Creating Impact at Every Level

United Way’s Community Impact Fund invests in 80 local program partners aimed at addressing the most pressing challenges in our community. Every Community Impact Fund donation will support critical programs and address complex social challenges to improve Health, Education and Economic Mobility for people throughout our local community. See how your gift can help build a stronger, greater Rochester for all.

$1 a week
Round-trip transportation service for local older adults
Help a local older adult take two round-trip outings to get safely to medical appointments, grocery shopping, social events and more.

$2 a week
After-school fun—and learning!—for local kids
Give a local child one week of after-school learning—disguised as fun! Kids enjoy science projects, book clubs, healthy meals and snacks, community service and fitness activities.

$5 a week
Nutritious meals for local homebound older adults
Provide 40 meals delivered right to the door of local older adults and people with disabilities. Meal deliveries come with warm greetings and a friendly check-in to help people stay safe and independent in their own homes.

$10 a week
Mentoring for local teens
Give four months of mentoring for local pre-teens and teenagers to support academic excellence, positive relationships and success later in life.

$20 a week
Food for hungry families
Give 3,000 meals to individuals and families who don’t have enough to eat at home.

Therapy sessions for new moms
Provide two in-home, evidence-based therapy sessions to address and overcome maternal depression, helping to create a more positive, nurturing environment for their babies.

Help with income tax prep
Help three families with income tax preparation assistance to claim earned income tax credits, as well as, access to bank accounts, help understanding credit reports and connecting to credit repair services to work toward financial stability.

Shelter to a family suffering with domestic violence challenges
Give a family of three a safe place to stay for five days, free from violence and abuse. Shelter programs provide counseling and relocation services to help vulnerable families.

Evidence-based therapy sessions for local children
Give 20 weeks of evidence-based therapy to help kids and their parents or caregivers go through the healing process by addressing and learning strategies to cope with traumatic experiences.

Credit counseling for low-income people
Give two people support with professional, one-on-one financial counseling focused on achieving financial goals, building wealth and improving economic mobility.