

UNITED WAY OF THE CAPITAL REGION WHAT WE CAN DO FOR YOU

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UNITED WAY AND LABOR

For more than 70 years, organized Labor and United Way of the Capital Region have worked together to improve the quality of life in Cumberland, Dauphin and Perry counties.

Our movement has a rich history and heritage: union members have served our community in times of natural disaster, financial hardship, illness, unemployment or other difficulties.

Additionally, community service workers and volunteers have provided direct assistance and support to such local organizations as United Way of the Capital Region, Salvation Army, Central PA Food Bank and other program partners.



RESOURCES TO HELP YOU AND YOUR FAMILY

Money In Your Pocket - Free Tax Preparation for Working Families

Money in Your Pocket (MIYP) is a collaboration of organizations lead by United Way. The program aims to increase use of the Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC) and the Child Tax Credit (CTC). Volunteers prepare electronic returns through the IRS's Volunteer Tax Income Assistance program, which is designed to provide low- to moderate-income working families with help completing federal and state returns.

Prescription Drug Discount Cards

The Familywise discount card helps those without prescription drug coverage by reducing the cost of prescriptions at participating pharmacies. More than 10,927 local residents have utilized the cards since 2006, saving them more than \$1,006,239.

Resource for Surviving Tough Economic Times

United Way's *Surviving Tough Economic Times and Unemployment Guide* includes a list of more than 100 local programs and services to help those in need. The guide also includes tips on dealing with creditors, managing a budget and coping with stress.

To access these resources electronically, visit United Way at www.uwcr.org/how-we-help/resources.

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