

A Day in the Life of Your United Way Investment



6 am An individual receives a ride from The Connector to his/her morning shift at a local packaging plant.

7 am Summer day camp counselors are preparing activities for campers with special needs.

8 am Children at local childcare centers are experiencing early language and literature education.

9 am The community health center begins treating low-income patients, allowing emergency rooms to focus on critical patients.



2 pm A single mother with a new infant receives in-home instruction from a trained parent educator on health issues, child development, and appropriate parenting techniques

3 pm Children participate in an after-school program rather than go home to an empty house.



4 pm A mentor meets with her assigned child to work on homework together.

5 pm A trained volunteer provides shopping and errand services for a home-bound senior.

6 pm A counseling session is beginning for a family with financial management issues to ensure them a better chance of succeeding in life.

7 pm Members of a young family, who recently lost their mother to cancer, are attending peer support groups to help with their grief.

8 pm Teens spending time at a youth center receive homework help, a nightly meal and talk to a trusted adult.

9 pm Aids Resource staff is providing HIV prevention education to a group of at-risk youth.

10 pm Individuals without homes are checking into a homeless shelter for an overnight stay.

11 pm A worker leaves his second shift job in his donated vehicle.

12 am A person with developmental disabilities receives care giving services at a Respite facility.

1 am A young wife is checking into a safe house to escape abuse.

2 am A disaster relief agency provides emergency assistance and temporary housing for a family who has lost their home to a fire.

3 am A medical advocate provides support in the hospital setting for a victim of sexual assault.

4 am An employee at a local manufacturing plant has an emergency and goes to a trained union counselor for help.

10 am A driver picks up a patient with kidney disease to drive her to a treatment center.

11 am Meals are delivered to seniors allowing them to live more independently.

Noon A young child receives mental health counseling at an elementary school through the School-Based Mental Health Access Project.

1 pm A new family in the community meets with an Hispanic outreach counselor for help finding English instruction.



5 am United Way 2-1-1 is taking calls from individuals needing information and referral to agencies.