YOU WILL TACKLE THE PROBLEMS MOST SHY AWAY FROM WHEN YOU GIVE TO UNITED WAY.

United Way of Pickens County makes the most of your gift, strengthening and unifying every effort and every dollar to create long-term change for a better life for everyone in our community.

LOCAL IMPACT
Your United Way gift stays local and helps your neighbors in need.

COLLABORATIVE
Your United Way gift brings partners together to tackle the tough issues that no single agency can solve on its own.

STRATEGIC
Your United Way gift is invested strategically in programs and initiatives which are proven to work, and which are held accountable by community volunteers who serve on Impact Councils.

COMMUNITY RESOURCES

Get Connected
Find local volunteer needs and opportunities through Get Connected. Learn more at www.uwpickens.org/volunteer

VITA United Way
Free Tax Preparation. Learn more at www.uwpickens.org/taxes

2-1-1
Dial 2-1-1 for 24/7 access to information on resources in your community.

familywise
Learn more about this prescription discount program at www.uwpickens.org/familywise

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WHEN YOU GIVE TO UNITED WAY, YOU HELP CHILDREN SUCCEED IN SCHOOL, FAMILIES BECOME FINANCIALLY STABLE, AND INDIVIDUALS MEET THEIR BASIC NEEDS.

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<td><strong>EDUCATION</strong></td>
<td>Levi is in 3rd grade, but he reads on a 1st grade level. Without intervention, he will not graduate from high school and will not be able to find a decent job.</td>
<td>70% of 3rd graders will be reading on grade level by 2025.</td>
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<td>55% of Pickens County 3rd graders are not reading at grade level</td>
<td><strong>COMMUNITY BASIC SERVICES</strong></td>
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<td>1,757 Pickens County children and their families are homeless</td>
<td>Alicia lost her childcare when her mother died. She then lost her job, and ultimately lost her home. Through it all, her priority was to make life stable for her two young children.</td>
<td>Jesse makes $9 per hour, but really needs to earn twice that much to make ends meet for his family of four.</td>
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<td><strong>Addressing the basic needs of individuals and families during times of crisis.</strong></td>
<td><strong>Ending the cycle of generational poverty by providing money management tools, coaching, and access to related social services.</strong></td>
<td><strong>Jesse gains job skills which help him find a higher paying job and meet his family's financial needs.</strong></td>
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