

# United Way of West Florida's COMMUNITY INVESTMENT 2023-24



United Way  
of West Florida

No single agency can meet all of our community's needs. When you give to UWWF, your gift becomes a part of a collective effort that supports local programs and initiatives across Escambia and Santa Rosa counties.

## 2023-2024 GRANT RECIPIENTS

# \$469,465 INVESTED!

24 agencies were funded: 1 agency serves Santa Rosa County, 9 agencies serve Escambia County and 14 agencies serve both Escambia and Santa Rosa Counties

### EDUCATION AWARDS - \$134,500

#### Big Brothers Big Sisters of Northwest Florida

Beyond School Walls - \$10,000  
Serving Escambia County

#### Boys and Girls Clubs of the Emerald Coast Inc

Academic Success - \$28,000  
Serving Escambia and Santa Rosa counties

#### Central Gulf Coast CDF Freedom Schools

Harambee: Let's all pull together - \$15,000  
Serving Escambia County

#### Children's Home Society

Teenspace - \$15,000  
Serving Escambia County

#### Council on Aging of West Florida

Foster Grandparent Program - \$24,000  
Serving Escambia and Santa Rosa counties

#### Every Child a Reader in Escambia

Reading Pals - \$11,000  
Serving Escambia County

#### James B Washington Education and Sports, Inc.

Tutoring Towards Tomorrow's Dreams  
Academic Tutorial Program - \$9,000  
Serving Escambia County

#### PACE Center for Girls INC

Girls Earning Diplomas (GED) Program - \$8,000  
Serving Escambia and Santa Rosa counties

#### Young Mens Christian Association

Yreads - \$10,000  
Serving Escambia County

### HEALTH AWARDS - \$222,400

#### Bright Bridge Ministries

Hot Meals Program - \$40,000  
Serving Escambia County

#### Center for Independent Living of Northwest FL Inc

Equipment for Independence Program - \$10,000  
Serving Escambia and Santa Rosa counties

#### Embrace Florida Kids, a ministry of the United Methodist Children's Home

Family Preservation - \$7,500  
Serving Escambia and Santa Rosa counties

#### Epilepsy Alliance Florida Inc.

Epilepsy Services and Resource Center - \$10,000  
Serving Escambia and Santa Rosa counties

#### Health and Hope Clinic

Access to Care - \$40,000  
Serving Escambia and Santa Rosa counties

#### Manna Food Bank Incorporated

Healthy Seniors Food Program - \$9,000  
Serving Escambia County

#### Pensacola Habitat for Humanity Inc

Housing Plus Aging in Place - \$19,000  
Serving Escambia and Santa Rosa counties

#### Santa Rosa Kids House

Trauma Focused Therapy - \$32,000  
Serving Santa Rosa County

#### The Arc Gateway, Inc

Pearl Nelson Center Pediatric Therapy - \$32,400  
Serving Escambia and Santa Rosa counties

#### Valerie's House

No Child Grieves Alone - \$22,500  
Serving Escambia and Santa Rosa counties

### FINANCIAL STABILITY AWARDS - \$112,565.14

#### Catholic Charities of Northwest FL

Emergency Assistance Program - \$20,000  
Serving Escambia and Santa Rosa counties

#### Favorhouse of Northwest Florida Inc

Financial Stability Program for Domestic Violence Victims - \$16,065.14  
Serving Escambia and Santa Rosa counties

#### Feeding the Gulf Coast

Mobile Pantry Program - \$8,000  
Serving Escambia and Santa Rosa counties

#### Legal Services of North Florida Inc

Creating Independence and Connection for Disconnected Youth \$28,000  
Serving Escambia and Santa Rosa counties

#### Re-Entry Alliance Pensacola Inc

Re-Entry Portal - \$40,000  
Serving Escambia County

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