Dept. of Environmental Protection, I will be honest—I had reservations. My predecessor, had done a phenomenal job & raised an all-time high for the agency, not to mention that our Commissioner, Gina McCarthy, was one of the campaign co-chairs. I pondered the invitation & all the while one of my dad's snippets of advice kept on surfacing — "We are never asked to do more than we can handle." My dad has always been my role model & had just retired after serving the American Red Cross for 40 years, one of the organizations that profits from the campaign. In honor of the numerous years that he dedicated to this humanitarian organization, & with his words of wisdom echoing in my head, I accepted.

What is great about the campaign is that there is a charity for everyone – one that will touch your life either personally or professionally. From local to international, arts, & humanities to science & education, from the youngest child to the oldest adult, there is an organization that can benefit from your generosity.

I had huge shoes to fill as the agency's coordinator. However, rather than over think things, we embraced simple approaches to get employees involved. We challenged employees to think about how much money they spend on coffee, tea or soda in a week, total it up & ask themselves if they could afford to spend just half of that each week helping others. Ultimately, all of my fears were allayed & our agency ended up raising a new all time high. We also had one of the greatest levels of participation. From soccer to bowling, craft fair to talent show, pumpkin carving to pumpkin smashing we were able to come together as an agency & raise money for worthy charities while having fun at the same time.

When asked why do you choose to participate & what would you say to others to encourage them to do so, my answer is simple – We are never asked to do more than we can handle. I encourage everyone as they look through this directory to pick just one organization that interests them. In my years of volunteer service, I have found that when you give of yourself you actually end up getting back more than you ever imagined. As Maya Angelou once said, "I have found that among its other benefits, giving liberates the soul of the giver."

Rachael Sunny

Helping People ***Community by Community***

United Way of West Central Connecticut (Bristol & Plainville areas)



4300

United Way of West Central Connecticut
860-582-9559

www.uwestcentralct.org

Improves lives by mobilizing the caring power of communities. Works with 28 health & human service agencies & community partners to improve the quality of life in Bristol, Burlington, Plainville, & Plymouth. 11.8%

4306 American Red Cross - Charter Oak Chapter of Connecticut 860-678-2700 http://CharterOak.RedCross.org Provides emergency disaster relief, support to military families & blood collections, & education including disaster preparedness, humanitarian law, First Aid-CPR & water safety. 9%	4316 Bristol Community Organization, Inc., Greater Bristol Retired & Senior Volunteer Program 860-584-2725 www.bcoinc.org Matching the talents of retired citizens with the community service needs of nonprofit agencies. 5%	4326 Family Center 860-583-1679 www.familycenter.org Provides social service, recreational, child care, & educational programs to children & families. 17%
4319 Bristol Adult Resource Center 860-582-9102 www.bristolarc.org Helps adults with developmental disabilities achieve maximum independence by providing educational, vocational, residential, social, & advocacy services allowing community inclusion. Nationally accredited. 20%	4329 Bristol Preschool Child Care Center, Inc. 860-583-0306 Educational child care for families in need, providing a wholesome & creative atmosphere for preschool children that would otherwise not be possible. 12.5%	4346 Family Services of Central Connecticut, Inc.—CMHA 860-223-9291 fsccl.org Provide troubled & disadvantaged families under stress: psychotherapy, parent training, case management, micro-loans for cars for the newly employed, elderly support, adoption services & advocacy. 4.1%
4323 Bristol Boys & Girls Club 860-583-4533 www.bbhc.org Youth development agency providing a safe place to learn & grow, ongoing relationships with caring adult professionals, life-enhancing programs & character development experiences. 11%	6429 Connecticut Legal Services 860-344-0447 www.connlegalservices.org Provides free civil legal services to the poor. Areas of specialty include domestic violence-family, homelessness-housing, public benefits, special education, elder & disability law. 12.47%	4336 Girl Scouts, Connecticut Trails Council, Inc. 203-239-2922 www.girlscoutscctrails.org Provides small group learning activities for girls age 5-17, stressing academic success, development of a positive self-image, leadership skills, & encouraging service to community. 6.1%

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4363 Greater Bristol Visiting Nurse Association, Inc. 860-583-1644 www.bristolvna.org Provides Home Health Care to individuals recuperating from illness, surgery, etc. Other programs: Well Child clinics, Maternal & Child Health, Mental Health, & Hospice. 22.5%	6470 Plainville Community Food Pantry, Inc. 860-747-1919 www.thefoodpantry.net Provides food, fuel, clothing, crisis intervention & referral services to individuals in need. 21%	6463 Visiting Nurse Association of Central CT, Inc. 860-224-7131 www.vnacc.org Provides in-home & community health services: nurses, aides, homemakers, therapists, social workers, support groups, well child immunization clinics, flu shots, screenings, emergency response system, parent aide, & certified hospice program. 19.2%
4351 Literacy Volunteers of Central CT 860-229-7323 www.literacycentral.org Promoting literacy by performing tutoring services for adults who are unable to read & write. 19.7%	6453 Plainville Day Care Center 860-747-3321 Servicing families for 33 years, promoting growth in all areas of development for preschool & school-age children. A sliding scale fee is available. 24%	4366 Wheeler Clinic, Inc. 860-793-3500 www.wheelerclinic.org Provides mental health, substance abuse, special education, early childhood development, prevention & community education for Connecticut children & adults. 12%
4309 Nutmeg Big Brothers Big Sisters 860-525-5437 www.nutmegbigbrothersbig sisters.com Provides one-to-one mentoring relationships to CT at-risk & disadvantaged children with qualified, caring adult volunteers. 18.7%	4370 Saint Philip House, Inc. 860-793-2221 www.stphiliphouse.org Provides access to safe & affordable housing for individuals & families living with HIV-AIDS & HIS-AIDS prevention education to the surrounding communities. 17.5%	4369 YWCA of New Britain, Sexual Assault Crisis Services 860-225-4681 24-hour hotline offering immediate crisis intervention to survivors of sexual assault & their families, including medical, police & court accompaniment, & community education. 15%
	4356 St. Vincent DePaul Mission of Bristol, Inc. 860-589-9098 svdpofbristol.com Operates a 25 bed homeless shelter, a 13 room transitional living center for homeless men, & a 10 family transitional center for homeless women with children. 10%	

United Way of Western Connecticut

(Serving Northern Fairfield County, Southern Litchfield County, & Stamford)



4400
Northern Fairfield County Office
203-792-5330
*Bethel, Brookfield, Danbury, New Fairfield, Newtown,
Redding, Ridgefield*

6600
Stamford Office
203-348-7711
Stamford

www.uwwesternct.org

We are a leader in mobilizing resources to improve lives & our communities.

*Northern Fairfield County—10.4%
Stamford—13.4%*

NORTHERN FAIRFIELD COUNTY AGENCY LISTINGS:

4498
Ability Beyond Disability
203-775-4700
www.abilitybeyonddisability.org
Offers in-home, residential, & supported living services, transportation, clinical support, & assistance finding work & volunteer opportunities to children & adults with disabilities. 13.6%

4499
AIDS Project Greater Danbury, Inc.
203-778-2437
www.danbury.org/apgd
Advocates for & provides services to people living with HIV-AIDS, their families, & loved ones, & promotes education & prevention within the community. 11.4%

4433
Danbury Youth Services, Inc.
203-748-2936
www.danbury.org/dys
Provides youth & their families with counseling, & support services through prevention, intervention, education, treatment & aftercare. 23.6%

4451
Hanahoe Children's Clinic
203-748-6471
The Cyril & Mary Hanahoe Memorial Children's Clinic provides outpatient medical care to children whose families have no health insurance & cannot afford medical care. 9.3%

4466
Interlude, Inc.
203-797-1210
Community based mental-health agency serving the Greater Danbury area. Since 1978, we have provided residential & community services to individuals diagnosed with mental illness. 22.4%

4472
Mid-Western Connecticut Council on Alcoholism, Inc.
203-792-4515
www.mccaonline.com
Provide help & instill hope for individuals & families to overcome & prevent addictions & to become the premier prevention & treatment organization in Western CT. 12.5%

4487
Volunteer Center, Inc. The
203-797-1154
www.volunteerdanbury.org
Serving Western CT. Promotes & facilitates volunteerism in order to increase community involvement & strengthen nonprofits' capacity to fulfill their missions. 7.7%

4493
Women's Center of Greater Danbury, Inc.
203-731-5200
3 major programs: Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault, & Resource Services provide crises intervention, shelter, individual & group counseling, advocacy, education & prevention programs, info & referral. 12.6%

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STAMFORD AGENCY LISTINGS:

6601 American Red Cross Darien/Stamford 203-363-1041 www.stamfordredcross.org Provides relief to victims of disaster & helps people prevent, prepare for & respond to emergencies. 19%	6610 Domestic Violence Crisis Center 203 853 0418 www.dvccct.org Operates a 24-hour hotline & confidentially located safe houses, provides children's services, counseling & support, advocacy & referral, & community education, & awareness programs. 14.36%	6627 Kids in Crisis 203-622-6556 www.kidsincrisis.org Provides 24-hour crisis intervention services for families & emergency shelter care for children, community outreach, education, & prevention programs. 16%
6604 Boys & Girls Club of Stamford, Inc. 203-324-0594 Mission: to inspire & enable young people, especially those from disadvantaged circumstances, to realize their full potential as productive, responsible & caring citizens. 19%	6613 Family Centers, Inc. 203-869-4848 www.familycenters.org Multi-service family agency providing services designed to improve the quality of individual, family & community life through education & human service programs. 16%	6645 Mutual Housing Association of SW Connecticut, Inc. 203-359-6940 www.mhaswct.org Mission is to create affordable housing options for low & moderate-income households & build strong neighborhoods through empowerment of residents & community revitalization activities. 21%
6603 Child Guidance Center of Southern CT 203-324-6127 www.childguidancect.org A professionally staffed outpatient mental health center for children & adolescents who experience emotional, behavioral, developmental, social, or family problems. 14.7%	6643 Food Bank of Lower Fairfield County 203-358-8898 www.foodbanklfc.org Mission is to provide sufficient reliable & nutritious food to non-profit organizations that feed the hungry & seek to eliminate hunger. 3.78%	6646 New Neighborhoods, Inc. 203-359-2215 www.nnistamford.org Mission is to provide quality housing & improve housing conditions for Stamford families in need by developing & managing new construction & rehabilitated housing. 12.3%
6608 Connecticut Legal Services 860-344-0447 www.connlegalservices.org Represents, advises, & educates low-income clients in legal matters, helping them to secure the protections, benefits, rights, & opportunities provided by law. 12.47%		

United Way of Southeastern CT



4600

United Way of Southeastern Connecticut

860-464-7281

www.uwsect.org

Whether it's food, heating, fuel, shelter, lifecare or daycare, when the world gets tough United Way & the United Way charities are there to help. 9%

