

COVID-19 RESPONSE



MEDIA FACT SHEET

**UNITED WAY AND
ROCHESTER AREA COMMUNITY FOUNDATION
COMMUNITY CRISIS FUND**



Total Raised: More than \$4.6 million

- More than 650 individuals have donated nearly \$135k online at www.uwrochester.org/crisisresponse
- Community Partners include: United Way of Greater Rochester, Rochester Area Community Foundation, ESL Charitable Foundation, Paychex Charitable Foundation, Farash Foundation, Konar Foundation, McGowan Foundation, Bank of America, Wegmans Food Markets, M&T Bank, New York State Health Foundation, Greater Rochester Health Foundation, MVP Health, Ralph C. Wilson, Jr. Foundation, AAA of Central and Western NY, Florence M. Muller Foundation, Emil Muller Foundation, L3 Harris, Pegula Sports and Entertainment, General Motors, Citizens Charitable Foundation, JP Morgan Chase & Co., KeyBank in partnership with the First Niagara Foundation, Sands Family Foundation, Joan Feinbloom Living Trust, PWC Foundation, Waldron Rise Foundation, National Grid, Cornell/Weinstein Family Foundation, Avangrid, Alesco Advisors, Glover Crask Charitable Trust, CVS Health in partnership with United Way of New York State, Deloitte, KPMG U.S. Foundation and HUNT Charitable Foundation

Grants were made to the following agencies in Phase 1 of funding (as of 8am on 6/5) totaling \$1,884,488

THIS WEEK'S GRANTS HIGHLIGHTED BELOW

- Hope Lutheran Church (Monroe County)
- Jewish Community Center of Greater Rochester (Monroe County)
- Legal Aid Society of Rochester (Genesee, Livingston, Monroe, Ontario, Orleans and Wayne Counties)
- Mary Cariola Center (Genesee, Livingston, Monroe, Ontario, Orleans, Seneca, Wayne and Yates Counties)
- Medical Motor Service (Monroe County)
- Mt. Hope Family Center (Monroe County)
- Patrick Place—A Comfort Care Home (Livingston and Monroe Counties)
- Planned Parenthood of Western and Central New York (Genesee, Livingston, Monroe, Ontario, Orleans, Wayne and Yates Counties)
- St. Ann's Foundation on behalf of St. Ann's Community (Monroe County)



United Way
of Greater Rochester

- Action for a Better Community (Monroe County)
- Alzheimer's Association, Rochester & Finger Lakes Region Chapter (Monroe, Genesee, Livingston, Ontario, Orleans, Seneca, Wayne and Yates Counties)
- ARC of Livingston-Wyoming (Livingston County)
- ARC of Wayne (Wayne County)
- Asbury First United Methodist Church (Monroe County)
- AutismUp (Monroe County)
- Baden Street Settlement (Monroe County)
- Beyond the Sanctuary (Monroe County)
- BluePrint Geneva, Inc. (Ontario County)
- Boys and Girls Club of Geneva (Ontario County)
- Boys & Girls Clubs of Rochester (Monroe County)
- Bridges for Brain Injury (Ontario County)
- Care Net Pregnancy Center (Ontario County)
- Catholic Charities Community Services (Livingston, Monroe, Ontario, Seneca, Wayne and Yates Counties)
- Catholic Charities of Buffalo (Orleans and Genesee Counties)
- Catholic Charities of Livingston County (Livingston County)
- Catholic Family Center (Monroe County)
- Celebrate! Family Church (Livingston County)
- Center for Community Alternatives (Monroe County)
- Center for Employment Opportunities (CEO) (Monroe County)
- Center for Youth Services (Monroe County)
- Charles Settlement House (Monroe County)
- Charlotte House, Inc. (Genesee, Livingston and Orleans County)
- Child Advocacy Center of the Finger Lakes (Ontario, Seneca and Yates Counties)
- Community Action for Wyoming County (Wyoming County)
- Community Hygiene Bank of Concordia Lutheran Church (Monroe County)
- Community Place of Greater Rochester (Monroe County)
- DePaul (Genesee, Monroe and Orleans County)
- Edith B. Ford Memorial Library (Seneca County)
- Empire Justice Center (Monroe County)
- Epilepsy-Pralid (Monroe and Ontario Counties)
- Family Counseling Service of the Finger Lakes (Wayne County)
- Finger Lakes Community Schools/Linked to Family Counseling Service of the Finger Lakes (Wayne County)
- Finger Lakes Counseling & Referral Agency (Ontario, Seneca, Wayne and Yates Counties)
- Foodlink (Genesee, Livingston, Monroe, Ontario, Orleans, Seneca, Wayne and Yates Counties)
- Gananda Education Foundation (Wayne County)
- GLOW YMCA (Genesee, Livingston, Orleans and Wyoming Counties)
- Golisano Autism Center (Genesee, Livingston, Monroe and Ontario Counties)
- Goodwill of the Finger Lakes (Monroe County)
- Healthy Baby Network (Monroe County)

