



PLAQUEMINES PARISH IMPACT REPORT

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Phillips 66 employees beautify the Plaquemines C.A.R.E. Center, a United Way Community Partner, at a United Way/Phillips 66 Day of Action

UNITED WAY. HERE THEN. HERE TODAY. HERE TOMORROW.

Thousands of households in Plaquemines Parish are struggling – and that’s where United Way of Southeast Louisiana comes in. We fight for the most vulnerable among us. Your donation to United Way is targeted to eradicate poverty locally by supporting vulnerable households to ensure they can afford basic needs – like housing, food, transportation, child care, and health care – and save for an emergency. And we have a plan to get it done.

Our **Blueprint for Prosperity** gives us a roadmap today as we lead immediate COVID-19 relief efforts, continue our focus on eradicating poverty, and shift toward recovery. Learn more at UnitedWaySELA.org/Our-Impact.

AGENCIES & PROGRAMS SERVING PLAQUEMINES PARISH RESIDENTS

American Red Cross of Southeast LA
Emergency Support Services to Prepare and Prevent Financial Crisis

Boy Scouts of America, SELA Council
Scouting

CADA Prevention and Recovery Center
Project Reconnect

Cancer Association of Greater New Orleans
Cancer Patient Services

Catholic Charities Archdiocese of New Orleans
Parish & Community Ministries

Children’s Bureau of New Orleans
Child and Family Counseling Program

Family Violence Program of St. Bernard
Family Violence Program of St. Bernard

Junior Achievement of GNO
JA Finance Park

Kingsley House
Adult Services

Louisiana Endowment for the Humanities
PRIME TIME Preschool to Big School: Improving School Readiness

New Orleans Family Justice Alliance
New Orleans Family Justice Center

Plaquemines Community C.A.R.E. Centers Foundation, Inc.
Behavioral Health Services | Domestic Violence Services | Substance Abuse Services in Plaquemines Parish

Salvation Army of GNO
Family Success Center at the Center of Hope

Second Harvest Food Bank
Transforming Communities in Need

Southeast Louisiana Legal Services
Family Stabilization Project

VIA LINK, Inc.
211 & TXT211 | Crisis Intervention/Suicide Prevention

YMCA of Greater New Orleans
Plaquemines Partnership YMCAs

FOR 95 YEARS, United Way of Southeast Louisiana has been a trusted partner in improving lives in Jefferson, Orleans, St. Bernard, St. Tammany, Tangipahoa, Plaquemines, and Washington parishes.

<p>\$81,854</p> <p>tax refunds awarded through VITA (Volunteer Income Tax Assistance program)</p>	<p>\$10,000</p> <p>in assets purchased through the IDA project (Individual Development Account)</p>	<p>\$21,696</p> <p>in Emergency Food and Shelter funding</p>	<p>\$11,500</p> <p>in Hospitality Cares Crisis Grants awarded</p>	<p>66</p> <p># of programs people accessed through 211</p>
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\$1 DONATED GENERATED \$5.56 IN COMMUNITY IMPACT

United Way funds 77 programs across Southeast Louisiana as part of our holistic approach to eradicating poverty and creating equitable communities where all individuals are healthy, educated, and financially stable.

A Plaquemines Parish Success Story

Tiffany* was a victim of domestic violence at the hands of her husband. He had physically abused her, sending her to the hospital in the past. We helped Tiffany secure a permanent injunction against her abuser, which prohibited her husband from physically abusing, stalking, threatening, or harassing her in any way. Ultimately, through United Way funding, Southeast Louisiana Legal Services helped Tiffany through her divorce, return to her maiden name, and acquire the use of the family vehicle so that she could live independently from her abusive husband.

**Name changed to protect client privacy*



United Way is proud to join partners like Southeast Louisiana Legal Services to help protect our most vulnerable neighbors.

NEED HELP? Visit UnitedWaySELA.org/HELP

DIAL 211

The 211 Contact Center provides information and referral to health and human service agencies utilizing the VIA LINK Community Resource Directory. Available 24/7 by dialing 211.

VITA

IRS-certified volunteers provide free basic income tax return preparation with electronic filing to qualified individuals.

FAMILYWIZE

The pharmacy discount card is FREE for everyone. Whether or not you have health insurance coverage, you are eligible to begin saving on your prescription medications today.

IDA

Our IDA (Individual Development Account) program is designed to help low-income participants save money through a matched-savings program.

MYFREETAXES.COM

Provides free state and federal tax preparation and filing assistance for qualified individuals. It's easy, safe, secure, and 100% FREE.

HOSPITALITY CARES

Provides crisis grants for emergency financial assistance to individuals working in the hospitality industry, in partnership with the Louisiana Hospitality Foundation.

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