<p>4677 Alliance for Living, Inc. 860-447-1239 www.allianceforliving.org Dedicated to improving the quality of life for people affected by HIV & AIDS in New London County. 19%</p>	<p>4655 Centro de la Comunidad, Inc. 860-442-4463 www.centrocomunidad.org Programs: ESOL, GED Spanish (Beginning, intermediate, advanced), CAN Services: housing, job readiness, information & referral, translation, computer lab, document notarization, events & on-going work shops. 22%</p>	<p>4668 Madonna Place, Inc. 860-886-6600 www.madonnaplace.org Provides family support & child abuse prevention services including parent education, informal counseling, children's programs, emergency assistance, referrals, programs for fathers & supervised visitation. 15%</p>
<p>4650 American Red Cross, Charter Oak Chapter of Connecticut 860-678-2700 www.charteroak.redcross.org Provides disaster prevention, preparedness & response services. Provides training in first aid, CPR, & lifeguard skills. 7%</p>	<p>4656 Child & Family Agency of Southeastern Connecticut, Inc. 860-443-2896 www.cfapress.org A multi-service agency providing family counseling services, children's health services, infant-child day care services, & child after school programming. 5%</p>	<p>4669 Martin House, Inc. 860-889-6150 Residential living program for 55 homeless & disabled adults providing a dignified home, 3 nutritious meals daily, support services, & a caring community. 11%</p>
<p>4654 Catholic Charities, Diocese of Norwich, Inc. 860-889-8346 www.ccfnsn.org Provides social services in the areas of basic human needs, adoption, adult & children mental health, family life education, teen mentoring & pregnancy services. 18%</p>	<p>4659 Connecticut Legal Services, Inc. 860-447-0323 www.connlegalservices.org Provides free civil legal services to the poor. Areas of specialty: domestic violence-family, homelessness-housing, public benefits, special education, elder & disability law. 12%</p>	<p>4671 Noank Baptist Group Homes, Inc. 860-536-4830 www.noankbapgrouphomes.org Operates three group homes providing 24/7 care for troubled adolescent girls to prepare them for independent community living. 8%</p>
<p>4661 (The) Center: A Drop-In Community Learning & Resource Center, Inc. 860-442-4466 www.dropinlearning.org Provides the community with a Tutorial program, Reading is Fundamental program & Teen Life Skills program, all for the enrichment & development of the youth. 13%</p>	<p>4694 Covenant Shelter of New London, Inc. 860-443-0537 Provides temporary housing, 3 meals daily, case management & other support services to homeless individuals & single-parent families. 17%</p>	<p>4687 The Riverfront Children's Center, Inc. 860-445-8151 www.riverfrontchildren.org Provides full time comprehensive, quality, sliding scale child care services to children 6 weeks through 12 years, of families working, in school or job training. 19%</p>

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4698 Sound Community Services, Inc. 860-443-0036 Strives to deliver seamless, diversified mental health services: case management, clinical services, employment, housing, & social services to our consumers & community. 19%	4680 Thames River Community Service, Inc. 860-887-3288 Includes Thames River Family Program, a transitional housing program for homeless mothers & children where women pursue goals of self-sufficiency & independence from public assistance. 15%	4692 Visiting Nurse Association of Southeastern CT 860-444-1111 www.vnasc.org Provides home health care, maternal child health nursing, mental health nursing, health promotion, & prevention of disease. 24%
4678 Southeastern Council on Alcoholism & Drug Dependence, Inc. (SCADD) 860-886-2495 Mission is to empower individuals & families affected by substance abuse to improve their quality of life. 15%	4697 Thames Valley Council for Community Action, Inc. 860-889-1365 www.tvcca.org Advocates on behalf of & operates programs that assist the poor to meet basic needs & achieve self-sufficiency. 12%	4685 Women's Center of Southeastern Connecticut, Inc. 860-447-0366 www.womenscenterofsect.org Direct services to victims & families affected by domestic violence & sexual assault. Includes crisis intervention, education, shelter, & advocacy. Community education prevention programs provided. 18%

United Way of Greenwich



4700

United Way of Greenwich

203-869-2221

www.unitedway-greenwich.com

The one organization whose mission is to identify, assess, & resolve the multiple health & human service needs confronting the Greenwich community.
16%

4719 Arc Of Greenwich 203-531-1880 www.arcgreenwich.org Provides support services such as residential services, employment training, placement & support, & recreational opportunities to individuals who are mentally retarded & their families. 18.6%	4702 Child Guidance Center 203-324-6127 www.childguidancect.org Assists children, adolescents & parents with emotional, behavioral, developmental, & family problems. Services: psychiatric evaluation, crisis intervention, learning disability testing & remediation, sexual abuse & domestic violence services. 13.9%	4703 Community Centers, Inc. 203-869-1276 www.ccigreenwich.org Provides a place & a way to belong for those in Greenwich who are often left out of community life. Services: individual, group & family counseling & educational/recreational activities. 18.8%
4720 Banksville Community House 203-622-9597 Serves recreational & educational needs of children & young people in Banksville & surrounding area. Founded - 1937. 4.3%		

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4704 Family Centers, Inc. 203-869-4848 www.familycenters.org Strengthens & supports individual & family life. Programs includes counseling & mental health services, full day child-care, vocational counseling, support for grieving children, & employee assistance programming. 17.4%	4708 Lifeline of Southwestern Connecticut, Inc. 203-967-4377 Provides electronic monitoring service to homebound persons (frail elderly or disabled individuals) in Fairfield County. 6.3%	4713 Southwestern Connecticut Girl Scout Council, Inc. 1-800-882-5561 Encourages girls 6-17 to develop to their fullest potential through group experiences. Program includes career exploration, community service, outdoor skills, & proficiency badges. 18.2%
4705 Food Bank of Lower Fairfield County 203-358-8898 Collects & distributes food to area agencies, food pantries, & soup kitchens for distribution to individuals & families in need. 5%	4709 Literacy Volunteers of America - Serving Greenwich, Stamford, Darien, & New Canaan www.literacyvolunteers.org 203-324-5214 Provides free 1-to-1 teaching in basic reading skills for functionally illiterate adults & conversational English skills for foreign language adults. 20.7%	4714 Transportation Association of Greenwich 203-637-4345 Provides transportation services for elderly, disabled, & others needing assistance to access services. 12%
4706 Greenwich Adult Day Center 203-622-0079 Provides comprehensive program of day care services for frail elderly, those suffering from dementia, Alzheimers disease, etc. Program includes social program & therapeutic activities. 16.2%	4712 Pathways, Inc. 203-869-5656 Established in 1981 to assist persons with a history of mental illness while making the transition to community living. 19.8%	4715 Urban League of Southwestern Fairfield County 203-327-5810 Assist minorities, low income and/or disadvantaged individuals to reach full potential through implementation of programs & activities to remove discrimination & other barriers to progress. 13.6%
4707 Kids-In-Crisis 203-622-6556 www.kidsincrisis.org 24-hour crisis intervention & short term emergency shelter for youth from birth-17 who cannot remain in their own home. 16.4%	4723 Sexual Assault Crisis & Education Center, Inc. 203-348-9346 Free, 24 hour, confidential help for victims of sexual assault & their families. 17.9%	4718 YWCA 203-869-6501 www.ywcagreenwich.com Strives to create opportunities for women's growth, leadership & power to attain common vision of peace, justice, dignity & freedom for all people. 18.5%
4710 Liberation Programs, Inc. (FORMERLY LMG PROGRAMS) 203-325-1511 www.lmgprograms.org Full service regional substance abuse organization. Programs: education & prevention services, counseling & DWI programs, & full service detoxification & transitional housing facilities. 12.6%	4724 Shelter For The Homeless 203-348-2792 www.shelterforhomeless.org Provides overnight shelter to homeless men & day services to anyone without a place to live. All participants required to be engaged in individual transitional planning process. 16.5%	

United Way of the Capital Area



5000

United Way of the Capital Area

860-493-6800

www.uwcact.org

Provides an opportunity for individuals to support programs & initiatives that produce measureable results to ensure successful children, strong families, & safe, economically vibrant communities. 10.8%

5100

2-1-1, a program of United Way of CT
2-1-1

www.211ct.org

Free, confidential 24/7 phone service offering information & referral, crisis intervention, suicide prevention, & child care resources; Spanish speaking staff; TDD available. 13.1%

5302

Andover, Hebron, Marlborough
Youth Services

860-228-9488

www.ahmyouth.org

Regional service bureau provides a wide range of information, intervention, prevention, & positive youth development services. 22.8%

5303

Birthright of Greater Hartford
860-290-8800

www.birthright.org

Non-profit, interdenominational, non-political, emergency pregnancy service offering the alternative to abortion. Staffed by dedicated volunteers giving free pregnancy tests, friendship, counseling, & practical support. 12.1%

5083

ACCESS Community Action Agency
860-450-7400

www.accessagency.org

Operates a 60-bed homeless shelter & works with individuals & families to assist them in returning to a productive life in a stable living environment. 13%

5379

Angels Depot Resource
Center, Inc.

860-646-3399

Professional volunteers provide counseling & social services to low income individuals & families. Incorporated in 1984, located in Manchester. 0%

5123

Boundless Playgrounds, Inc.
860-243-8315

www.boundlessplaygrounds.org

Helps communities create extraordinary playgrounds where all children, with or without disabilities, can develop essential life skills as they learn together through play. 11%

5300

AIDS Project Hartford, Inc.
860-951-4833

www.aidsprojecthartford.org

Provides AIDS-related educational & case management services in an effort to improve the quality of life for people infected with & affected by HIV/AIDS. 7.3%

5046

ARC of Greater Enfield, Inc.
860-763-5411

Provides recreational & enrichment programs for individuals with mental retardation; 6-week summer program, respite care, advocacy. 5.4%

5012

Boys & Girls Club of New Britain
860-229-2865

www.bgclubnb.org

Serving the New Britain area, offers a variety of educational, recreational, & preventative programs for youth ages 5-18. 11.8%

5002

American Red Cross - Charter
Oak Chapter

860-678-2784

www.charteroak.redcross.org

Disaster relief: preparedness training in Disaster, First Aid, Water Safety, CPR, HIV/AIDS; serves military personnel & families; supports blood collection. Together, we can save lives. 7.4%

5006

Big Brothers Big Sisters, Nutmeg
860-525-5437 x20

www.nutmegbigbrothers

bigsisters.com

Provides one to one mentoring relationships between at risk children & caring qualified adult volunteers. 18.7%

5011

Boys & Girls Clubs of Hartford
860-724-0700

www.bgchartford.org

Provides, under professional supervision, year-round building centered educational, vocational, recreational, leadership & citizenship development programming for all young people, especially those from disadvantaged circumstances. 10.9%

