



Students of Boys and Girls Club



United Way of South Texas
Serving Hidalgo and Starr Counties

\$2/WK.
will provide 10 children annual memberships at youth programs that offer educational, leadership, and sports activities.

\$5/WK.
will provide 7 abused children (ages 2-19) forensic interviews, mental health counseling and physical exams by a S.A.N.E. nurse.

\$10/WK.
will provide emergency shelter for approximately six individuals for one month.

2019 - 2020 Partner Agencies

American Red Cross

Provides disaster relief assistance, 24 hour emergency communications, and lifesaving training in First Aid, CPR, swimming, Life guarding and HIV/AIDS education. **(956)423-0523**

Aurora House Foundation

Provides end-of-life care to any person with a prognosis of 3 months or less to live. Includes: 24/7 day comfort care and doctor ordered medications. **(956)973-9690**

Boy Scouts of America, Rio Grande Council

Provides members with the opportunity to learn new skills in the outdoors, experience the responsibility of youth leadership, participate in community service and develop self-respect. **(956)423-0250**

Boys & Girls Clubs of Edinburg

Serving youth ages 6-18 years old; helps youth develop skills to become productive citizens. **(956)383-2582**

Boys & Girls Club of McAllen

Dedicated to promoting the health, physical, social, educational, cultural, character and leadership development of youth. **(956)682-5791**

Boys & Girls Club of Mission

Enables all young people, especially those most in need, to reach their full potential as productive, caring responsible citizens. **(956)585-3606**

Boys & Girls Club of Pharr/San Juan

*Programs offered save lives each day by instilling positive life lessons to youth and teens including healthy lifestyles, career and educational goals, and leadership skills. **(956)781-5437**

CASA of Hidalgo County

Advocates for the best interest of children in state custody. Provides quality volunteer representation; seeks a safe, stable and permanent home for children. **(956)381-0346**

Children's Advocacy Center

A safe place where law enforcement, prosecutors and CPS case workers can investigate child abuse without subjecting young victims, ages 2-17, to repeated interviews and re-victimization. **(956)287-9754**

Community Council of the RGV "211"

Provides community with trusted, accurate, reliable information related to health and human services 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. **"211"**

Green Path Financial Wellness (Formerly Consumer Credit Counseling)

Free budget/debt/housing counseling, debt management program, consumer education and information, debt crisis assistance. Telephone counseling available. **(956)428-0072**

List of agencies continued on back.

Girl Scouts of Greater South Texas

Girl Scouting builds girls of courage, confidence and character who make the world a better place. **(800)477-2688**

Goodwill Industries of South Texas

Provides job training to people with disabilities or other barriers to employment to help them obtain and retain a job in the community. **(956)383-0023**

Hidalgo Youth Center

Provides youth of Hidalgo and surrounding areas an opportunity to enhance confidence, strengthen social/communicative skills, develop positive awareness, acquire knowledge and maintain civic pride. **(956)843-9762**

Mercedes Recreation Center

Serves youth ages 6-18 by providing programs in education, citizenship, job readiness, leadership development, physical recreation, computer skills and cultural events. **(956)565-3033**

Palmer Drug Abuse Program

*Provides free, confidential counseling, support groups and supervised activities to youth, young adults and their families affected by the abuse of alcohol or other drugs. **(956)687-7714**

Serving Children & Adults in Need (SCAN)

Provides substance abuse prevention, intervention, residential and outpatient treatment services and intervention services for at-risk youth and pregnant or postpartum women. **(956)716-1795**

Silver Ribbon Community Partners

*Provides crisis resolution interventions to the abused, neglected and exploited elderly and disabled by providing assistance with shelter, utilities, medical supplies, education, awareness and support. **(956)664-4892**

Starr Co. Victims of Domestic Violence

Addresses community awareness of domestic violence through information/referral, counseling, legal assistance, victim advocacy and court accompaniment. **(956)716-4800 Ext. 8629**

Su Casa De Esperanza

Early Childhood Development Parenting Program in Pharr and Progreso, Texas. Includes Prenatal Education, Infant Stimulation, Toddler Preschool, Parent Training and Summer Youth Services. **(956)781-0276**

The Salvation Army

Provides emergency shelter, food, clothing/transportation vouchers, ESL/Life Skills Classes/Youth programs, rent assistance, winter coats, fans, and referrals to Hidalgo County residents. **(956)682-1468**

Women Together Foundation

Provides shelter, 24-hour crisis hotline, and in-person counseling for victims of domestic violence and sexual assault. Last year we served over 3,862 victims. **(956)630-4878**

***Partner Agencies also receiving Community Impact Grants (CIG).**

Community Impact Grants (CIG) **(956) 686-6331**

Back to School "In Style" Shopping Spree

Offers school attire for disadvantaged students who are identified by school counselors. School Districts are rotated and students must be in Jr. High.

Day of Caring

Mobilizes hundreds of volunteers to package school supplies for 3,300 9th graders. Counselors distribute supplies to eligible students.

United Way invests in programs administered by partner agencies listed. The Board of Directors determines the recipients annually.

Education Council

Provides mentor and educational tools to young adults enrolled in "drop-out recovery" programs. Their goal is to enroll in a higher education institute and improve their employment opportunities.

Latina Hope

Entrepreneurship opportunities for low-income women. Participants must attend training sessions to prepare business plans.

Starr County Special Grants

1) City of Roma (2) Roma ISD (3) Food pantries at Pct.1, Pct.2, Pct.3, and Pct.4 (4) City of Rio Grande (5) Starr County Victims of Domestic Violence.

Transportation Vouchers

Free vouchers made available to those without a vehicle needing to access services in three areas: medical, job training/employment, and support services.

VITA **(Volunteer Income Tax Assistance)**

IRS trained Volunteers, provide free Tax preparation services for individuals who earn \$60,000 a year or less.

City of Palmview **Parks & Rec. Learning Center**

Assist children in improving their academic performance, increasing self-awareness, and understand the importance of living responsible and healthy lives. **(956)580-8760**

Comfort House

Provide high quality palliative end of life care to individuals that have a terminal illness and prognosis of four months or less to live. **(956)687-7367**



United Way of South Texas

OUR MISSION is to improve lives by mobilizing the caring power of our community to advance the common good.