

Make lasting change in our community
Become a United Way
Community Investment Volunteer

One of several powerful ways United Way invests in our community is through the Community Impact Fund. The Community Impact Fund (CIF) is composed of gifts from donors who designate their contribution to invest in issues that have been identified as critical needs in our community.

United Way relies on diverse, dedicated volunteers who lend their time and talents to our Community Investment process and guide the sound investment of funds entrusted to us. Volunteers provide insight and oversight to ensure that programs deliver results.

You are invited to join the ranks of more than 200 volunteers who represent all perspectives of our community and commit time and energy to reviewing the effective use of funds for Agency Partners. United Way is currently looking for volunteers who are interested in the well-being of our community, able to make unbiased investment decisions and are willing to commit to approximately 35 hours over three months.

Community Investment Volunteers are trained volunteers that support United Way in a collaborative effort in deciding how our donor contributions make the biggest impact, so that we can continue improving our community and ensure that grants are awarded to programs that are in line with United Way priorities for the upcoming year. United Way's strategic plan is aimed at addressing four broad social challenges – education, income, health and homelessness and six specific community goals:

- Babies are born healthy
- Children enter school ready to learn and graduate prepared for careers
- Young people avoid risky behaviors
- Families are self-sufficient
- People have access to primary health care
- Homeless people are housed within one year

Invest in our community, be a partner and...

- Get hands-on experience by visiting and evaluating local nonprofits applying for grants
- Expand your network by meeting other volunteers, learning about community issues and hearing from people working on the ground to create community change
- See first-hand how your United Way contribution is improving lives
- Give just a few hours of your time to make a difference in hundreds of lives

To sign up, go to the Community Impact Fund page on the United Way web site. (www.unitedwayatlanta.org, click on "Our Work" then "Community Impact Fund")

If you have questions please email INVolunteers@unitedwayatlanta.org