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<p>5237 Bridge Family Center, The 860-521-8035 www.bridgefamilycenter.org Regional family service agency provides counseling, temporary shelter, lifeskills training, positive youth development programs, parent education, community services, & prevention & intervention programs. 17.6%</p>	<p>5017 Catholic Charities, Inc., Archdiocese of Hartford 860-522-8241 www.ccaoh.org Provides family/individual support services including mental health counseling, psychiatric out-patient, adoption, child care, pregnancy counseling, Welfare to Work & youth services. 14.8%</p>	<p>5305 Children in Placement 203-784-0344 Facilitates judicial review of children & families in court proceedings alleging neglect & abuse in order to promote a safe permanent home for each child. 16.5%</p>
<p>5336 Camp Horizons 860-456-1032 www.camphorizons.org Provides multiple ever-changing programs to meet the needs of children & adults who are mentally handicapped. 15.1%</p>	<p>5019 Center City Churches, Inc 860-728-3201 www.centercitychurches.org Strengthens community Hartford by responding faithfully to individuals, children, families & special populations in need through programs that change lives & renew human possibility. 23.2%</p>	<p>5357 Children's Law Center 860-232-9993 www.clcct.org Protects interests of indigent children involved in high conflict visitation & custody disputes. Provides attorneys for children, mediation services, & family law legal help-line. 16.3%</p>
<p>5752 Capital Workforce Partners 860-522-1111 www.capitalworkforce.org Responsible for workforce development policy, planning & programming. We design & manage targeted workforce development programs for adult & youth jobseekers & employers. 7.2%</p>	<p>5340 Center for Children's Advocacy, Inc. 860-570-5327 www.kidscounsel.org Promotes & protects legal rights & interests of poor children who are dependent upon CT's support systems, through legal advocacy & public education. 10%</p>	<p>5342 Chinese Culture Center 860-568-6455 To promote a better understanding of Chinese culture, establish & maintain a Chinese language school & enhance the exchange & sharing of general knowledge. 6.6%</p>
<p>5015 Capitol Region Conference of Churches 860-236-1295 www.conferenceofchurches.org To achieve social justice for all people through faith based leadership, education, advocacy, & partnerships. 5.5%</p>	<p>5763 Central AHEC, Inc. 860-233-7561 www.centralctahhec.org Strives to improve health status of all by providing high-quality, culturally competent health education & health care services to individuals in central CT. 11.5%</p>	<p>5024 Chrysalis Center 860-525-1261 www.chrysaliscenterct.org Community-based rehabilitation agency provides support services to individuals living with mental illness, substance abuse, HIV/AIDS, & homelessness, 95% of whom live in poverty. 13.3%</p>
<p>5016 Catholic Charities, Diocese of Norwich 860-443-5328 www.ccfsn.org Programs: comprehensive emergency relief, case management, behavioral health services, including assessment, evaluation, individual & group counseling, pregnancy, parenting, & mentoring services. 17.8%</p>	<p>5020 Central Connecticut ARC, (CCARC), Inc. 860-229-6665 www.ccarc.com Supports people w/mental retardation & other disabilities. Services include vocational training & placement, residential & day services, advocacy, & individual & family respite services. 17.1%</p>	<p>5028 Community Child Guidance Clinic, Inc. 860-643-2101 www.cccginc.org Out-patient mental health services to children, adolescents, & families. Individual, group, & family therapy, home-based services & a school for emotionally disturbed children. 14.1%</p>

5077 Community Health Resources 860-253-5020 www.chrhealth.org Mental health services: adult outpatient, emergency psychiatric services, crisis/stabilization, child guidance, independent living center, case management & rehabilitation services. 16%	5121 COMPASS Youth Collaborative 860-278-6678 Committed to positive youth development, education & community involvement, accomplished through academic enrichment, tutoring programs, community service projects, leisure, & recreation activities. 13.5%	5255 CT Humane Society Memorial Hospital Fox Memorial Clinic 860-594-4503 www.cthumane.org Full service pet hospital providing veterinary care to animals whose owners are in financial need & offers discounted spay/neuter services to the public. 7.2%
5306 Community Mental Health Affiliates 860-826-1358 www.cmhacc.org Community-oriented behavioral health organization provides mental health & addiction treatment for children, adolescents, men, & women. 4.1%	5125 Connecticut 4-H Development Fund, Inc. 860-242-7144 ext. 10 www.canr.uconn.edu/ces/fourh/farms.html Provides financial support to CT 4-H programs & enhances learning experiences for youth & adults. 31.1%*	5031 Connecticut Legal Services 860-225-8678 www.ConnLegalServices.org Provides free civil legal services to the poor. Areas of specialty include domestic violence/family, homelessness/housing, public benefits, special education, elder, & disability law. 12.5%
5358 Community Partners in Action 860-566-2030 www.cpa-ct.org Provides services that promote accountability, dignity & restoration for people affected by the Criminal Justice System. 12.3%	5389 Connecticut Canine Search & Rescue, Inc. 860-521-6482 www.ccsar.org All-volunteer professionally trained dog teams assist agencies responsible for lost, missing or drowned persons. Also provides education & training in search & search management. 5.8%	5767 CT National Guard Foundation, Inc. 860-241-1550 www.ctngfoundation.org Provides financial assistance to members & families of the CT Organized Militia & National Guard & referral for other services. 7.2%
5308 Community Renewal Team 860-560-5600 www.crtct.org Anti-poverty Community Action Agency serves 60,000+ persons in Hartford & Middlesex counties. Programs: Head Start, Meals on Wheels, Energy Assistance, Alternatives to Incarceration, & Supportive Housing. 9.1%	5381 Connecticut Community Care, Inc. 860-589-6226 www.ctcommunitycare.org Provides individualized care management services to older adults & others w/chronic care needs, enabling them to remain independent in a cost-effective manner. 5.7%	5312 Connecticut Radio Information System 860-527-8000 www.cslib.org/cris CT's Talking Newstand. CT's only radio reading service for the blind & print-handicapped, broadcasting extensive readings from daily newspapers & magazines at no charge. 8.7%
5311 Community Solutions, Inc. 860-527-0101 www.csi-online.org Promotes self-reliance, responsibility, & accountability among at-risk disadvantaged adults & adolescents referred from juvenile justice, criminal justice, & child welfare agencies. 15.2%	5368 Connecticut Humane Society 860-594-4502 www.cthumane.org Provides shelter & medical services for animals, educational programs for children & pet owners, senior citizen services, & assistance for people in financial need. 10.9%	5359 CT Sexual Assault Crisis Services 860-282-9881 www.connsacs.org Statewide association of individual sexual assault crisis programs working to end sexual violence through victim assistance, community education, & public policy advocacy. 10.3%

5105 Connecticut VNA 203-679-5200 Full-service home health organization, providing services throughout the full spectrum of life. 14.5%	5041 Ebony Horsewomen, Inc. 860-293-2914 www.ebonyhorsewomen.org Mission & programs to develop positive character in urban youth by directing them toward positive & successful lives through horses & agriculture. 12.4%	5040 Foodshare, Inc. 860-286-9999 www.foodshare.org Works to end hunger by collecting & distributing donated food to over 270 programs in Greater Hartford. \$10 invested provides \$100 worth of food. 5%
5762 Connecticut Womens Education & Legal Fund, Inc. 860-247-6090 X13 www.cwealf.org Our Legal Education Program provides individuals w/ free information regarding family, employment, education & civil rights law through Information & Referral Service. 14.4%	5761 Educational Resources for Children, Inc. 860-253-9935 www.erfcinc.org Teams with kids, communities & families to grow resilient kids. Through collaborations we help kids learn, reach their goals & contribute to their communities. 18.7%	5042 Girl Scouts, CT Trails Council, Inc. 203-239-2922 www.girlscoutsccttrails.org Provides informal educational programs for girls age 5-17, stressing development of self-confidence, self-reliance, leadership skills, & service to community. 6.1%
5110 ConnectiKids 860-522-8710 www.connectikids.info Provides after-school arts & enrichment & a tutoring program that matches more than 250 Hartford students K-6 with an adult volunteer tutor & mentor. 12.4%	5037 Families In Crisis 860-236-3593 www.familiesincrisis.org Provides counseling & support services to offenders & their families, court outreach, information, & referral, transportation, children's centers, prevention, parenting programs. 17.4%	5043 Girl Scouts, CT Valley Council, Inc. 860-522-0163 www.girlscouts-ct.org To help girls achieve their full potential by providing experiences within the framework of the Girl Scout Promise & Law, that build self-esteem, skills & friendship. 10.4%
5309 Co-opportunity, Inc. 860-236-3617 www.co-opportunity.org Helps low-income residents of Metropolitan Hartford progress toward economic security w/ HUD-certified housing counseling, job readiness training, financial education, & asset building programs. 17.9%	5349 Family Life Education 860-231-7744 Provides educational support groups & case management for families & children in Hartford. 9.7%	5392 Glastonbury ABC House 860-659-2726 www.members.cox.net/glastonburyabc Offers minority men the opportunity of a Glastonbury secondary education in preparation for college, thus building our society & providing future leaders. 11.3%
5310 Covenant to Care for Children 860-243-1806 www.covenanttocare.org Dedicated to improving the lives of CT's abused & neglected children through the acquisition & distribution of community resources, mentoring, & foster family recruitment. 12.4%	5108 Farmington Valley Visiting Nurse Association 860-651-3539 www.vnavalleycare.org Since 1908, has provided compassionate, high-quality home care, hospice & illness prevention programs to any resident of the Farmington Valley. 18.8%	5050 Governor's Coalition for Youth With Disabilities 860-527-4466 Recognizes outstanding accomplishments of CT high-school students with disabilities & promotes educational opportunities to help achieve their career goals. 15.8%

5076 Granby Community Fund 860-653-4961 Coordinates the town-wide fundraising efforts of local non-profit agencies into a single, annual solicitation, in order to minimize costs and maximize contributions. 4.2%	5317 Hartford Food System 860-296-9325 www.hartfordfood.org Manages, develops, & advocates for programs that increase the supply of nutritious & affordable food to CT's lower income communities. 17.2%	5235 Independence Unlimited 860-523-5021 Center for independent living, enables people with disabilities to achieve greater independence by promoting environments in which they can control their lives. 9.3%
5047 Greater Hartford Association for Retarded Citizens, Inc. (HARC) 860-278-1100 x251 www.harc-ct.org Assists people with mental retardation by providing these community-based services: early intervention, residences, employment, respite, family support, behavioral health clinic, recreation, elderly services. 13.9%	5054 Hispanic Health Council 860-527-0856 Main purpose is to address the health & social needs of Latinos & other oppressed communities in & around Hartford. 17.8%	5350 Inroads/Greater Hartford & Springfield 314-655-1533 www.inroads.org Recruits talented students of color & prepares them for leadership positions in corporate America. 11.7%
5063 Greater Hartford Legal Aid 860-541-5000 www.ghla.org Provides free civil legal services to low-income residents of Hartford County in senior, housing, family, employment, AIDS, & entitlement issues. 13.8%	5055 Hockanum Industries 860-871-6724 www.HockanumIndustries.org Mission: provide employment & training opportunities for developmentally disabled individuals through dignity of work & interaction with the community. 13.1%	5323 InterCommunity Mental Health Group, Inc. 860-895-3011 www.icmhg.org Comprehensive community based provider of mental health & co-occurring disorder services for adults. 16%
5254 Hartford Area Child Care Collaborative 860-241-0411 www.haccc.info Collaborates to improve quality of early childhood programs through community connections, information resources including an onsite library, consultation, training, leadership forums, & advocacy. 8.5%	5057 Hockanum Valley Community Council 860-872-9825 www.hvcchelps.org Provides services to individuals, families promoting independence while assuring basic needs are met regardless of ability to pay. 14.7%	5052 Interval House, Inc. 860-246-9149 x12 www.intervalhousect.org Dedicated to providing services to prevent & break the cycle of family abuse for persons at risk, & bring about social change. 17.4%
5049 Hartford Areas Rally Together (HART) 860-525-3449 Mission: empower Hartford residents & organizations to effectively address neighborhood issues. 8.5%	5321 Immaculate Conception 860-293-0054 Provides emergency shelter, street outreach & services to 1,000+ chronically homeless in Hartford. 15.6%	5061 Jewish Family Services of Greater Hartford 860-236-1927 www.jfshartford.org Licensed, accredited, nonsectarian psychiatric outpatient clinic counseling children, adults, seniors, & developmentally disabled. Offers Homemaker Referral Program, Welfare to Work Initiative, Resettlement, Adoption. 17.7%

