

United We Thrive

United Way of Greater Cincinnati: City Partnership Update

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**We fight for the economic well-being of all people in
Greater Cincinnati so our entire Community can thrive
– now and in the future.**



Cincinnati City Council

- Created the fund
- Sets funding priorities
- Makes final funding determination



Human Services Advisory Council

- Reviews proposals
- Makes funding recommendations to City Council
- Makes recommendations on other human services related processes
- Monitors programs
- Program promotion



United Way of Greater Cincinnati

- Runs proposal process
- Facilitates and staffs HSAC
- Subcontracts with selected grantees and disburses funding
- Monitors programs
- Administers reporting
- Program promotion
- **Facilitates learning and technical assistance**
- **Synthesizes insights and data to inform city priorities**



Human Services Fund Grantees

- Provide services to City of Cincinnati residents aligned to priority areas
- Submit required reporting of applicable documentation (expenses, demographics of residents assisted, outcome measurement, etc.)
- **Share insights to inform city priorities**



211: A Pulse on Community Need

- 55,000 requests for help
- 98,000+ referrals
- Distribution of direct financial assistance
- Piloting closed loop referrals & resident feedback survey

211 maintains a comprehensive database of community resources and provides information and referrals for essential needs like:



211 also can connect people with information and referrals for:

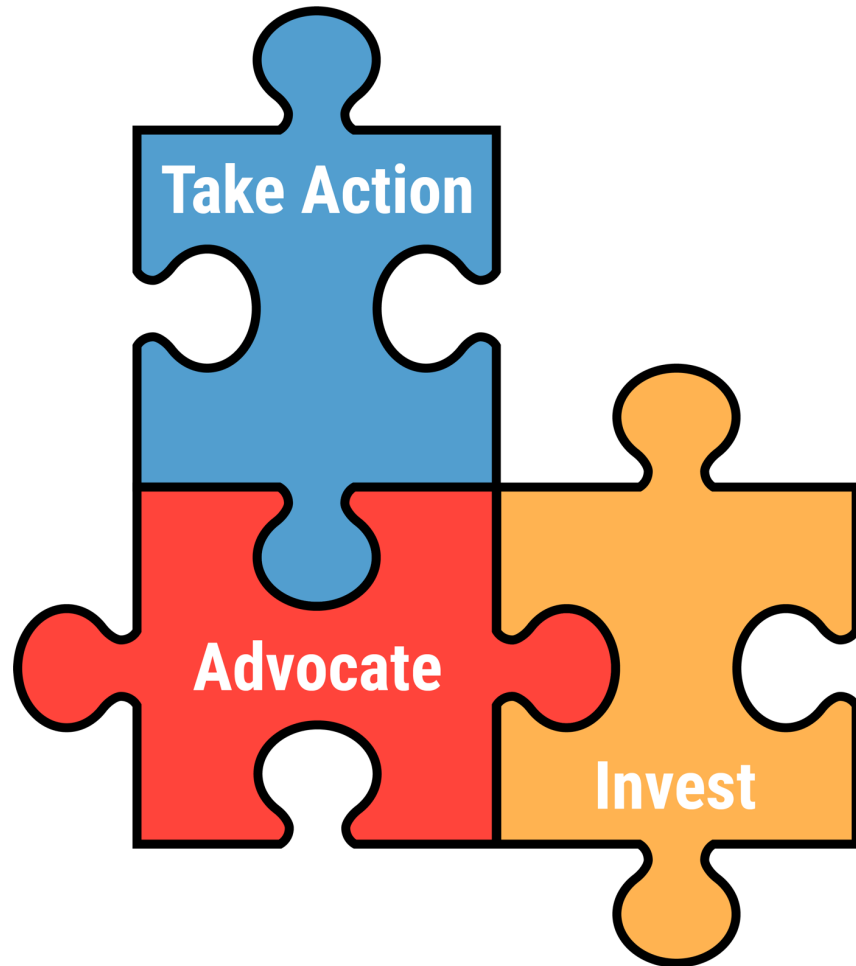
988 provides crisis support for:

- Thoughts of Suicide
- Mental Health Crisis
- Substance Use Crisis
- Emotional Distress



911 provides first responder dispatch for:

- Medical Emergency
- Fire
- Reporting a Crime
- Disaster Response
- Life Threatening Situation



We can't do this work alone.

We **TAKE ACTION**, **ADVOCATE** and **INVEST** to accelerate positive, community-wide change across a range of issues critical to our community's progress, including educational success, financial empowerment and housing security.



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