

2024 Community Partner Programs by Focus Area

Health

Access to Healthcare, Mental Health, Prevention/Treatment Programs

Compassion Counseling

Mental Health and Recovery

Provides low-cost office-based or telehealth-based counseling to children, adults, seniors, couples, and families

The Florence Crittenton Agency

Crittenton Youth Services

Provides intensive residential treatment to female teenagers in state custody who are in crisis and suffer from the long-lasting residual effects of significant trauma

McNabb Center

Adolescent Residential Treatment

Provides residential treatment to adolescents who need intensive rehabilitation for substance abuse and/or mental health needs

Adult and Family Centered Recovery Services

Provides unique and specialized evidence-based substance abuse treatment for adults and families

Mental Health Care for Uninsured

Provides mental health care to underinsured or uninsured adults and children in our community

Opioid and Co-Occurring Outpatient Recovery

Provides outpatient detoxification, evidence-based psychotherapy, and wrap-around recovery services for adults diagnosed with a substance use/opioid use disorder

McNabb CenterSexual Assault Center of East Tennessee - Advocacy

Provides victims of sexual assault 24/7 access to advocates who answer the crisis hotline and provide immediate and ongoing support for clients

New Hope Blount County Children's Advocacy CenterTherapy Program

Provides no-cost regular therapy and supportive services for children who have experienced abuse or are experiencing symptoms related to a specific trauma

Stewards of Children

Provides an evidence-informed prevention program designed to educate adults on how to recognize, respond to, and prevent child sexual abuse

Trinity Health Ministries, Inc.Trinity Dental Clinic

Provides dental services including comprehensive oral exams, cancer screenings, radiographs, dental cleanings, extractions, and dentures to those who are uninsured or underinsured

True Purpose MinistriesTrue Purpose

Provides adults with 12–24-month intensive residential services, including mental health care and vocational rehabilitation for those who struggle with substance abuse

Education

Children and Youth Success, Job Skills/Adult Education

Big Brothers Big Sisters of East Tennessee

One-to-One Mentoring

Makes meaningful one-to-one mentoring relationship matches between adults and children to build strong, close relationships – friends to guide, protect, and inspire marginalized and vulnerable youth to reach their full potential

Boys and Girls Club of Blount County

Education and Literacy

Provides homework help, tutoring, and educational enrichment activities to enable youth to achieve academic success in core subject areas, progress to the next grade, and graduate from high school on time with a vision and plan for post-secondary education and a high wage job or career

Prevention and Health

Provides healthy lifestyle education and experiences after-school to teach youth healthy habits

CASA of the Tennessee Heartland

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Provides a court-appointed special advocate to ensure a child's safety and a healthy transition through the justice system on their protective services journey

Great Smoky Mountain Council, Boy Scouts of America

ScoutReach

Provide an educational experience through hands-on STEM activities, games, projects, skits, songs, outdoor activities, and trips for children in financially struggling families

Little Tennessee Valley Educational Cooperative - Birth to Three

Home-Based Early Intervention

Partners with families of children under three with developmental delays to help their children reach their full potential

Maryville Kiwanis Foundation - Imagination Library

Imagination Library

Provides a monthly book to children birth to five-years-old to improve reading readiness and foster a love of reading

Self-Sufficiency

Basic Needs, Crisis & Disaster Assistance, Housing Support, Transportation

A Place to Stay

Community Outreach

Assists people experiencing homelessness and housing insecurity achieve self-sufficiency and stable housing by providing outreach, information, assessment, coaching, referrals, and follow-up services

Blount County Community Action Agency

Smoky Mountain Meals on Wheels

Prepares nutritious, homemade meals and companionship to the homebound and food insecure senior population

Blount County Habitat for Humanity

Home Repair Program

Assesses low-income, elderly, and disabled homeowners' homes for safety, health, or mobility repairs and/or modifications and completes the appropriate repairs to allow them to live safely in their own homes for longer

Boys & Girls Club of Blount County

Child Food

Provides nutritious after-school snacks and warm, healthy dinners to ensure Club members' health and well-being

East Tennessee Kidney Foundation

Dianne Hagey Dialysis Transportation

Provides funds to clients to pay for their transportation costs to and from dialysis treatments

Family Promise of Blount County

Emergency Shelter

Provides shelter for families experiencing homelessness and helps families identify and reach goals so that they can return to permanent housing and remain successfully stable

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Transitional Housing

Provides transitional shelter and intensive case management to help families develop life skills and financial savings that will allow them to obtain and maintain permanent housing

Going Home, Staying Home

Provides financial assistance and case management, along with outings and educational opportunities to families who were formerly homeless and have found permanent housing

Gate - Gateway to Independence

The Gate Day Program

Provides adults with developmental or intellectual disabilities socialization and skill development in a safe and nurturing environment free from bias

Girls Inc. of TN Valley

Girls Inc. Outreach After School

Provides the highest-need girls education and experiences in areas such as STEM, economics, media awareness, healthy mind and body, and positive self-esteem building

Good Neighbors of Blount County

Emergency Assistance

Provides financial assistance and coaching for households that are facing eviction or utility disconnection

Secure Utility and Rent Entry Deposit Program

Provides assistance for neighbors with rental or utility deposits that are barriers to safe and secure housing

Haven House, Inc.

Crisis Hotline

Provides a 24-hour, confidential hotline open to any callers seeking information about safety planning, emergency shelter, or community resources regarding domestic violence

Emergency Shelter

Provides emergency shelter for victims of domestic violence and their children in addition to case management, support groups, transportation, and referrals to community providers

Legal Aid of East TennesseeCivil Legal Aid and Homeless Prevention

Provides civil legal services to at-risk community members, including victims of domestic violence and those improperly evicted

McNabb CenterFirm Foundations

Improves well-being by empowering participants to achieve safe and stable housing, financial stability through vocational and educational attainment, and life skills needed to become self-sufficient

Second Harvest Food Bank of East TennesseeFood Rescue

Gathers perishable foods which are still nutritious and edible from local grocery stores, restaurants, and food manufacturers and transports it to hunger-relief partner agencies

Senior Citizens Home Assistance Service, Inc.Homemaker Services

Provide daily living assistance to seniors to allow them to live independently in their own homes

Transportation

Provides seniors no-cost transportation and accompaniment to medical appointments