<p>5315 KIDSAFE CT 860-872-1918 www.kidsafect.org Dedicated to the prevention & treatment of child abuse & neglect in the Greater Hartford area. 11.8%</p>	<p>5064 Literacy Volunteers of Central CT 860-229-7323 www.literacycentral.org Recruit & train volunteers, conduct extensive student intakes, match volunteers & students, provide support for students - tutor matches, & post-assess students to measure progress. 19.7%</p>	<p>5109 Manchester Area Network on AIDS, Inc. (MANA) 860-646-6260 www.mana-ct.net Provides support services & case management for individuals with HIV/AIDS, HIV/AIDS education, & prevention programs. 19.6%</p>
<p>5393 Knox Parks Foundation 860-951-7694 www.knoxparks.org Uses horticulture to help residents, businesses, & government to build stronger, greener & more beautiful communities in Hartford & the surrounding area. 19.1%</p>	<p>5067 Literacy Volunteers of Greater Hartford 860-233-3853 www.lvgh.org Recruits, trains & supports volunteers to provide English literacy instruction to Hartford area adults who read or speak English below the 6th grade level. 31.9%*</p>	<p>5256 Manchester Police Activities League (PAL) 860-645-5525 www.manchesterpolice.org/Pal.htm Promotes positive relationships between youth & the police through a variety of educational & recreational programs focusing on positive youth development for at-risk youth. 22.8%</p>
<p>5314 Lawyers for Children America, Inc. 860-273-0441 www.lawyersforchildrenamerica.org Recruits, trains & provides support to volunteers dedicated to providing pro bono legal services in court to abused & neglected children. 22.2%</p>	<p>5328 Loaves & Fishes Ministries 860-524-1730 www.loavesfishesministries.org Through feeding, education, training & counseling programs, provides support services for individuals/families below poverty level trying to move to independence. 17.8%</p>	<p>5069 MARC, Inc. of Manchester 860-646-5718 www.marcct.org Supporting people with mental retardation. Services: employment, residential, retirement, self advocacy, recreation & respite. Diversified services include welfare to work & direct care provider training. 11.3%</p>
<p>5326 Leadership Greater Hartford 860-951-6161 www.leadershipgh.org Brings together & prepares a diverse array of community-minded leaders to address issues that will promote a healthy Greater Hartford. 14.2%</p>	<p>5247 Lutz Children's Museum 860-643-0949 www.lutzmuseum.org Provides opportunities for children to learn about the past, better understand the context of the present, & prepare for the future. 21.1%</p>	<p>5070 MARCH, Inc. of Manchester 860-646-4446 www.marchinc.org Serving central & northeastern CT, provides residential support to citizens who have developmental disabilities, & their families. 10%</p>
<p>5066 Literacy Volunteers of America - Northern CT, Inc. 860-253-3038 Fights illiteracy by providing services in basic literacy & English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) & focus on functionally illiterate adults. 23.3%</p>	<p>5068 Manchester Area Conference of Churches 860-647-8003 www.macc-ct.org Dedicated to enhancing life in the greater Manchester community by offering access to services that provide for basic needs including food, shelter & clothing. 15.2%</p>	<p>5071 McLean 860-658-3700 www.mcleancare.org Offers a continuum of healthy aging services including visiting nurse, rehabilitation, wellness programs, long-term care, adult day center, supportive housing, independent living & Game Refuge. 14.8%</p>

*Agency granted a one-year waiver.

<p>5384 Mi Casa Family Service & Educational Center 860-659-3955 www.micasainc.org Provides youth development programs, advocacy, & educational services to families in need in Hartford. 24.3%</p>	<p>5075 New Directions, Inc. 860-741-3001 x320 www.newdirectionsct.org Licensed outpatient & day treatment facility providing substance abuse & mental health intervention, prevention & treatment services to youth & adults. 12.9%</p>	<p>5754 Positive Momentum, Inc. 860-293-2909 www.clothes-make-the-man.org Providing employment interview clothing & skills training workshops to low/no income men. Interview tips, fashion advice, & continuing education. Clothes make the man. 15.5%</p>
<p>5356 MOSAIC 860-632-2814 www.mosaicinfo.org/Cromwell Supports 100+ individuals with developmental disabilities residing in community living arrangements & in their own apartments. 23.4%</p>	<p>5240 Opportunities Industrialization Center (OIC) of New Britain, Inc. 860-224-7151 Employment & training program preparing adults & youth who learn to take control of their lives with objective of job placement &/or education. 12.9%</p>	<p>5082 Prudence Crandall Center 860-225-5187 www.prudencecrandall.org Provides comprehensive services to victims of domestic violence. Services include a 24-hotline, shelter, individual counseling, support groups, & community education. 10%</p>
<p>5072 My Sisters' Place 860-549-1634 www.sistersplacect.org Provides emergency, transitional, &/or permanent housing to those who are homeless or who are at risk of being homeless, particularly women, & children. 13.9%</p>	<p>5374 Organized Parents Make A Difference (OPMAD), Inc. 860-548-0301 www.opmad.org Hartford's only parent-run, after-school organization serves 2,000 children with 200 volunteers by providing academic, life skills, cultural, arts, sports, & recreational programs in 6 schools. 16%</p>	<p>5362 Saint Agnes Family Center 860-521-7516 www.stagneshome.org Mission is to provide residential care & support services for pregnant & parenting adolescent mothers & their infants. 6.3%</p>
<p>5395 National Alliance on Mental Illness - CT Chapter 860-882-0236 www.namict.org State affiliate of the National Alliance for the Mentally Ill, educates consumers & their families about services & treatment, & advocates for protection of all people with mental illness. 21.9%</p>	<p>5095 Our Piece of The Pie (OPP) 860-296-5068 www.opp.org Founded in 1974 with 4 service areas: childcare, youth development, elderly, & adult employment. 21.7%</p>	<p>5084 Seniors Job Bank, Inc. 860-521-3210 www.seniorsjobbank.com Provide free employment referral services for Greater Hartford's older workers, age 55+, in industry & at home. 2%</p>
<p>5756 National Conference for Community & Justice of CT & WMA, Inc. 860-683-1039 www.nccj.org A human relations organization dedicated to fighting bias, bigotry & racism in America through education & advocacy. 20%</p>	<p>5081 Perception Programs 860-450-7122 www.perceptionprograms.org Offers outpatient, outreach, residential & education services to substance abusers, offenders, & people living with AIDS. Provides services with professionally trained, credentialed staff. 16.2%</p>	<p>5091 Services for the Elderly of Farmington 860-673-1441 Volunteers provide services to aid seniors to remain independent in their homes. Meals on Wheels, congregate meals, transportation, Loan Closet, Friendly Visitor, & Shopper. 7%</p>

<p>5078 Sexual Assault Crisis Center of Eastern CT, Inc. 860-456-3595 www.sacceec.org Free, confidential, 24 hr. rape crisis intervention services to sexual assault/abuse victims, incl: short term & group counseling, advocacy, medical & legal accompaniment & community education. Bilingual, bi-cultural services. 5%</p>	<p>5022 Southeastern Council on Alcoholism & Drug Dependence, Inc. (SCADD) 860-886-2495 Dedicated to helping people & their families overcome their problems with alcoholism & substance abuse by providing a variety of treatment services. 15.3%</p>	<p>5021 Village for Families & Children 860-296-5741 www.villageforchildren.org Serves children subjected to abuse, neglect & violence, & who experience behavioral, psychological & learning problems. 19.4%</p>
<p>5386 Shelter for Women, The 860-522-9363 www.shelterforwomen.org Residential, therapeutic educational & independent living programs in a residential setting for girls at risk & cope with psychological trauma associated with abuse & neglect. 16.2%</p>	<p>5253 True Colors, Inc. Sexual Minority Youth & Family Services of CT 860-649-7386 www.ourtruecolors.org Works to reduce the stigma of sexual & gender minority status & to ensure family, health & other needs are competently met. 15.8%</p>	<p>5107 Visiting Nurse Association of Central CT, Inc. 860-224-7131 www.vnacc.org In-home & community health services, nurses aides, homemakers' companions, therapists, social services, support groups, well-child clinics, immunizations, flu vaccination, screenings, care call, parent-aides, public health. 19.5%</p>
<p>5045 Simsbury A Better Chance Program 860-408-9710 www.simsburyabetterchance.org Mission: to increase the number of well-educated minority youth capable of assuming positions of responsibility & leadership. 7.9%</p>	<p>5363 Trust House Family Learning Center 860-278-8387 www.trusthouse.org Family learning center providing adult educational programs, GED, ESL, & computer literacy. Family services offer early childhood, family literacy, parents as teachers, nurturing teen parents. 20.8%</p>	<p>5103 VNA East, Inc. 860-456-7288 Provides quality, comprehensive home health care, certified hospice & community screening services to residents of Eastern CT. Available 24/7. Meals to Home with Windham Hospital. 19.7%</p>
<p>5093 South Arsenal Neighborhood Development Corporation (SAND) 860-278-8460 www.sandcorporation.com Provides social services to improve the economic, social & physical conditions to enrich the lives of area residents. 14.4%</p>	<p>5098 United Labor Agency John J. Driscoll United Labor Agency, Inc. 860-258-6640 www.ctula.org Mission is to meet the off-the-job human service & vocational needs of workers & their families. Serving the youth, adults & elderly of CT. 9.9%</p>	<p>5104 VNA Health Care, Inc. 860-493-7178 www.vnahealthcare.org Dedicated to improving the health & well-being of individuals by providing full range of home health, hospice, & community-based health & wellness services. 16.5%</p>
<p>5094 South Park Inn 860-724-0071 www.southparkinn.org Houses 153 homeless men, women, & children daily with emergency shelter, temporary & permanent housing, case management, meals & additional services. 11.2%</p>		<p>5080 Wheeler Clinic, Inc./Prevent Child Abuse Connecticut 860-793-3500 www.wheelerclinic.org Provides mental health, substance abuse, special education, early childhood development, prevention & community education for CT children & adults. 11.9%</p>

5111
Windham Area Interfaith
Ministry (WAIM)
860-456-7270
www.waimct.org
Provides free clothing, household
goods, appliances, furniture, en-
ergy assistance, & specialized
funds to area people who struggle
because they lack adequate finan-
cial resources. 19%

5245
Windham Habitat for Humanity
860-429-9239
www.windhamhabitat.org
Dedicated to the elimination of
substandard housing &
homelessness & making afford-
able shelter a matter of con-
science & action. 5.2%

5112
Women's League, Inc. Child
Development Center
860-524-5969
Full-day early childhood educa-
tion programs for infants to age 5
& recreational/tutorial programs
for ages 5-12, before/after school,
vacation, & summer. 20.8%

5113
YMCA of Metropolitan Hartford, Inc.
860-522-9622
www.ghymca.org
Serves over 72,000 in 33 Capital
Area towns w/ 200+ programs
that nurture & encourage the
YMCA values of caring, honesty,
respect, responsibility. 15.3%

5114
YMCA of New Britain/Berlin
860-229-3787
www.nbymca.org
Multi-faceted human service or-
ganization providing wide variety
of programming: childcare,
camping, youth/adult sports, fit-
ness, residence, & other social
development programs. 13.5%

5338
Youth Challenge of CT, Inc.
860-728-5199
www.youthchallenge.org
Operates residential centers &
conducts outreach to help persons
affected by life-controlling prob-
lems such as substance abuse find
drug-free, productive, & mean-
ingful lives. 22.9%

