

**United  
Way**



**United Way of  
Greater Plymouth County**



# United Way Bright Spots in a Dark Pandemic

# 427 Families Supported by United Way's Family Center at Community Connections of Brockton

We served a total of **822** households. **252** families were new to the center.



# 20,168 Calls for Help to United Way's Mass211

Of the **20,168** calls for help in greater Plymouth County, **9,000** these calls were pandemic related. This volume is more than double 2019 numbers!



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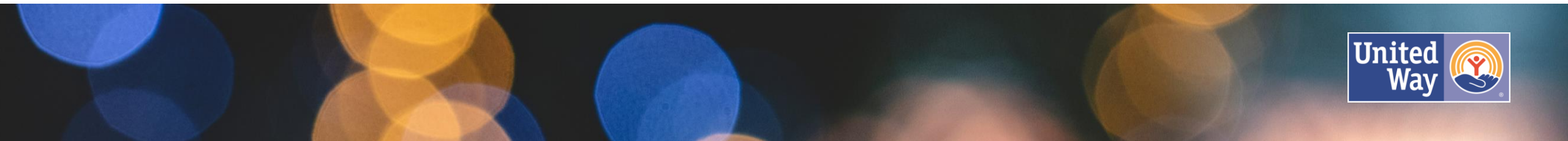
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Established in April of 2020

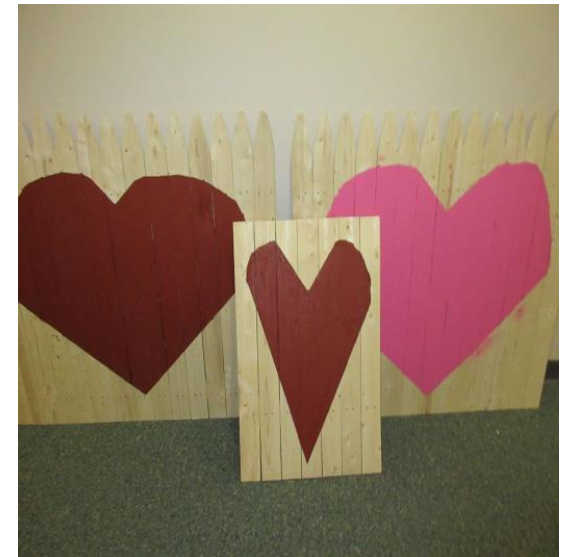


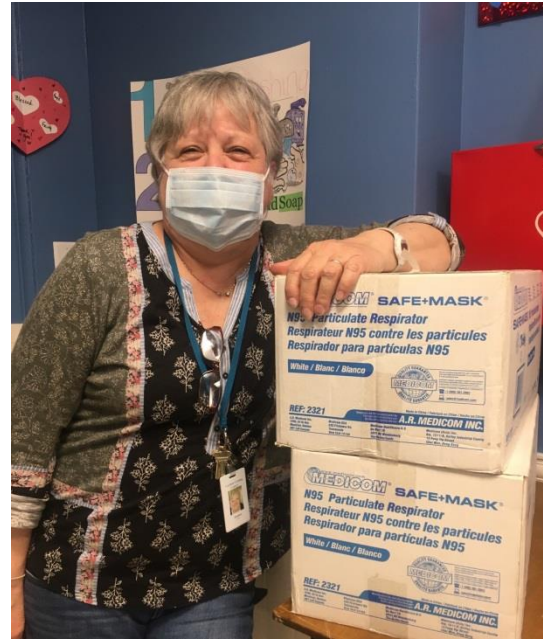
With your help, we have raised over  
**\$175,000** to fight the coronavirus!

Funds channeled through our regional greater  
Plymouth County Fund as well as our Brockton  
Together Fund and Marshfield Community Fund.

# COVID-19 Response Fund Partner Organizations

- Associates for Human Services
- BAMSJ
- Beth Israel Deaconess - Plymouth
- Boys & Girls Club of Marshfield
- Brockton Area Arc
- Brockton Day Nursery
- Brockton Neighborhood Health Center
- Cape Verdean Women United, Inc.
- Cardinal Cushing Centers
- Catholic Charities South
- Family & Community Resources
- Father Bill's & MainSpring
- New England Village
- Old Colony YMCA
- Quincy College
- Road to Responsibility
- School on Wheels
- Signature Healthcare
- The Arc of Plymouth & Upper Cape Cod
- The Charity Guild
- The Salvation Army of Brockton
- The Salvation Army of Plymouth





## Response Fund Focus Areas

- Basic Needs – Food, Housing & Shelter, Personal Care Items
  - Personal protective equipment
- Sanitation Supplies
  - Vaccine Access



# Thank you to our COVID-19 Response Fund Generous Donors – Companies

- 3M
- Bluestone Bank
- Clandestine Kitchen
- Cushman Insurance
- D&P Gleason Charitable Fund
- Enterprise Holdings
- Essex County Community Foundation
- Flexo Concepts
- Imagine, Inc
- Plymouth Rotary
- REXA
- Rockland Trust
- Schapiro-Scott Charitable Fund
- Sharon & Crescent United Credit Union
- Stone Meadow Residents Association
- United Way Worldwide
- Wyman Residential

