



Albertha Taylor's home was repaired thanks to United Way, Home Works, and volunteers like these.

**"I APPRECIATE EVERYTHING HOME WORKS HAS DONE FOR ME, AND I KNOW THEY CAN DO IT FOR WHOEVER ELSE NEEDS SOME HELP, TOO." – ALBERTHA TAYLOR**

By supporting community partners like Home Works of America, we're making housing affordable and secure for everyone here in the Midlands.

Last year, Home Works stepped in to help area resident Albertha Taylor when her family home fell into disrepair.

"Her living room ceiling was falling apart, and the living conditions were unsafe," Home Works Executive Director Joe Huggins says.

Home Works replaced the leaky roof, and restored hope for Taylor, who wanted to protect the home built by her uncles. "I appreciate everything Home Works has done for me, and I know they can do it for whoever else needs help, too," she says.

**SCAN THE QR CODE TO HEAR MORE ABOUT ALBERTHA'S STORY**



**GUARANTEE GOOD.**

**DONATE TODAY.**



United Way of the Midlands



**CHANGE STARTS WITH UNITED WAY.**

We all want to live in a safe, thriving community where people look out for each other, children succeed in school and adults keep good, steady jobs.

With your help, United Way is making all this possible. Together, we're breaking cycles of crisis, and empowering Midlands residents to pursue their own paths to success.

Push our community forward. Support our work with a donation.

Your gift supports more than one cause. It fuels a range of organizations and initiatives making a meaningful difference in our community, for our community.

Guarantee positive change in the Midlands—change that benefits us, and all the generations to come. Guarantee good by donating to United Way.



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**CHARITY NAVIGATOR**  
Four Star Charity

The highest rating from the most trusted charity evaluator. Money raised here, stays here.

**OUR MISSION?**

**Unite people and resources to improve the quality of life in the Midlands.**

**HOW DO WE DO IT?**

By forging lasting partnerships, mobilizing the right resources and inspiring individuals to join us to create generational change.

**26,000+**  
**People served in 2022**

**50,000+**  
**Volunteer hours donated in 2022**

**Guarantee change. Guarantee good. Donate or volunteer today!**

# OUR 2022 IMPACT

4,809

Patient visits provided by United Way's WellPartners Dental and Eye Clinics

694

People were provided emergency shelter or motel vouchers

3,219

Students were supported through United Way programs during and after school

2,652

Patients were provided access to services at local free medical clinics

760

People were placed in housing through UWM-supported programs

95%

of students in United Way programs progressed (on time) to the next grades

65%

of families who sought emergency shelter at UWM-supported family shelters were placed in permanent housing

81%

of children at UWM-funded childcare centers met or exceeded developmental milestones in cognitive, social and emotional development

1,183

People increased their income through new benefits, including employment

## CONNECT

Encourage your employees to get involved with their donation. Urge them to volunteer, join an engagement network or deepen their investment in some other way.



**Legacy Society** Members are generous donors who have included United Way of the Midlands in their will or estate plan.



**The Palmetto Society** recognizes donors who exhibit dedication to improve the quality of life for all our neighbors by contributing at least \$1,000 annually to United Way.



**Tocqueville Society** members are philanthropic leaders who give \$10,000 or more annually because of their compassion for addressing our community's most pressing needs and their commitment to improving lives in our community.



Through leadership, networking, advocacy and volunteering, **Women in Philanthropy (WIP)** investors work to improve the lives of women and children in the Midlands.



**The Young Leaders Society (YLS)** provides donors ages 21-40 with year-round opportunities for networking, volunteering and professional



**Our Volunteer Center** brings people together to strengthen our community. Your employees can choose projects based on areas of interest at times that are convenient for them. Ideal for companies, individuals and families.

### FOR EMPLOYERS/GROUPS

Contact Becky Morrison at [bmorrison@uway.org](mailto:bmorrison@uway.org) or 803.733.5419 to set up a personalized opportunity that best aligns your company's goals with the needs of local nonprofits.

### FOR VOLUNTEERS AT OR NEAR RETIREMENT

Always United offers individual and group opportunities with a focus on leveraging your unique skills in meaningful ways with United Way and our partner agencies.

### FOR INDIVIDUALS

Visit [uway.org/volunteer](http://uway.org/volunteer) to find a volunteer need that sparks your interest.