5345
Y-US, Inc. Youth United for Sur-
vival
860-951-7268
www.y-us.org
Provides positive youth develop-
ment programs for children ages
2-18 who have experienced
abuse, neglect or trauma, includ-
ing many in fostercare. 16.6%

5117
YWCA of New Britain, Inc.
860-225-4681 x248
Provides accredited licensed
child care, fitness, swimming,
education, training, sexual assault
crisis services, & youth develop-
ment programs for families in
greater New Britain area. 15.5%

United Way of the Capital Area Affiliate Members

GEOGRAPHICAL DESIGNATIONS:
*Volunteers from each of the
communities listed below
allocate your gift among
agencies serving the needs of
their communities.*

5200
Avon United Fund
869-493-6800
www.uwcact.org
Works to enhance the
community's capacity to identify
& meet the human service needs
of Avon. 4.8%

5201
Canton United Fund
860-493-6800
www.uwcact.org
Works to enhance the
community's capacity to identify
& meet the human service needs
of Canton. 0%

5202
Farmington Community Chest
860-493-6800
www.uwcact.org
Works to enhance the
community's capacity to identify
& meet the human service needs
of Farmington. 7.6%

5203
United Way of New Britain &
Berlin
860-223-9294
www.uwcact.org
Working to identify & meet the
human service needs of New
Britain/Berlin. Supports local
agencies with funding & techni-
cal assistance. 11.6%

5205
United Way of North Central CT
860-493-6800
www.uwcact.org
Supports local agencies provid-
ing emergency assistance, youth
development, substance abuse
counseling, & home/community
health services in East Windsor,
Enfield, Somers, Suffield, &
Windsor Locks. 0%

5206
Windham Region United Way
860-450-0188
www.uwcact.org
Working to enhance the
community's capacity to identify
& meet the health & human ser-
vice needs of the people of the
Windham region. 2.1%

United Way of Meriden & Wallingford



4800

United Way of Meriden & Wallingford, Inc.

203-235-4403

www.unitedwaymw.org

United Way raises funds to get measurable results on priority issues, promotes community initiatives & helps people volunteer to make a difference in our community. 15.7%

4802 American Red Cross, Wallingford/Meriden Branch 203-265-6721 www.arcsct.org Provides volunteer blood service, life-saving training, 24/7 disaster assistance & communication linking military people with their families, food bank, medical transportation & wheelchair loan. 10%	4816 Girls Incorporated of Meriden 203-235-7146 Provides physical, social-emotional & recreational development for girls ages 5-18, like gymnastics, dance, science, computers, crafts, teen leadership, economic sufficiency & summer enrichment. 25.8%*	4819 MidState VNA & Hospice 203-235-5714 www.midstatemedical.org Provides comprehensive, accessible & compassionate home & community care throughout Central CT. Services offered: skilled nursing, rehabilitation therapy, hospice & community health programs. 40%*
4815 Boys & Girls Club of Meriden 203-235-8185 www.bgcmeriden.org Offers recreational & instructional programs that inspire & enable young people to realize their fullest potential as productive, responsible & caring citizens. 12%	4814 Kuhn Employment Opportunities, Inc. 203-235-2583 www.KuhnGroup.org Provides employment, job placement & vocational assessment services for persons w/disabilities so they can become valued community members, more independent & proud. 18.5%	4824 Retired & Senior Volunteer Program of Central CT, Inc. 860-224-7117 Provides skilled senior volunteers for non-profits. Recruits, places & maintains volunteers; provides a social network & outlets for healthy aging while helping the community. 27%*
4807 Catholic Charities, Inc. 203-235-2507 www.ccaoh.org Exists to promote a respect for the dignity of every individual in a manner that maximizes human potential through direct services & advocacy. 14.83%	4825 Literacy Volunteers of Greater New Haven 203-235-1714 www.lvagnh.org Recruits, trains & supports volunteers who teach Basic Literacy & English as a Second Language skills to low literacy adults, one-to-one or in small groups. 15%	4804 Ulbrich Boys & Girls Club 203-269-7535 Offers after-school programs for children & young adults, ages 6—20+ from all backgrounds, w/ particular concern for those from disadvantaged circumstances. 12.84%
4808 Child Guidance Clinic for Central Connecticut, Inc. 203-235-5767 Provides comprehensive mental health & substance abuse evaluation & treatment, crisis intervention & outreach services to children, adolescents & their families. 19%	4817 Meriden-Wallingford Chrysalis, Inc. 203-630-1638 HOTLINE: 203-238-1501 Offers emergency housing, counseling & advocacy services to individuals who have been physically or emotionally abused. Operates 24-hour crisis hotline & Transitional Living Program. 16.9%	4820 Visiting Nurse Association of Wallingford 203-269-1475 www.vnawallingford.org Homecare services: nursing, therapies, nutrition, homemaker/health aide, emergency alert systems. Community services: child health/dental clinics, counseling, diabetic, Hepatitis C, Hispanic Mothers' Support Groups. 25.27%*

Helping People *Community by Community*

4821
Wallingford Family YMCA
203-269-4497
www.wallingfordymca.org
Provides programs to improve quality of life for infants thru seniors, including youth sports, aquatics, teen activities, childcare, health & wellness programs, & camp. 8%

4823
Women & Families Center
203-235-9297
www.womenfamilies.com
Provides NAEYC accredited childcare, school readiness; sexual assault crisis services, community education; employment training services, job-readiness workshops; youth drop-in recreational, education activities. 5.39%

4822
YMCA, Inc.-Meriden
203-235-6386
www.meridenymca.com
Comprehensive youth & family recreation facilities include health & fitness programs, youth sports, teen programs, childcare services, camping & aquatic programs. 17.97%

Middlesex United Way



4900

Middlesex United Way, Inc.
860-346-8695

www.middlesexunitedway.org

Contributions directed to "What Matters" Agenda focusing on School Readiness, Positive Youth Development, Housing, Independent Living, Personal & Community Safety in 15 Middlesex County towns. 16.5%

4942
2-1-1, A PROGRAM OF UNITED WAY OF CT
2-1-1
Free, confidential 24/7 phone service offering information & referral, crisis intervention, suicide prevention, & child care resources; Spanish speaking staff; TDD available. 13.1%

4930
Community Health Center, Inc.
860-347-6971 (Middletown)
860-388-4433 (Old Saybrook)
860-664-0787 (Clinton)
www.chc1.com
Provides high quality, affordable medical, dental, mental health, & social services to all in need. 18%

4944
Kuhn Employment Opportunities, Inc. 860-347-8923 203-235-2583
www.kuhngroup.org
Assists individuals w/psychiatric disabilities to obtain competitive employment so they may become independent, enhance self-esteem, & be accepted in their community. 18.5%

4916
American Red Cross, Middlesex Central CT Chapter
860-347-2577
www.midctredcross.org
Serves Middlesex area. Transportation for medical appointments, disaster relief & education, First Aid-CPR classes, emergency communications for military, provides volunteer experiences. 14.7%

4932
Connecticut Legal Services, Inc.
860-225-8678
www.connlegalservices.org
Provides free civil legal services to the poor. Areas of specialty include domestic violence-family, homelessness-housing, public benefits, special education, elder & disability law. 12.47%

4948
Literacy Volunteers – Valley Shore, CT, Inc.
860-399-5428
Trains volunteer tutors to teach Reading & English as a Second Language to residents who cannot read, write, or speak English, or who wish to improve. 10%

4926
Child & Family Agency of Southeastern Connecticut
860-443-2896
www.cfapress.org
Multi-service agency providing family counseling services, children's health services, & infant-child day care services. 5%

4940
Girl Scouts, CT Trails Council, Inc.
203-239-2922 x 3314
www.girlscoutscctrails.org
Provides small group learning activities for girls age 5-17, stressing academic success, development of a positive self-image, leadership, & encouraging service to community. 6.14%

4950
MARC: Community Resources, Ltd.
860-342-0700
www.marcweb.org
Education & advocacy to adults & children with disabilities & families. Individualized services in recreation, advocacy, self-advocacy, employment, community living, school transition services. 14%

Helping People *Community by Community*

4978 Middlesex Hospital Family Advocacy Program 860-344-6717 www.middlesexhealth.org/programs Provides a continuum of inter- vention & preventive services for children, adolescents, & families, including parenting support, ser- vices for teen parents, & children w/serious behavioral-emotional problems. 16.7%	4979 St. Vincent de Paul Place 860-344-0097 www.stvincendepaulplace.org/ amazing_grace.html Food pantry provides emergency food for individuals & families in need. Assesses eligibility for case management & other social ser- vices to alleviate poverty cycle. 13%	4970 Women & Families Center Sexual Assault Crisis Service 860-344-1474 HOTLINE: 888-999-5545 www.womenfamilies.com Offers services & advocacy for women, girls & their families. Programs: child-care, school- readiness, youth activities, rape crisis assistance, employment, & leadership training. 5%
4920 Nutmeg Big Brothers, Big Sisters 860-525-5437 www.nutmegbigbrothers bigsisters.com Provides 1-to-1 mentoring rela- tionships to CT at-risk & disad- vantaged children matching them with qualified, caring adult vol- unteers. 18.7%	4934 The Connection, Inc. 860-343-5500 860-395-6380 www.TheConnectionInc.org Provides an extensive range of human & community develop- ment services throughout CT, working to build & sustain safe, healthy caring communities. 11%	4976 YMCA of Northern Middlesex County 860-347-6907 www.middlesexymca.org Largest provider of school age day care & camping in Northern Middlesex County. Also offers traditional fitness, swimming & recreation programs. 12%
4956 Oddfellows Playhouse Youth Theater 860-347-6143 www.oddfellows.org Theater troupes in Middletown's lowest-income neighborhoods & a 5-week summer circus skills day camp providing innovative, self esteem-building theater arts activities. 14%	4980 Tri-Town Youth Services Bureau, Inc. 860-526-3600 www.tritownys.org Coordinates, develops & provides services for the growth & develop- ment of youth & families in Ches- ter, Deep River, & Essex. 0%	4980 Youth & Family Services of Haddam-Killingworth, Inc. 860-345-7498 www.hkyfs.org Committed to enhancing child & youth development, enriching families, & promoting healthy Haddam & Killingworth commu- nities. 21%
4960 Rushford Center, Inc. 860-346-0300 203-235-1792 1-800-542-1791 www.rushford.org Provides complete range of pre- vention, substance abuse, & men- tal health treatment services. Serving youth, adults, & special populations including elderly & persons with disabilities. 16%	4968 United Labor Agency 860-347-8060 860-612-2780 www.ctula.org Mission: to meet the off-the-job human service & vocational needs of workers & their fami- lies. Serving youth, adults & eld- erly of CT. 9.89%	

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United Way of Milford



5518

United Way of Milford

203-874-6791

www.unitedwayofmilford.org

Coordinates, administers & funds human service needs for all people who live and/or work in Milford through nineteen agencies. 19.8%

5501

American Red Cross – Milford Chapter
203-874-2531
www.milfordredcross.org
Provides emergency disaster services & preparedness, service to military families & veterans, blood products & health & safety education through coordinated use of volunteers. 8%

5505

Beth El Center
203-876-0747
www.bethelmilford.org
Provides emergency overnight housing to individuals & families for up to 90 days. Also includes transitional programs to move people to independence. 24%