# Thank you to our COVID-19 Response Fund Generous Donors – Individuals

- Lois Alksninis
- Barbara Andrade
- Heather Arrighi
- Erica Augustine
- Richard Barry
- Carol Brooks
- Rhonda Campbell
- David Cohen
- John Costantino
- Bette Crowley
- Sam Farrell
- Sara Ferguson
- Carol Ferrini
- Michael Foley
- Cynthia Gauthier
- Rosemary Gold
- Deborah Hanson
- Ellen Hertzmark
- Michael Jackman
- Jason Jay
- Elizabeth Juliano
- Joseph Kameese
- Marie Kelly
- Mary Khoury
- Susan Kovatch
- Lily Krentzman
- Daria Laboutina
- Janet Long
- Leo MacNeil
- Robert Martin
- Judy McConarty
- Karen McConarty
- Michelle Melendy
- Eileen and Al Morgan-Sanders
- Ann Murphy
- Susan Murphy
- Jason Noodell
- Anthony O'Brien
- Mary Patten
- Elie Perrault
- David Powers
- Marilyn Preman
- Elaine Reiser
- Geraldine Rodgers
- Richard Rowe
- Al Sanders
- Roy Sanford
- Stephanie Santos
- Cheryl Showstack
- Laura Webb
- David Whiting

☀️ **Associates for Human Services**

assisted **151** families in the Brockton & Middleboro Early Intervention and Head Start programs to get **diapers, wipes, formula, disinfectant and groceries.**

☀️ **BAMSI**

Helpline responded to **urgent help calls** from residents who needed short term shelter, food assistance, diapers, cleaning products, rental assistance and personal hygiene products.

Dorn Davies Senior Center to distribute **food to seniors** in need.



☀️ **Beth Israel Deaconess Hospital- Plymouth**  
purchased needed PPE for their front line staff: **7,000** Isolation gowns, **5,000** Procedure masks, **1,250** Face shields and N95s.

☀️ **Boys & Girls Club of Marshfield**  
purchased **masks, gloves, and disinfectant** to keep the club clean



☀️ **Brockton Area Arc**

helped **31 families** out of work and are taking care of children and family members who are **developmentally or physical disabled**.

☀️ **Brockton Day Nursery**

**20 families with young children** received gift cards from local grocery stores so that their low income families with limited means could buy groceries and cleaning supplies





☀️ **Brockton Neighborhood Health Center** received funds to support COVID-19 vaccination program for residents of the Brockton Housing Authority. This effort will ensure that both older people, people with disabilities and people of diverse backgrounds will be able to be vaccinated.



☀️ **Brockton Salvation Army** received additional funding for **125 families** to receive **nutritious food boxes**.

☀️ **Cardinal Cushing Centers**

provided with sanitation supplies and personal protective equipment for staff as well as **100 students and adults with intellectual disabilities**.

☀️ **Catholic Charities South**

received **food resources** to meet the increased demand of more than **350 households** at the pantry.



☀️ **Cape Verdean Women United**  
received funding to purchase **grocery store gift cards** for families in need.

☀️ **The Charity Guild**  
received **food assistance and personal care items** for individuals and families.



COVID-19 Response Fund Impact







☀ **Family & Community Resources**

received **grocery store gift cards** that were distributed to **20** families in need to access items such as food, baby formula, and cleaning supplies.

☀ **Father Bill's & MainSpring**

**130 homeless neighbors** each night were supplied with personal protective equipment, cleaning products, personal care and hygiene products.

☀️ **New England Village**

purchased **personal protective equipment** for individuals served.

☀️ **Old Colony YMCA**

provided **50** individuals with **30 days of food**.





☀️ **Plymouth Salvation Army**

helped families experiencing food insecurity with **bagged lunches and bus passes** for those in need of transportation.

☀️ **Quincy College Plymouth Campus**

purchased **grocery store gift cards** for **40 vulnerable students** who have lost their jobs, are single parents, veterans and/or students with disabilities.

☀ **Road to Responsibility**

provided **sanitation and medical supplies** for **18** residential homes serving **77** individuals with **development and cognitive disabilities**.

☀ **School on Wheels**

provided **school supplies** to complete fully stocked, grade level backpacks to be distributed to **children facing homelessness**.



COVID-19 Response Fund Impact



☀️ **Signature Healthcare**

purchased **Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)** to help meet the extraordinary need during this crisis.

☀️ **The Arc of Plymouth & Upper Cape**

purchased needed **grocery store gift cards** for families experiencing **food insecurity**.



COVID-19 Response Fund Impact



We have moved  
beyond emergency  
response in order to  
help our community  
**Reimagine, Rebuild,  
& Recover.**

Please support our  
**LIVE UNITED COVID-  
19 Community  
Recovery Fund!**



# LIVE UNITED Recovery Initiatives

*Reimagine, Rebuild, & Recover*

## ☀ Feeding Our Families

- ☀ Preventing Evictions & Ending Homelessness
- ☀ Accessing Affordable Health Services
- ☀ Returning to Learning for Our Children & Youth
- ☀ Aspiring to Hire for Our Recently Unemployed
- ☀ Diversity, Equity & Inclusion

**UNITED, WE RECOVER**



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