United Way of Greater McHenry County believes that everyone deserves a good education, independence, financial stability, and a healthy life. Through our comprehensive approach, your contribution makes a greater impact and empowers people to reach their potential.

When you give to United Way of Greater McHenry County, you can be assured that your donation is distributed carefully and locally. Volunteers, donors, and community leaders from throughout greater McHenry County work each year to evaluate the needs of our community, thoroughly review each agency and program applying for funding, identify which ones will best address those needs, and decide how United Way will invest in the community.

Together we are inspiring change, creating opportunities and strengthening our families.

1 in 4 local people benefit from United Way's mission.

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ADVANCING EDUCATION / PROMOTING INDEPENDENCE / IMPROVING HEALTH

4-C: Community Coordinated Child Care
Association for Individual Development
Adult & Child Therapy Services
Big Brothers Big Sisters
Boy Scouts Blackhawk Area Council
CASA McHenry County
Catholic Charities
Child Advocacy Center
Community Action Agency
Consumer Credit Counseling Service
Family Alliance
Family Health Partnership Clinic
Friendship House
Girl Scouts of Northern Illinois
Home of the Sparrow
McHenry Community Health Center
Pioneer Center
Prairie State Legal Services
Rosecrance
Sage YMCA of Metro Chicago
The Salvation Army McHenry County
The Salvation Army Golden Diners
Samaritan Counseling Center
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• Transitional housing restores financial and residential independence giving families the tools needed to stabilize their livelihood.

• Families receive education about budgeting and develop goals to avoid financial crisis.

• Homeless children and families are provided temporary housing.

• Volunteers help seniors with household chores and daily activities helping them stay in their homes longer.

• Legal advocates assist families with challenges that negatively impact their abilities and well-being.

• Recreation centers provide senior citizens a place to visit with friends while their loved ones work to support their family.

• Dementia support services provide our loved ones with activities that help manage progression and maintain quality of life.

• Crisis intervention therapies help victims of domestic violence find strength and empowerment.

• Emotional therapies assess and treat varying mental illnesses while focusing on improving capability and maintaining long-term wellness.

• Improved access to affordable high-quality healthcare and medications is provided to underinsured populations.

• Developmental and sudden disabilities are treated through various therapies helping individuals overcome their physical limitations.