5502

Big Brothers Big Sisters of South Western CT, Inc.
203-389-8734
www.bbbsswct.org
Aids children from single parent families to grow into mature & responsible adults thru the 1-to-1 friendships with adult volunteers. 9%

5512

Bridges—A Community Support System, Inc.
203-878-6365
www.bridgesmilford.org
Provides psychiatric treatment & support services to adults, families & children, including community support services, alcohol & drug services, family preservation, EAP, child guidance services. 17.8%

5504

Catholic Charities of Milford
203-874-6270
www.cccfs.org
Social services to strengthen individuals & families including mental health & substance abuse counseling, case management, family life education, youth development, pregnancy counseling & adoption. 14.8%

5506

Domestic Violence Services of Greater New Haven
203-865-1957
www.dvsgnh.org
Information & referral, hotline & advocacy, 24-hour crisis intervention, emergency shelter & support services for battered women & their children. 18.2%

5507

Girl Scouts, Housatonic Council
203-334-3145
www.gsohousatonic.org
Provides informal educational programs using fun activities to develop a girl's self esteem, high standards of personal conduct & commitment to the betterment of society. 18.2%

5510

The Kennedy Center
203-365-8522
www.thekennedycenter.org
Provides variety of vocational, residential, educational & recreational services to persons with mental retardation, psychiatric disabilities & traumatic brain injury. 6.7%

5511

Milford Council on Aging
203-877-5131
www.milfordseniorcenter.com
Multi-service agency designed to holistically address social problems of the aging in Milford thru transportation, nutrition crisis intervention, recreation & education. 19%

5521

Milford's Promise
203-783-3409
www.milfordspromise.org
Provides school site mentoring between a caring adult & a child. 4%

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5516
New Haven Legal Assistance
203-946-4811
www.nhlegal.org
Provides legal representation & advice to individuals & groups who are unable to afford private counsel. 16.3%

5514
Rape Crisis Center of Milford
203-878-1212
www.rapecrisisctr.org
Provides 24-hour crisis intervention & follow-up counseling for sexual assault victims & their families. Community education K-12. Incest survivors groups. 10.9%

5515
Salvation Army – Milford
203-783-3253
www.salvationarmy-useeast.org
Serves youth & adults through supportive services to individuals & families. Helps those with emergency needs. 17.3%

5517
VNA of South Central CT
203-777-5521
www.vnascc.org
Full-service home health agency provides care throughout Southern CT. Programs include maternal-child health, behavioral health, infusion & cardiac therapies, rehabilitation & community health services. 19%

5513
Woodruff Family YMCA
203-878-6501
www.cccymca.org
Provides positive programs for youth & families including child care, camp, teen-programs, outreach, youth sports, swimming. 10%

5519
Young Parent Program, Inc.
203-876-4285
Provides counseling, support groups, for teenagers who are pregnant & their families. 7.3%

United Way of Naugatuck & Beacon Falls



6000
United Way of Naugatuck & Beacon Falls, Inc.
203-729-1564
Helps support 20 local health & human service agencies providing services throughout the Naugatuck & Beacon Falls communities. 11%

United Way of Greater New Haven



5700
United Way of Greater New Haven, Inc.
203-772-2010
www.uwgnh.org
Identifies the greatest needs in the community & address them by raising awareness, securing & allocating resources, & promoting volunteerism & civic engagement. 17.9%

5718
2-1-1, A PROGRAM OF UNITED WAY of CT
2-1-1
www.211info.org
Free, confidential 24/7 telephone services offering information & referral, crisis intervention, suicide prevention & child care resources; Spanish speaking staff/ TDD available. 13.1%

5730
Agency on Aging of South Central CT Inc.
203-785-8533
www.agencyonaging-scc.org
Provides advocacy, planning, coordination, & funding of community based services for older adults in our region. Direct service programs include care management, & volunteer placement. 2%

5734
AIDS Project New Haven
203-624-0947
www.apnh.org
Provides education, non-judgmental, comprehensive, & holistic services to individuals infected & affected by HIV/AIDS in greater New Haven. 18%

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<p>5748 All Our Kin 203-772-2294 www.allourkin.org Dedicated to giving families child care choices, educating & empowering parents & teachers, & expanding access to high-quality early care & education. 20%</p>	<p>5706 Catholic Charities of Greater New Haven, Inc. 860-728-2562 www.ccaoh.org Provides mental health counseling, substance abuse treatment, domestic & international adoption, crisis pregnancy counseling & elderly outreach services to people of all faiths. 14.83%</p>	<p>5736 Community Mediation, Inc. 203-782-3504 www.community-mediation.org Promotes peaceful communities & just relationships by enabling individuals, families, organizations & communities to resolve their conflicts themselves through mediation, dialogue & training. 13.6%</p>
<p>5711 ALSO-Cornerstone, Inc. 203-776-9900 www.al-corn.org Provides prevention, treatment & supportive housing & recovery services to individuals & families in CT affected by mental illness and/or addictions. 11%</p>	<p>5728 Central CT Coast YMCA 203-777-9622 www.cccymca.org Provides diverse programs & services mirroring a diverse population regardless of ability to pay. Through programs & services, they strive to instill 4 core characters: caring, honesty, respect & responsibility. 8%</p>	<p>5709 Continuum of Care 203-562-2264 www.continuumct.com Provides community based residential programming to promote the acquisition of skills necessary for independent living to adults who are in need of psycho-social rehabilitative services. 20.6%</p>
<p>5735 APT Foundation, Inc. 203-781-4600 www.aptfoundation.org Provides support to move from substance use dependence to recovery & wellness; from personal isolation to participation in community; from unemployment & crime to productive, pro-social lifestyle. 20.3%</p>	<p>5733 Christian Community Action, Inc. 203-777-7848 www.ccahelping.org Offers emergency, food, housing & fuel assistance, operates a transitional housing & vocational program & engages in advocacy, education & empowerment. 9.7%</p>	<p>5710 Coordinating Council for Children in Crisis 203-624-2600 www.cccnh.org Home-based services to families prevent child abuse, neglect & victimization across the life span including home visiting, parenting education, domestic violence counseling & advocacy. 18%</p>
<p>5704 Big Brothers/Big Sisters of South Central CT 203-389-8734 www.bbbsswct.org Making a positive difference in the lives of children & youths, primarily through a professionally supported, one to one relationship with a caring adult. 24%</p>	<p>5707 Clifford W. Beers Guidance Clinic, Inc. 203-772-1270 www.cliffordbeers.org Mental health agency committed to promoting the psychological & physical well being of children, adolescents & their families. 18.6%</p>	<p>5745 CT Children's Museum, Inc. 203-562-5437 www.connecticutchildrensmuseum.org The Museum – & all of its programs – are literacy & arts-based & inspired by the tenets of Universal Design. 3%</p>
<p>5705 Casa Otonal 203-773-1847 A community that functions as an extended family, providing housing, social & cultural services to elders, families & children, especially Hispanics. 19%</p>	<p>5749 Columbus House 203-401-4400 www.columbushouse.org Manages emergency shelters along with transitional & permanent supportive housing for homeless adults in New Haven. Provides comprehensive case management services. 18%</p>	

<p>5713 Domestic Violence Services of Greater New Haven 203-865-1957 www.dvsgnh.org Provides crisis intervention & prevention programs to fulfill its mission of creating an environment that supports individual safety & breaks the cycle of domestic violence. 18%</p>	<p>5717 Fellowship Place 203-865-3719 www.fellowshipplace.org Promotes & maintains stabilization of people w/ chronic mental illness & substance abuse by creating a support system, teaching independent living skills & providing work experience. 19.96%</p>	<p>5721 Leila Day Nursery 203-624-1374 Accredited by NAEYC, providing full day & after-school day-care for a diverse group of children of working parents on a sliding scale basis. 11 %</p>
<p>5714 Easter Seal Goodwill Industries Rehabilitation Center, Inc. 203-777-2000 www.newhavengoodwill.easterseals.com Provides vocational services for over 1,000 clients with disabilities & other special needs in the greater New Haven area. 11.2%</p>	<p>5708 Girl Scouts, CT Trails Council 203-239-2922 www.girlscouts.cttrails.org Provides small group learning activities for girls, ages 5-17, stressing academic success & leadership development. 6.14%</p>	<p>5740 Life Haven, Inc. 203-776-6208 www.lifehaven.org A temporary shelter for homeless pregnant women & women with children helping them develop skills to live independently. 11%</p>
<p>5738 Emergency Shelter Management Service 203-777-2522 This comprehensive 75-based shelter service for homeless men is dedicated to ensuring the availability of emergency shelter for those in need. 6.3%</p>	<p>5719 Jewish Community Center of Greater New Haven, Inc. 203-387-2522 www.jccnh.org Providing numerous activities in a safe & friendly environment to all families in the Greater New Haven area. 22.6%</p>	<p>5741 Literacy Volunteers of Greater New Haven 203-865-3867 www.lvagnh.org Trains & supports volunteer tutors providing free literacy tutoring for adults needing to improve reading, writing & oral communication skills. Basic Literacy tutoring & English for Speakers of Other Languages offered. 15%</p>
<p>5716 Farnam Neighborhood House, Inc. 203-562-9194 www.farnamhouse.org A multi-service neighborhood center providing a continuum of prevention programs designed to nurture & educate young children, promote positive youth development & strengthen families. 11%</p>	<p>5720 Jewish Family Service of New Haven, Inc. 203-389-5599 www.jfsnh.org Improving quality of life for families & individuals without regard to their religious preference, through an integrated program of social services. 17%</p>	<p>5746 Mutual Housing Association of South Central CT 203-562-4514 Committed to providing permanent affordable quality housing with the goal of building healthy vibrant communities through active resident participation & leadership. 12%</p>
	<p>5739 Leeway, Inc. 203-865-0068 www.leeway.net Helping those living with HIV/AIDS revive, reclaim & renew their lives providing intensive medical, nursing & behavioral health services in a nurturing, caring & positive environment. 3%</p>	<p>5722 New Haven Boys & Girls Club, Inc. 203-787-0187 Provides positive youth development programs for children & teens ages 5-18: After school, Summer Camp, Teen Drop-In. 24%</p>

5723
New Haven Legal Assistance
Association
203-777-4811
www.nhlegal.org
Provides high-quality legal ser-
vices to individuals & groups un-
able to obtain legal services be-
cause of limited income, age, dis-
ability, discrimination & other
barriers. 16.3%


5742
Student Parenting & Family
Services, Inc.
203-946-8536
The unique Elizabeth Celotto
Child Care Center provides
school-based child care to chil-
dren of teen parents enabling the
student to continue their high
school education. 11%

5726
Visiting Nurse Association of
South Central CT., Inc.
203-777-5521
www.vnascc.org
Provides comprehensive home
health & community services spe-
cializing in cardiac, maternal,
mental health, oncology, pediatric
& rehab care. 19%

5743
West Haven Child Development
Center
203-932-2939
Educational center which has
been promoting good health &
optimum child development to
the community for 27 years. 16%

