DID YOU KNOW? United Way of Broward County focuses on supporting the entire community as a whole by creating programs where there are gaps in services. Here is a snapshot of your dollars at work.

MISSION UNITED
MISSION UNITED has provided more than 10,000 veterans with supportive services to help them acclimate to civilian life.

Since the initiative’s inception, nearly 7,000 veterans have received pro bono legal assistance with family, consumer and housing issues, as well as VA benefits, estate planning, real estate transactional matters and more.

More than 3,000 homeless veteran families have been helped with housing since 2013.

FUNDING PARTNERS
United Way of Broward County supports more than 100 local agency programs throughout Broward County.

UNITED WAY OF BROWARD COUNTY FIGHTS FOR THE HEALTH, EDUCATION AND FINANCIAL STABILITY OF EVERY PERSON IN OUR COMMUNITY.
Since inception, the bulk purchasing distribution program has delivered more than 10.1 million pounds of fresh, nutritious food to over 25 local food banks.

United Way of Broward County’s ReadingPals program has more than 1,400 volunteers completing over 35,000 hours impacting more than 1,838 children. Since inception, more than 64,000 books were donated for students’ home libraries.

United Way of Broward County, the Greater Fort Lauderdale Alliance, the Broward Business Council on Homelessness, the City of Fort Lauderdale and Broward County collaborated to help residents of the downtown Fort Lauderdale encampment find homes and provided supportive services. Thanks to the United We End Homelessness Collaboration, 90% of those housed remain in their homes and are receiving services.

More than 250 law enforcement officers from 14 different agencies received training last year on how to provide a safe, effective and compassionate response to people experiencing mental health crises.

More than 12,000 middle and high school students participated in the Commission’s programs last year to promote a healthy lifestyle free of substance use.