



## Your Dollars at Work

*Poverty is complicated, but we can tackle it by working together. Every dollar matters for United Way to invest in strategies to break the cycle of poverty in Snohomish County. Any contribution, big or small, has the potential for tremendous impact in a person's life.*

Join Us to break the cycle of poverty.

Your gift will help us do the work that matters:

- Fund **56** community programs serving **88,134** program participants and answering **42,157** 2-1-1 calls from people seeking necessary community services.
- Feed **56,830** individuals at a local food bank so they don't go hungry.
- Serve **3,800** people through United Way's Free Tax Prep program so they can use **\$6 million** in income tax refunds to become more financially stable and take better care of their families.
- Connect nearly **1,000** homeless individuals to services through Project Homeless Connect.

### What happens when you give?

A few dollars a week for **a full year** can have a lasting impact in our community.

#### **\$5/week for a year:**

- Provide healthy and nutritious food to 254 low-income individuals experiencing hunger.
- Help 20 young, low-income children be prepared for kindergarten.
- Help 16 low-income households live in a safe home environment.

#### **\$10/week for a year:**

- Provide daytime shelter and case management for 13 homeless teens.
- Help 20 low-income youth and adults have the education and work skills needed to increase income.
- Provide 7 low-income youth the tools they need for school success.

#### **\$20/week for a year:**

- Help 15 low-income families retain safe and stable housing.
- Provide 22 homeless individuals with access to shelter.
- Engage 70 low-income parents in supporting their child's healthy development and educational success.

### Investing your dollars

For the price of some common daily purchases, you could make a difference in the life of someone in need.

- **One latte (\$5)** would provide 5 food insecure people access to nutritious meals.
- **One month Netflix subscription (\$10)** would provide 5 people access to the services they need.
- **Two movie tickets (\$20)** would help 1 homeless person find permanent housing.