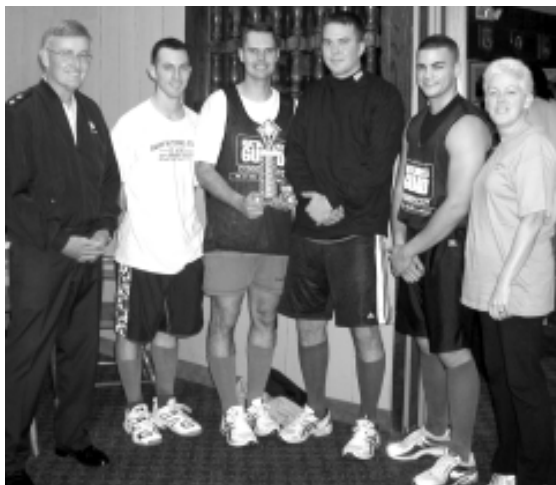
5727
West Haven Community House
Association, Inc.
203-934-5221
www.whcommunityhouse.org
Services: Head Start school-age
childcare in the neighborhood,
ParenTeen, Teen chat, Teen Job
club, recreational & employment
services for adults with mental
retardation. 8.5%

5744
Youth Continuum, Inc.
203-562-3396
www.youthcontinuum.org
Operates foster group homes,
supportive housing, homeless
outreach & education programs
for disadvantaged youth over-
coming abuse, neglect & poverty
in Greater New Haven. 15%



6300
United Way of Norwalk & Wilton
203-847-4576
www.uwnw.org

In partnership with contributors and over 70 local organizations, United
Way is focused on what matters® creating lasting changes in peoples'
lives and in the communities of Norwalk, Wilton, & Darien. 18%



*DEP Commissioner **Gina McCarthy**,
2006 Statewide Campaign Chair poses
with MG **Thaddeus Martin**, CT Adjutant
General and members of the Military
Dept.'s winning Volleyball Tournament
team. The fund-raising event was held
November 15, 2006 at the State Armory.*

United Way of Southington



6500

United Way of Southington, Inc.

www.unitedwayofsouthington.org

860-628-4565

Local organization impacting Southington, Marion, Milldale, & Plantsville through leadership on community initiatives & financial support of numerous programs at 22 area human service agencies. 22%

6520

2-1-1, a program of United Way of CT

www.211infoline.org

Free, confidential 24/7 phone service offering information & referral, crisis intervention, suicide prevention, & child care resources; Spanish speaking staff & TDD available. 13.1%

6501

American Red Cross, West of the River Service Center

860-678-2813

Provides disaster relief; first aid preparedness training, water safety, CPR, HIV/AIDS; serves military personnel/families; supports blood collections. Together, we can save a life. 9%

6502

Arc of Southington, Inc.

www.arcsouthington.org

860-628-9220

Provides advocacy, family support, education, planning, recreation, residential services & day-work support services for people with mental retardation & related disabilities. Member Arc of CT & The Arc of the U.S. 10.4%

6524

Bread For Life

860-276-8389

Established for our neighbors in need of food & fellowship & for sharing a balanced nutritious meal, no questions asked. 4%

6504

Catholic Charities

860-621-1847

Provides behavioral health counseling, preschool programs, parent & family life education, case management, adoption, community outreach, life skills training & welfare to work programs. 15.6%

6505

Child Guidance Clinic for Central CT, Inc.

203-235-5767

Mental health services: therapy, testing & psychiatric intervention, sexual abuse treatment, consultation, home-based services. 20%

6519

Girl Scouts, CT Trails Council, Inc.

203-239-2922

Provides comprehensive informal educational programs for girls 5-17, stressing development of positive self-image, leadership skills, & service to the community. 6%

6522

Literacy Volunteers of Central CT, Inc.

860-229-7323

Recruits & trains volunteers to effectively tutor adults wishing to improve ability to read, write or speak English. Matches tutors-students & provide quality follow-up support. 13.4%

6513

RSVP of Central CT, Inc.

860-224-7117

Provides volunteer opportunities for persons 55 years+ to enrich their lives & to provide service for their communities of Berlin, Meriden, New Britain, Southington, & Wallingford. 19.5%

6514

Salvation Army

www.salvationarmyusa.org

860-543-8400

Social Services: Emergency food, fuel, furniture, & clothing. Holiday services, overnight camp for needy children. Lodging for Southington senior citizens, scholarships for needy high school students. 17.3%

6515

Sexual Assault Crisis Services, YWCA of New Britain

860-225-4681

Provides free, confidential services to victims of sexual assault & their significant others including: crisis intervention, counseling, support groups, ER, police & court advocacy & community education. 14.6%

6518

Southington Community YMCA

860-628-5597

Provides an oasis for all people in the community to nurture the healthy development of children, encourage positive behavior in teens & strengthen families. 13.7%

6517

VNA of Central CT, Inc.

Vnacc.org

860-224-7131

Home health care services: nursing, aides, homemakers, companions, therapies, social services, Hospice of Central CT; support groups, senior & child health clinics & public health services. 19%

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United Way of Northwest Connecticut



6700

United Way of Northwest CT, Inc.

860-489-4131

www.northwestunitedway.org

Raises & allocates funds on behalf of 22 local health & human service organizations in Northwest CT. 18.6%

6702

American Red Cross, Waterbury Area Chapter
860-482-8182

www.ctredcross.org/wtbyarea

Comprehensive assistance for disaster victims, community disaster preparedness, emergency assistance for service members & families, international services, biomedical support, health & safety training, & certification. 7%

6723

Canaan Child Care Center, Inc.
860-824-0597

Offers affordable, educationally based child care for children 8 weeks to 11 yrs. in a safe structured nurturing environment. 7%

6706

Catholic Charities
860-482-5558

www.ccaoh.org

Provides social services to strengthen individuals & families inc: mental health & substance abuse counseling, case management, family education, youth development, childcare, pregnancy, counseling, & adoption. 14.8%

6737

Community Health & Wellness Center of Greater Torrington
860-489-0931

www.brookermemorial.org

Health care services including acute & chronic illness management, immunizations, health screenings based on age-risk factors, referrals & comprehensive HIV screening, prevention education & HIV-AIDS illness. 7.6%

6708

Connecticut Legal Services, Inc.
203-756-8074

Toll Free 800-413-7797

www.connlegalservices.org

Provides free civil legal services to the poor. Areas of specialty include domestic violence-family, homelessness-housing, public benefits, special education, & elder & disability law. 12.5%

6738

Cornwall Child Center
860-672-6989

www.cornwallct.org/CCC.htm

Provides the best possible early childhood program in a stimulating environment, fosters social skills in a family atmosphere, & encourages parental, community, & school involvement. 8%

6726

Falls Village Child Care Center, Inc.
860-824-0882

Provides year-round quality, nurturing care, & developmentally stimulating programs for infants, toddlers, pre-schoolers, & children attending before & after school (up to age 9). 4%

6709

FISH, Torrington Chapter
860-482-7300

Provides regional programs/services to low-income/vulnerable individuals/families. 35-bed emergency shelter, Food Pantry, Clothing Room, Operation Fuel, Warmth Neighbor, FEMA assistance, emergency prescription assistance, & holiday programs. 3.2%

6727

Geer Adult Day Center
860-824-7067

www.geercares.org

For 25 years our mission has been to enhance the quality of life & maintain independence to our participants while supporting family efforts of keeping their loved ones at home. 14%

6710

Girl Scout Council of Northwestern CT, Inc.
860-482-4495

GIRL SCOUTING BUILDS: preventative, comprehensive, informal education program accessible to all girls; based on patriotism, citizenship, & community & global service. 13.4%

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6713 Litchfield County Association for Retarded Citizens, Inc. 860-482-9364 www.litchfieldarc.org Promotes general welfare of individuals with developmental disabilities. Provides support, housing & employment opportunities, leisure time, educational, & other program activities using generic community resources. 16.3%	6703 Nutmeg Big Brothers-Big Sisters 860-525-5437 www.nutmegbigbrothersbigsisters.com Provides 1-to-1 mentoring relationships to CT at-risk & disadvantaged children matching them with qualified, caring adult volunteers. 18.7%	6719 Visiting Nurse Services of CT (Torrington) 860-482-6419 www.vnsct.com Provides quality home nursing; home health aide; hospice; physical, speech & occupational therapy, & medical social services for people of all ages, available 7 days a week. 19%
6715 McCall Foundation, Inc. 860-496-2100 www.mccall.foundation@snet.net Provides outpatient, partial hospital, intensive outpatient, residential, parenting, & prevention programs for substance abusers and/or their family members in NW CT. 11%	6734 The Salvation Army Winsted Service Center 860-543-8400; 860-379-8444 www.salvationarmy-usaeast.org Provides basic needs including food, shelter, fuel assistance, medical vouchers, holiday needs & summer camperships for youth & adults. 17%	6736 Winsted Area Child Care Center, Inc. 860-379-0006 Nationally accredited program committed to providing low-income working families with quality childcare for children ages 6 weeks to 12 years at an affordable cost. 12%
6711 Northwest Center for Family Service & Mental Health 860-435-2529; 860-482-8561; 860-379-3337 www.nwcct.org Outpatient Psychiatric Clinic for children & adults; multi-service family service agency. 18%	6716 Susan B. Anthony Project, Inc. 860-489-3798 CRISIS LINE 860-482-7133 www.sbaproject.org Provides services for victims of domestic & sexual violence including counseling, 24-hour crisis line, shelter, community education, & outreach. 9.2%	6717 YMCA of Northwest CT, Inc. 860-489-3133 860-379-0708 860-824-2790 www.northwestctymca.org Builds strong kids, & families, by developing a healthy spirit, mind & body through programs that foster caring, honesty, respect & responsibility. Literacy Volunteers: 860-489-9681. Winchester Youth Service Bureau: 24-hour beeper (<i>all calls confidential</i>): 860-330-0006. 11%

Why should I give?

The **CSEC** is a direct way to reach out and touch the lives of those in need; to sustain local, national and international health, educational, environmental and social service organizations; to make a meaningful contribution to your community.

United Way of Greater Waterbury



6800

United Way of Greater Waterbury
203-757-9855

www.unitedwaygw.org

Meeting the social, health and human development needs in the Bethlehem, Cheshire, Middlebury, Prospect, Southbury, Thomaston, Waterbury, Watertown, Wolcott, and Woodbury communities. 12%

6801

American Red Cross
203-755-1137

www.ctredcross.org/wtbyarea

Comprehensive assistance for disaster victims, community disaster preparedness, emergency assistance for service members & families, international services, health & safety training & certification, blood drives. 7%

6802

Boys and Girls Club of Greater Waterbury (formerly known as Anderson Boys Club) 203-756-8111

www.andersonboysclub.org

Programs, services, in educational, vocational, guidance, physical fitness & recreation offered to 1500+ Greater Waterbury youth. 7%

6803

Catholic Charities-Archdiocese of Hartford, Inc. 203-755-1196
www.ccaoh.org

Community based social services to strengthen individuals & families including mental health & substance abuse counseling, case management, family life education, positive youth development, childcare, crisis pregnancy counseling & adoption. 15%

6804

Child Guidance Clinic of Greater Waterbury, Inc.
203-756-7287

www.waterburychildguidance.com

A regional center providing quality behavioral health services to children without regard to their ability to pay. 13.5%

6805

Children's Community School
203-575-0659

www.ccswaterbury.org

Educates mind, body & spirit of children from disadvantaged environments & encourages strong parental involvement to insure the success of each child. 18%

6806

Connecticut Counseling Centers, Inc.
203-755-8874

www.ctcounseling.org

Provides a full range of licensed outpatient substance abuse & mental health prevention, education & treatment to assist adults in becoming productive members of society. 8.5%

6807

Connecticut Junior Republic Association, Inc. 860-567-9423
www.ctjuniorrepublic.org

