





United Way of Salt Lake mobilizes people and resources to improve basic needs and education outcomes for Utah kids and families. We believe that every child, regardless of race, income, or ZIP code, should be supported at every stage of their life so they can reach their full potential. Together with our dedicated donors, community and corporate partners, and volunteers, we are building brighter futures for every Utahn.

This year we worked with



Our education work helped

90,000

students and parents through services provided by our robust network of Community School partnerships.

211 Utah had

60,210

Interactions with Utahns to provide basic needs resources and services such as food, housing, transportation, healthcare, and many others.



Dear Friends,

We are excited to share the impactful work detailed in United Way of Salt Lake's 2023 Annual Report with you. This report reflects the collaborative efforts of our incredible network, including business and government partners, donors, dedicated volunteers, engaged community members, and the talented individuals on our staff and board of directors. Together, we're making strides to ensure that every Utah child can reach their full potential.

A pinnacle moment from the past year was the triumphant expansion of state funding for full-day kindergarten, a milestone achieved after 16 years of relentless advocacy. This victory for Utah children and families stands as a testament to the unwavering commitment of our dedicated education and community partners.

Our education work touched the lives of 90,000 students and parents through afterschool programming, tutoring, and an array of essential services. Students are achieving incredible results, with many of our partner schools outperforming their counterparts in reading and math proficiency.

Thousands of students and their families benefit from vital assistance including food, immunizations, dental care, and vision services thanks to our dedicated education partners. In instances where these services can't be directly provided at school, 211 Utah steps in to bridge the gap, empowering families by facilitating access to essential resources and support.

Our commitment extends beyond immediate assistance—we strive to dismantle enduring barriers that prevent economic mobility and work collaboratively with our partners to foster a community of opportunity. As we share our achievements, we extend our heartfelt gratitude to you for being an integral part of this incredible team. Together, we're not just changing lives; we're shaping a brighter future for all.

Thank you for your unwavering support!



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211 Utah strengthened community relationships and interacted with

266,297

Utahns to provide essential referrals, enhanced services, and upgrades by:

Ensuring Connected Service

The Utah Coordination Center (UCC), overseen by 211 Utah, is a web-based platform that responds to referrals in just one day, connecting medical, behavioral health, and social service providers for a more seamless client experience. 211 Utah has undergone technology upgrades resulting in a more coordinated and effective response and a significant increase in referrals to service providers within the network.

Moving From Information Referral to Service Navigation

Utah's social service system is incredibly complex, and people often need further support to get help in their critical situations. Rather than simply referring clients to resources, 211 Utah is shifting to support customers more comprehensively through service navigation. This approach is a more proactive and hands-on way to guide individuals through the complexities of available services, advocate on their behalf, engage in creative problem solving, and ensure access to the most suitable and relevant resources. This shift is crucial to ensure people's needs are met.

Facilitating Care

211 Utah provided 13,848 on-demand rides through a partnership with Lyft and United Way Worldwide. Responses from 5,506 customers showed they needed a ride to essential services such as:

| Medical | Employment | Financial | Food | Education |
|---------|------------|-----------|------|-----------|
| 3,831 | 994 | 343 | 269 | 69 |

Food Delivery

For some Utahns, mobility/transportation is a barrier to access basic needs like food. 211 Utah coordinated 2,449 food deliveries to 357 households through partnerships with DoorDash, United Way Worldwide, International Rescue Committee - New Roots, Granite School District, and Copperview Food & Resource Center.

211 Utah Top Service Categories





Fully-Expanded Funding for Full-Day Kindergarten

In March, the Utah Legislature fully expanded funding for optional full-day kindergarten for all Utah students. This victory came after 16 years of relentless advocacy. UWSL worked alongside the Utah Full-Day Kindergarten Now Coalition and other education leaders to make FDK available for generations to come. Utah State Board of Education (USBE) data indicates enrollment in FDK has more than doubled for this school year, from 34% to 77% of 5-year-olds enrolled. In 32 of the 41 school districts — including Davis, Granite, and Canyons — more than 90% of children are enrolled in FDK. We are thrilled that parents now have this choice and that children will have a stronger foundation for their future educational success.

