



About Us

United Way of Wayne County's mission is to unite people and resources to improve lives and strengthen our community. For over 100 years, we have been committed to addressing the most pressing needs in our community and partnering with local agencies, businesses, and individuals to find solutions that create lasting change.

Starting in 2025, United Way of Wayne County embarked on a powerful new journey, one that places financial stability at the heart of our mission. Our Bold Goal is to empower 12,000 Wayne County residents to break through barriers and achieve lasting financial stability by 2035. Together, we're building a stronger, more resilient community, one life, one family, one future at a time.



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**YOUR CONTRIBUTION
SUPPORTS VITAL
PROGRAMS IN OUR
COMMUNITY**



ALICE IS YOUR NEIGHBOR

How does it feel to work three jobs but still not make enough to afford basic household necessities? Ask ALICE.

Learn more about the **Asset Limited, Income Constrained, Employed** United Way initiative at unitedwaync.org/who-alice

UNITED WAY OF WAYNE COUNTY'S PROGRAMS

United Community Assistance Network Program (U-CAN)

The U-CAN Program supports resources and referrals for individuals and families facing personal and/or economic challenges. An interview process is required to determine eligibility, if a connection to all available resources has been made, or if an identified gap in services is needed. Assistance is limited to one time per year per individual/household

Recovery Voucher Program

The Recovery Voucher Program assists individuals and families in their recovery/transition from natural disasters or personal crises like domestic violence, eviction, and re-entry by providing a voucher to use in the following thrift stores: Habitat ReStore, InJoy, Cry Freedom Missions Thrift Shoppe, and Salvation Army Family Store. United Way of Wayne County will issue vouchers to eligible recipients for use at participating thrift stores in Wayne County, where quality clothing, furniture, home supplies, and building materials may be purchased at affordable prices.

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NC 211 is here to help connect people with all health and human service resources in Wayne County

Resources obtained when dialing 2-1-1:

- Housing
- Food
- Healthcare
- Utilities
- Disaster Assistance
- Caregiving
- And more

North Carolinians can find help by dialing 2-1-1 (or 1-888-892-1162) or by visiting nc211.org

