

FFY 2020 FACTSHEET



Utah Community Action™
Committed to Ending Poverty

FFY 2020 (October 1, 2019 - September 30, 2020)

ABOUT UCA

Established in 1965, Utah Community Action is one of the largest nonprofit agencies dedicated to fighting poverty and its causes in the state of Utah.



Utah Community Action provides services to over **60,887 income-eligible individuals** through six core programs.

Client Demographics:



30%

LACK HEALTH
INSURANCE



31%

LACK HIGH SCHOOL
DIPLOMA



39%

CHILDREN



18%

PEOPLE WITH
DISABILITIES



11%

SENIORS

Testimonial

**Paola Leao,
UCA Client**

"Utah Community Action came into my life at a critical moment. It gave me a safe space, practical help, a sense of community and belonging, and encouragement. I am truly so grateful, and I know I can never repay what was done for me, but look forward to the day I can pay it forward."

Paola was able to access the Head Start, Case Management & Housing, and HEAT programs and has moved into her first apartment with her daughter.

Funding Sources

(In millions)

In addition to \$31.78 million in federal funds, UCA generated **\$7.21 million** from non-federal sources.

\$2.46	State/Local
\$1.36	Public Support
\$1.46	In-kind
\$0.73	Program Income
\$1.20	Other income

\$7.21 million Non-Federal



FFY 2020 (October 1, 2019 - September 30, 2020)

UCA PERFORMANCE OUTCOMES

Utah Community Action's mission is to empower individuals, strengthen families, and build communities through self-reliance and education programs.

Outcomes Include:

Adult Education

210

Income-eligible clients who participated in English as a Second Language classes, vocational training, financial literacy education (facilitated through LSI and AAA), or other educational opportunities to decrease barriers to employment and increase wage-earning potential.

Case Management & Housing

9,849

Clients improved housing security with **7,240** receiving case management services including rent and deposit assistance, and **601** receiving landlord/tenant mediation services. Additionally, **2,008** clients experiencing homelessness were served with **944** diverted from emergency shelters to safer and more stable housing situations.

Head Start

2,982

Children served by Head Start & Early Start, including **33%** dual language learners, with **90%** achieving age-appropriate school readiness, consisting of language and literacy, mathematics, socio-emotional, and physical development gains.

HEAT

31,199

Individuals received increased financial security and budgeting through assistance with over **\$9.8 million** in utility bill payments along with energy efficiency education.

Nutrition

723,703

Meals served by our Central Kitchen and Senior Cafes and **14,579** emergency food boxes distributed to clients through our Food & Resource Centers.

Weatherization

770

Individuals reduced energy costs and increased comfort and safety in their homes through cost-effective energy-efficient improvements and energy education.