

We Give Here We Live Here It Stays Here

WE ARE COMMITTED TO ENSURING THAT EVERY PERSON IN THE BLACK HILLS HAS THE OPPORTUNITY TO THRIVE. NO MATTER THEIR CIRCUMSTANCES.

WE THRIVE WHEN EVERYONE HAS ACCESS TO QUALITY EDUCATION, WHEN FAMILIES ARE FINANCIALLY STABLE, & WHEN OUR NEIGHBORS ENJOY GOOD HEALTH.

WE PARTNER WITH AMAZING AGENCIES THAT ARE DEDICATED TO MEETING THE MANY NEEDS IN OUR BLACK HILLS COMMUNITIES.

United Way impacts the community in many ways.

No one person or agency can solve all the needs in our communities, but together we possess the solutions

UWBH is a fundraiser with our Annual Campaign. By giving to UW we can diversify the donations to serve many needs the donations to serve many needs.

UWBH works with community agencies to collaborate together for idea sharing. focuses and to support each other for the most impact.

UWBH provides resources to all nonprofit organizations, such as free development workshops they might not otherwise have available.



UWBH Programs & Initiatives such as Black Hills Reads. Dolly Parton's Imagination Library & Everyday Strong.

UWBH provides funding to support to agencies so they can focus more on the great work that they do.

UWBH Month of Caring has nearly 900 volunteers throughout the BH's volunteer by packing meals, painting homes, performing lawn care, and much more. Providing an economic Impact of \$201,637.

None of this is possible without the donations, volunteering and support of our communities. We are working to build a brighter & better future for all.

Key Focuses of UWBH's Community Impact

Education Financial Stability Health

- United Way funding supports programs that provide housing assistance, prevent evictions, and offer financial counseling to low-income individuals and families.
- Examples include providing rent payment assistance, emergency shelter and maintaining affordable housing options.
- Funding enables access to transportation resources, ensuring individuals can get to work, school, and appointments, even in remote areas with limited options.
- Support services encompass a wide range of needs, from nutrition assistance for seniors to emergency shelters for survivors of domestic violence.
- Funding supports educational programs like preschool scholarships, after-school activities, and literacy initiatives, ensuring all have access to quality education and enrichment opportunities.
- Youth development programs help build resilience, coping skills, and provide mentorship opportunities for at-risk indviduals
- United Way funding contributes to healthcare access, including providing transportation to medical appointments and supporting individuals with chronic illnesses or mental health disorders.
- Funding enables community organizations to engage with individuals in crisis, provide advocacy services, and empower.
- United way funding facilitates immediate response to disasters, such as providing shelter, food, and clothing during emergencies like severe weather events.
- Crisis intervention services support individuals facing mental health crises, including suicide prevention efforts and ongoing counseling.

Overall, United Way funding plays a crucial role in addressing systemic challenges, supporting vulnerable populations, and fostering community resilience and empowerment.