- Heritage Christian Services (Monroe County)
- House of Mercy (Monroe County)
- Jewish Home of Rochester (Monroe County)
- Jewish Family Services of Rochester (Monroe County)
- Joint Heirs Kingdom Ministries (Monroe, Ontario and Way Counties)
- Judicial Process Commission (Monroe County)
- Keeping our Promise Rochester (Monroe County)
- Ibero-American-Action League (Monroe County)
- Independent Living of the Genesee Region (Genesee and Orleans Counties)
- Interlaken Public Library (Seneca County)
- Lifespan (Monroe County)
- Living Well Mission (Yates County)
- Livingston County (Livingston County)
- Lodi Whittier Library (Seneca County)
- Mary Cariola Children’s Center (Monroe, Genesee, Livingston, Ontario, Orleans, Seneca, Wayne and Yates Counties)
- Mary’s Place Refugee Outreach (Monroe County)
- Meals on Wheels (Monroe County)
- Mozaic (Seneca and Yates Counties)
- Newark Food Closet (Wayne County)
- Ontario ARC – NYSARC Inc, Ontario County Chapter (Ontario County)
- Pathway Home of the Finger Lakes (Seneca County)
- Pro Action of Steuben and Yates (Yates County)
- Project Stork, Inc. (Genesee and Orleans Counties)
- Project URGE, Inc. (Monroe County)
- REACH Advocacy (Monroe County)
- Refugees Helping Refugees (Monroe County)
- Rochester ChildFirst Network (Monroe County)
- Rochester Refugee Resettlement (Monroe County)
- Rochester Regional Health’s Hill Haven Rehabilitation & Transitional Care Center (Monroe County)
- Rural & Migrant Ministry, Inc. (Wayne County)
- Safe Harbors of the Finger Lakes, Inc. (Ontario, Seneca and Yates Counties)
- St. Joseph’s Neighborhood Center (Monroe County)
- St. Peter’s Kitchen (Monroe County)
- Salvation Army (Monroe, Genesee, Livingston, Ontario, Orleans, Seneca, Wayne and Yates Counties)
- Sent By Ravens Food Pantry (Livingston County)
- Springwater Community Food Pantry (Livingston County)
- Suzanne’s Comfort Care Home, Inc. (Wyoming County)
- Trillium Health (Monroe County)
- Urban League of Rochester (Monroe County)
- Veteran’s Outreach Center (Monroe, Genesee, Livingston, Ontario, Orleans, Seneca, Wayne and Yates Counties)
- Venture Compassionate Ministries, Inc. (Monroe County)
- Villa of Hope (Monroe, Genesee, Livingston, Ontario, Orleans, Seneca, Wayne and Yates Counties)
- Volunteers Of America Upstate New York (Monroe County)
- Waterloo Library and Historical Society (Seneca County)
- Wayne County Action Program (Wayne County)
- Wolcott Council of Churches (Wayne County)

- Worker Justice Center of NY (Monroe, Genesee, Livingston, Ontario, Orleans, Seneca, Wayne and Yates counties)
- YMCA of Greater Rochester (Monroe County)
- YWCA of Greater Rochester (Monroe County)
- Funds used for the purchase of personal protection equipment (PPE) for nonprofit staff

MASKMAKERS

We anticipate that more than 50,000 homemade masks are needed for nonprofit staff and clients—and we need the community’s help to keep their staff and clients safe and healthy during the COVID-19 pandemic. We have received 13,575 homemade masks to provide to local nonprofits. 35,200 homemade masks have been requested by nonprofits – we still need your help! Community members can visit www.uwrochester.org/covidmasks to learn how they can donate homemade masks to be a United Way #MaskMaker.

VOLUNTEER UNITED

- Number of volunteers: **3,900 volunteer slots filled**
- Agency spotlight:
 - **Foodlink** is responding to COVID-19 by ensuring thousands of households across our region can still safely access healthy food during these challenging times. The organization is collaborating with the Rochester City School District to prepare thousands of meals daily to help students and families who normally rely on school meals. Foodlink’s food bank also will be receiving and distributing millions pounds of food to its hunger-relief partners (pantries, shelters, meal programs) -- and at new distribution sites -- in the weeks and months ahead to meet the rising need in our communities. Tens of thousands of emergency food supply boxes will be assembled and distributed to households across our 10-county service area.
https://uwrochester.galaxydigital.com/agency/detail/?agency_id=108497
 - More than 50,000 homemade masks are needed for nonprofit staff and clients—and United Way needs the community’s help to keep their staff and clients safe and healthy during the COVID-19 pandemic. Based on the recommendations from the CDC for all people in public spaces to wear face coverings/masks in public spaces there is an increased demand for homemade face coverings/masks. If you are able to sew or make additional homemade face coverings/masks to donate, please visit
https://uwrochester.galaxydigital.com/need/detail/?need_id=512268
- See all volunteer opportunities at www.uwrochester.org/covidvolunteer.