Virtual Tutoring Helps Kindergarteners Improve in Math

Our collective efforts in education are yielding remarkable results for kids across Utah communities. The schools we partner with are achieving incredible milestones from improved graduation rates to breakthrough growth in reading and math. Data shows these improvements are outpacing similar schools—a testament to the dedication of our education partners. When kids succeed in school, they are also better equipped to succeed in life.

Parent Engagement in Kearns

Parent Cafes are ongoing initiatives to foster engagement among Spanish-speaking parents in Kearns Community Schools. What began as intimate home gatherings to address challenges of parental involvement during the COVID-19 pandemic has evolved to widespread monthly meetings across multiple schools. Sessions cover crucial topics such as student safety and career paths. Parent Cafes have not only enhanced parental involvement but have also empowered Spanish-speaking parents to take leadership roles in their school communities.

East High ESL Students

Over 50 English as a Second Language students at East High School engaged in a transformative literacy initiative alongside UWSL's Women United members last year. Focused on improving their English proficiency, these students embraced storytelling and crafted children's books that mirrored their diverse backgrounds and dreams. These compelling narratives, featuring student illustrations, were proudly presented at our Power of Your Purse gala. The event left a strong impression on guests as students, parents, and teachers shared their powerful stories. As the school year concluded, students celebrated their literary triumphs with Women United mentors. Many of these students plan to return and mentor new students next year.









A Record-Breaking Year of Service

United Way of Salt Lake volunteers stepped up this past year to help students learn, beautify campuses and community spaces, support food pantries, and so much more through meaningful service opportunities. More than 1,700 volunteers dedicated 3,500 service hours, leading to a record-breaking year of service.

Volunteer 2023 Wrapped







3,500 hours of service



snack kits



107,000 school supplies



weekend meal kits



7,800 backpacks

1,343

hygiene kits

Year of Action Events

Read Across America Day

The literacy-focused service event in March brought **340 volunteers** to elementary schools across the Wasatch front to instill a love of reading. Volunteers engaged students in reading activities and donated **4,900 books** to enrich school and home libraries.

Stuff the Bus

Making sure kids have the school supplies they need to start the school year off right is top priority for this signature volunteer event! Volunteers raised \$30,000 to purchase 7,800 backpacks and school supplies for 11,000 students.

Day of Caring

Our 31st Day of Caring involved **700 volunteers in 33 projects** at schools, afterschool programs, and nonprofits addressing diverse community needs. The event has transformed into a "season of service" with some projects taking place throughout the fall months.

Mentors and Tutors Make a Difference

One of the most impactful ways to volunteer with UWSL is by becoming a mentor or tutor. Through our Mentor 2.0 program, in partnership with Big Brothers Big Sisters, volunteers support high school students to increase college and career readiness and to help them prepare for their next steps after graduation. Last May, every senior from Cottonwood High School that participated in the program graduated with an option to go to college!

Learn more about volunteer opportunities at uw.org/get-involved/volunteer

2022-2023 Financials



*Revenue

47% Direct Contributions: \$7,213.354

Foundations and Private Grants: \$4,569,585

12% Government Funding: \$1,863,366

7% Investment Returns: \$1,014,794

1.5% Donated Goods and Services: \$225,834

1.5% Other Revenue: \$211,363

Sponsorships and Special Events: \$191,567



\$15.65M

Community Investments and Expenditures

Programs, Partnerships, Grants, and Impact Goals: \$12,443,371

11.3% Resource Development: \$1,760,095

9.2% Management and General: \$1,440,698



Total Assets

\$3,783,579

\$25,114,332 Net Assets

\$28,897,911 Total Assets

*Total Revenue of \$15,289,863 includes current fiscal year pledges for which cash may be collected over multiple years. Total Revenue does not include cash collected on pledges included in revenue in prior years. For complete audited financial statements visit UW.ORG.

United Way of Salt Lake is a platinum-level GuideStar participant, demonstrating its commitment to transparency. Better Business Bureau concluded that United Way of Salt Lake meets all 20 standards for charity accountability, making United Way of Salt Lake a BBB Accredited Charity.





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