Care, treatment & education for at-risk & troubled children in Danbury, East Hartford, Litchfield, Torrington & Waterbury. 11%

6808

Connecticut Legal Services, Inc.
860-344-0447

www.ConnLegalServices.org

Provides free civil legal services to the poor. Areas of specialty: domestic violence/family, homelessness/housing, public benefits, special education, elder & disability law. 12.5%

6811

Families in Crisis
203-236-3593

www.familiesincrisis.org

Provides counseling & support services to offenders & their

families, court outreach, information & referral, transportation, children's centers, prevention & parenting programs. 12%

6812

Family Services of Greater Waterbury, Inc.
203-756-8317

www.familyservicesgw.org

Strengthens families & individuals through quality services, community collaboration & social advocacy. 18%

6813

Girls Scouts, CT Trails Council
203-239-2922

www.girlscoutscctrails.org

Provides small group learning activities for girls ages 5-17, stresses academic success, development of positive self-image, leadership skills & encourages service to community. 6%

6816

Jewish Communities of Western CT
203-267-3177

www.jfed.net

Provides educational, social, & cultural services to the local Jewish community & provides economic support to local, regional & national Jewish causes & to Israel. 8%

6809

John J. Driscoll United Labor Agency
860-258-6640

www.ctula.org

Mission: to meet the off-the-job human service & vocational needs of workers & their families. Serves youth, adults & elderly of CT. 10%

Helping People *Community by Community*

6839 Kangaroo's Korner, Inc. 860-945-6628 www.therapyunlimited.com Childcare & early learning center for children of all abilities from 6 weeks to 6 years old. 12%	Children's Program; Referrals; Individual/Group/Family Counseling; EAP; School-Based Prevention; Case Management. 10.5%	6814 VNA Health at Home, Inc. 860-274-7531 www.vnahealthathome.org Serves Greater Waterbury with a variety of skilled nursing & therapy services. 25%
6817 La Casa Bienvenida 203-754-5684 Senior Center serving Hispanic elderly population. Provides essential services: social/nutritional/informational/recreational, referrals, money management, senior support services translation & door-to-door transportation. 0%	6835 Nutmeg Big Brothers/Big Sisters 860-525-KIDS (5437) www.nutmegbigbrothersbigsisters.com Provides 1-to-1 mentoring relationships to CT at-risk & disadvantaged children, matching them with qualified, caring adult volunteers. 18.7%	6842 VNA Health Care, Inc. 203-573-1231 www.vnahealthcare.org Home health care & hospice provider. Serves CT communities, including Waterbury & Hartford. 15%
6840 Lisa Inc. Beacon House 203-879-9233 www.lisainc.org Living in Safe Alternatives, Inc. operates 5 programs providing services including counseling, vocational training & educational assistance, to abused & neglected teenagers & young adults. 10.5%	6831 Safe Haven of Greater Waterbury, Inc. 203-575-0388 www.safehaven.org Provides emergency shelter & comprehensive, supportive services to victims of domestic violence & sexual assault. 8%	6828 The Waterbury Day Nursery Association 203-753-3556 Mission: provide daytime childcare for families in our community. 16%
6843 Literacy Volunteers of Greater Waterbury Inc. 203-754-1164 To teach adults to read, write, speak & understand English so they may achieve personal, educational, employment & civic goals. 15%	6836 The Salvation Army, Town of Cheshire 860-543-8406 www.salvationarmy-ct-ri.org The Cheshire Unit provides basic needs including: food, shelter, fuel assistance, medical vouchers, holiday needs & summer camps for youth & adults. 17%	6830 Waterbury Youth Service System, Inc. 203-573-0264 www.waterburyyouthservices.org Truancy prevention and counseling, safe home for abused and neglected children, youth and family emergency services, school readiness, parent education center, and positive youth development. 3%
6820 Mental Health Association of Connecticut, Inc. 860-529-1970 www.mhact.org Provides residential, social & work services to adults with mental illness; advocacy, support groups, referral & education about mental illness & substance abuse to all. 10%	6823 Salvation Army, Waterbury 203-754-7056 www.salvationarmy.org Provides emergency casework services to local residents, inc: referrals, counseling, temporary shelter & transitional housing support to homeless families, youth programming . 17%	6837 YMCA, Southington-Cheshire 203-272-3150 www.southingtoncheshireymca.org Provides before & after school care, daycare services, early childhood enrichment, camp, & youth programs & youth development classes. 13%
6821 Morris Foundation, Inc. 203-755-1143 www.morris4change.org Alcohol/Drug/Mental Health Treatment; Men's Halfway House; Therapeutic Shelter; Women &	6841 Staywell Health Care, Inc. 203-756-8021 www.staywellhealth.org Federally qualified. Provides primary health care, dental, mental health & outreach regardless of ability to pay. 19%	6832 YMCA, Waterbury Young Men's Christian Association 203-754-2181 www.waterburyymca.org Providing best-in-class childcare, camp, health, wellness, outreach & member services to all in 9-town service area. 12.5%

Community Works of Connecticut



8300

Community Works of Connecticut

860-231-2414

www.communityworksct.org

A coalition of non-profit organizations working for justice, equality, the environment & social change. Confronts root causes of problems & encourages self-help solutions. 6.7 %

8353

ACORN(Association of Community Organization for Reform Now) Institute
203-333-2676

www.acorn.org

Mobilizes low & moderate-income people to work for better public schools, quality affordable housing, strong unions, & a living wage for all workers. 1%

8322

American Civil Liberties Union Foundation of CT
860-247-9823

www.cclu.org

To assure that the Bill of Rights & the rights guaranteed by the U.S. & CT Constitutions are preserved through public education, legislation & litigation. 21%

8354

CARC (Connecticut AIDS Resource Coalition)
860-761-6699

www.ctaidscoalition.org

Works to insure that all people living with HIV/AIDS have appropriate housing & access to the full range of services necessary to live with dignity. 8.6%

8311

Coalition for People

203-387-7858

Educates & organizes low-income people to work together to gain decision-making power in all issues that affect them. 1%

8304

Connecticut Citizen Research Group

860-233-2181

www.ccag.net

Promotes active citizenship through identifying, organizing, & training citizen activists. We conduct research & educate activists to promote balanced debate on critical public policy issues. 16%

8333

Connecticut Coalition for Environmental Justice

860-548-1133

www.environmental-justice.org

Protects urban health & environments through community education, development of grassroots leadership, & holding polluters responsible. Our largest affiliate is the Hartford Environmental Justice Network. 17%

8368

Connecticut Coalition to End Homelessness

860-721-7876

www.cceh.org

Increasing public understanding & commitment to the issue; training, advocacy and networking support for shelter, housing & service providers & the empowerment of the homeless. 5.2%

8305

Connecticut Council on Occupational Safety & Health – Health Technical Committee

860-953-2674

www.coshnetwork.org

Provides worker training & information on job safety & workplace hazards, including lead, chemicals, indoor air pollution. Dedicated to preventing injury, illness, work related deaths. 15%

8323

Connecticut Housing Coalition

860-563-2943

www.ct-housing.org

Representing 250 local organizations, is the state's leading advocacy voice for housing, asserting the right of every person to a decent, affordable home. 4%

**Agency granted a one-year waiver*

Give for *Change*

8347 Connecticut Public Broadcasting Inc. (CPTV/WNPR) 860-278-5310 www.cptv.org & www.npr.org We add value to people's lives through programs & services that inform, educate, entertain, & inspire audiences in CT & beyond. 25.6%*	8369 End Hunger Connecticut! 860-560-2100 www.endhungerct.org Through education, research, outreach & advocacy End Hunger CT is committed to creating a CT where everyone has access to healthy, affordable food. 7.1%	8360 Hunger, Relief & Development, Inc. 203-934-9553 Dedicated to free feeding & educating less privileged children, seniors, & families of the Greater New Haven area. Delivers medical supplies overseas, including Haiti. 23%
8334 Connecticut Puerto Rican Forum 860-247-3227 www.ctpuertoricanforum.org Community based organization providing training & employee services to residents of the Hartford area. 13%	8358 Gay, Lesbian, & Straight Education Network (GLSEN) Connecticut 203-764-4347 www.glsen.org An education organization creating safe schools for all students regardless of sexual orientation or gender identity/expression. 0%	8371 New Haven Home Recovery 203-492-4866 www.nhhr.org Established in response to a critical need to shelter women with dependent children who were homeless in Greater New Haven. 13.9%
8335 Connecticut Save A Pup 860-666-4646 www.ctsaveapup.org Rescues dogs from local pounds & finds new, loving homes. All dogs are spayed, neutered, and vaccinated. 0%	8359 Habitat for Humanity of Northeast Connecticut 860-774-0505 www.habitatnortheastct.org A people-to-people partnership drawing families & communities in need together with volunteers & resources to build decent affordable housing for needy people. 18.7%	8309 Padres Abriendo Puertas 860-297-4392 Supports training, & advocacy for Latino families with developmentally disabled children, sponsors Fiesta Educativa conference for parents & professionals. 6%
8336 DemocracyWorks 860-727-1157 www.democracyworksct.org An advocacy center & energy center focused on issues central to making our democracy work fairly, inclusively, & vibrantly, here in CT & nationally. 25.2%*	8366 HartBeat Ensemble 860-548-9144 www.hartbeatensemble.org Uses theatre as a tool for personal & social change. Our plays tell universal stories of everyday people who take action to better their world. 31%*	8337 PFLAG: Parents, Families and Friends of Lesbians and Gays 860-633-5111 Promotes the health & well being of gay, lesbian, bisexual & transgender persons, their families & friends through support, education, & advocacy. 4%
8324 Ecological Health Organization 860-828-4200 www.echohomesct.homestead.com Provides advocacy, support, education & referral for people with Multiple Chemical Sensitivity (MCS), & those sensitive to chemicals or care about the prevention of chemical injuries. 11%		8367 Planned Parenthood of Connecticut, Inc. 203-865-5158 www.ppct.org We protect the fundamental right of all individuals to manage their own fertility & sexual health & to ensure access to the services, education, & information. 20%

8363	8338	8371
Progressive America Fund	Toxics Action Center	West Hartford Citizens for Peace & Justice
860-523-1699	860-233-7623	860-232-8993
Supports training, education, & grassroots organizing efforts that promote justice & democratic reform.	www.toxicsaction.org	www.westhartfordpeace.org
16%	Helps community groups across CT to fight pollution problems in their neighborhoods.	Members come together in opposition to the war on Iraq & to raise awareness of the impending invasion of Iraq & the USA Patriot Act.
	19%	0%



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AS LONG AS I HAVE BEEN A STATE EMPLOYEE, I have contributed to the Connecticut State Employees' Campaign but part of me wanted to be more of an active participant. Southern does a lot for the community and state with events such as Special Olympics and the Komen Center Race for the cure. When I was asked to coordinate the campaign for Southern Connecticut State University this past year, I was truly honored. There is nothing better than being able to help your community, whether it is through a few hours of dedicated time or a monetary donation to help a good cause.

Every person I have met that was involved with the campaign on our campus this year was willing and excited about participating in every event. It is only through everyone's contributions that the campaign is really successful. If I am so lucky to see the rewards that our work brings to those who need it and they are happy, then I am happy. That's what it is about. Donating is exciting when you know it is going to help where it is truly needed. This year we were able to initiate more programs and to raise more money for the CSEC and I hope that we will be able to continue to do so for years to come.

Amanda Pysh

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