

WHAT DOES IS MEAN TO LIVE UNITED™ ?

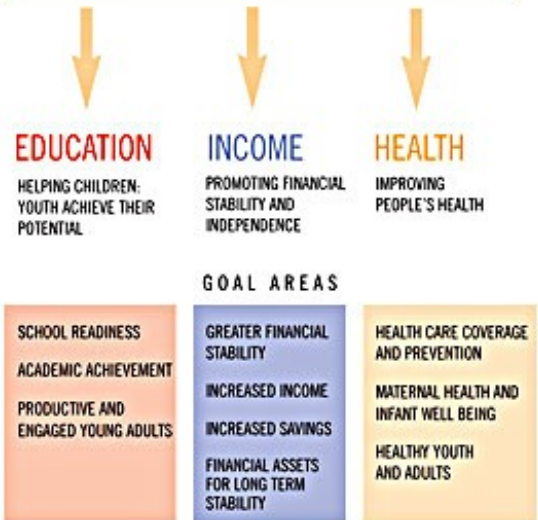
North Penn United Way is working to advance the common good by focusing on education, income and health. These are the building blocs for a good life— A quality education that leads to a stable job, enough income to support a family through retirement and good health.

Our goal is to mobilize the caring power of the greater North Penn and Indian Valley communities to create long-lasting changes that prevent problems from happening in the first place.

Our Vision for the North Penn and Indian Valley communities is bold: Help establish a community where all residents in need have the opportunity to achieve a vibrant and healthy quality of life.

We invite you to be part of the change. Together, united, we can inspire hope and create opportunities for a better tomorrow.

CREATING THE OPPORTUNITIES FOR A GOOD LIFE FOR ALL BY FOCUSING ON:



HOW CAN YOU LIVE UNITED™?

GIVE.

Investing in North Penn United Way can help make an impact on the current needs in our community. You can rely on a panel of community members to make sure your gift is invested in local programs that support childhood education, strengthen families, and promote health and financial independence.

VOLUNTEER.

Help contribute to the overall well-being of your community by volunteering. Reach out a hand to one and influence the condition of all. Give the gift of you.

ADVOCATE.

Speak out to improve education, income and health in your community. Champion for the cause, show your support and reach out to congress.

ANNUAL FUNDRAISING CAMPAIGN

North Penn United Way raises money to fund programs for 28 agencies that directly impact the people in the North Penn and Indian Valley Communities.

It takes the whole community working together to reach our goals in the areas of education, income and health. Our annual fundraising campaign brings together people from all across the community — people from government, business, faith groups, non-profits, and ordinary citizens. If it requires fundraising, going to town hall or just getting people to work together, that's what we do.

One out of every three North Penn and Indian Valley residents will use the services of a United Way-funded agency at least once in his or her lifetime. We encourage all community members to give, volunteer, advocate.



North Penn United Way

Mobilizing The Caring Power Of The Greater North Penn And Indian Valley Communities



COMMUNITY IMPACT

North Penn United Way strategically builds relationships with diverse partners to improve community conditions and advance the common good. As the heart of the community, NPUW matches resources with needs through the community impact model and community solutions teams.

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION INITIATIVE

- Pennsylvania early childhood education programs have shown strong positive results for our youth but only four in 10 young children have access to publicly-funded quality programs
- At-risk children who miss this window of opportunity to participate in quality early learning programs are 44% less likely to graduate high school, more likely to require special education and public assistance, and more likely to engage in crime



FINANCIAL STABILITY

- Through the VITA Program, the North Penn United Way offers free income tax preparation, financial literacy training and budget counseling to qualified individuals and families to help provide income assistance through programs that stabilize and support them financially

PERScription DRUG SAVINGS PROGRAM

- This is a free resource from the FamilyWize community service partnership. North Penn United Way works with FamilyWize to reduce the cost of medication for children, families and individuals by \$1 billion by 2020
- Prescription drug discount cards are distributed to families and individuals to present at participating drug stores for a discount of 30% or more on their prescriptions



EVENTS

5K Run for Your Neighbor

- An annual 5K and Family Fun Run that raises awareness for the North Penn United Way

National Day of Action

- United Ways across the country mobilize volunteers to LIVE UNITED™ on the longest day of the year— June 21

Day of Caring

- An annual event where the North Penn United Way connects volunteers with local groups who need help with special community based projects

Gift of Warmth

- A program that raises funds to provide heat to families in need during the winter months

Stuff the Bus

- An annual event to collect school supplies for elementary aged students in need in the community

VITA— Volunteer Income Tax Assistance Program

- An IRS sponsored program that trains and certifies volunteers to provide free tax preparation for low to middle income individuals and families
- North Penn United Way and partners provide clients with tools to get them on their way to financial stability