

EDUCATION

92%

of students in United Way funded programs had satisfactory attendance (compared to a 84% district wide average).¹

3,516

children achieved early education milestones such as counting to 10, telling a simple story, and trying new things.²

FINANCIAL STABILITY

54%

of people served have moved into permanent housing solutions.³

53%

of people in our financial stability programs have increased their income.⁴

HEALTH

93%

of people served improved their health outcomes by participating in UW funded programs.⁵

71%

of people experiencing domestic violence completed a safety plan.⁶

1. Easterseals of NE Florida; MFCS Head Start; The Early Learning Coalition of Flagler/Volusia

2. Flagler Education Foundation; PACE Center for Girls Volusia-Flagler; The House Next Door; Boys and Girls Club of Volusia-Flagler Counties

3. SMA Healthcare- My Place Apartments; The Neighborhood Center of West Volusia; Family Renew Community; Volusia-Flagler Coalition for the Homeless

4. Flagler Cares; Beacon Center

5. Flagler Cares; Council on Aging; Volusia-Flagler Coalition of the Homeless

6. The Family Life Center

COLLABORATION



Feeding the Need

Since March 2020, United Way and Halifax Urban Ministries have been coordinated 435 volunteers to pack over 59,845 bags of food for those impacted by Covid-19. Thanks to funding from the County of Volusia CARES allocations, UWVFC partnered with the local churches to provide centralized distribution.



STORIES OF IMPACT



Due to COVID-19 the Family Life Center implemented a new way for victims to reach them without being overheard verbalizing their need for help - texting.

A victim in crisis can now text an advocate 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Tasha, a physically and emotionally abused woman, reached out through text and got help. She safely arrived at the emergency shelter with her children. She was unemployed, had no transportation, no familial support and was nearly penniless. Slowly, Tasha began to feel empowered and supported by the advocates she confided in daily. Within a couple of months, Tasha found employment, acquired her motor vehicle learner's permit and began mending the damaged relationships with her family.



Anna, an unemployed single mother was homeless. Moving from one friend or relative's couch to another with her toddler and newborn, she finally had enough. She reached out to Family Renew Community and

they helped by providing safety and shelter, assisting in her search for employment and daycare for her children, and teaching her how to budget and save. She is now working and has been accepted to the Medical Assisting Program at Daytona State College and today she is able to provide for her family and is renting a duplex in Flagler County.

JOIN THE FIGHT

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Get Connected. Get Help.™

We know that many individuals and families have been negatively impacted by COVID-19. If you, or someone you know, is struggling, please call 211 to get connected to community resources that can assist you.

GIVE

Text [yourunitedway](https://www.unitedway.org) to 41444

Open a **PASSIONFund** with the Community Foundation of Volusia/Flagler

ADVOCATE

Visit [unitedwayvfc.org](https://www.unitedwayvfc.org)



Text [createchange](https://www.createchange.org) to 51555

VOLUNTEER

Find local volunteer opportunities at bit.ly/uwvfcvolunteer

Become a Community Impact Ambassador (CIA) to visit our partners