## Trinity Alliance of the Capital Region, Inc.



2023

# Annual Report

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The year 2023 was one of growth for Trinity Alliance of the Capital Region — in the needs of our community, the services we supply and our staff providing them.

#### Consider:

- Our food pantries served nearly 1,500 households and more than 3,600 people — including more than 1,500 children, youths and seniors.
- Our Mass Food Distributions served more than 4,600.
- Our period pantries distributed more than 21,000 pads and tampons.
- Winter Wonderland provided 783 children and youths and 246 households with holiday toys.
- Trinity Alliance clients collected nearly a halfmillion dollars combined in total IRS refunds thanks to our Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program.
- Winter coats were distributed to more than 300 people.
- SNUG (Should Never Use Guns) had more than 2,000 in-person contacts.
- Community Health Workers had more than 2,600 service contacts.

These are just some examples. Read on to learn more about Trinity Alliance, and our extraordinary year, by the numbers.







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Dancing With Our Elder

## **FOOD SECURITY**



97,239

Pounds of food/product delivered to our pantries by The Food Pantries of the Capital District

## **EMPLOYMENT**



Percentage of Homer Perkins clients who obtained full-time **SUPPORT** 



\$401,394

From 140 individual, corporate, and foundation donors

### **FAMILY**



Coats distributed to community members

### **COMMUNITY**



**2**50

At-home COVID tests distributed

### **COMMUNITY**

employment



71

IDs obtained for clients

### **FOOD SECURITY**



1,236

Bags of produce issued

## FINANCIAL SECURITY



\$497,442

Total refunds realized from returns filed through VITA tax prep program

## WELLNESS



2,692

Contacts by community health workers

### **FAMILY**



470

Total needs met by WAL

### **ANTI-VIOLENCE**



70

Mediations conducted to quell violence

### **COMMUNITY**



62

Children in afterschool and summer programs

## **SUPPORT**



100+

Trinity employees (first time in triple digits)

#### HEALTH



107

Obtained health insurance and/or linked to preventative healthcare by WALC

### **CHILDREN**



1,235

Children 0-17 served by our food pantries

2023

## Results That Matter



## WITH HELP FROM YOU...

People in the Capital Region are changing lives. Thank you, donors, volunteers, Board members and staff.





**Gained employment** through WALC

### **EDUCATION**



Families who received customized back-to-school supplies

\$787K

## **Revenue & Support**



**Government Contracts and Grants** \$5,100,689



**Contributions and Fundraising** \$786,507



**Participation Fees** \$204,818



**Food Stamp Revenue** \$26,565



Miscellaneous \$14,912

### **HOUSING**



196

Households served: Applications, landlord/ tenant, searches, aid

### **FOOD SECURITY**



### **FAMILY**



Received direct

### **COMMUNITY**



**Hours SNUG canvassed our** neighborhoods

### **HEALTH**



Total of pads and tampons

### **CHILDREN**



Children participating in holiday toy program

2023

The mission of Trinity Alliance is to provide services to our community that will support and promote healthy families, adults and children. Our agency is dedicated to improving our neighborhood as a setting for family life, contributing to health and well-being, and promoting education and employment as a means of self-development.

## **Empowering Families and Stabilizing Neighborhoods**



## 518 SNUG — Albany

20 Active participants

233 Hours canvassing neighborhoods

45 Mediations

1,096 In-person participant contacts

8 Community stakeholders

20 Community events

5 Hospital responses

35 Shooting victims seen

## 518 SNUG — Troy

15 Active participants

258 Hours canvassing neighborhoods

25 Mediations

984 In-person participants contacts

6 Community stakeholders

14 Community events

11 Hospital responses

22 Shooting victims seen

## Food Pantries — South End & Arbor Hill

3,833 services provided

1,057 toiletries services provided

4,614 served at Mass Food Distributions

## Homer Perkins Center — Substance Use Disorder Community Reintegration Residence

20 Beds to serve the homeless engaged in treatment

34 Graduated from outpatient substance abuse program

Slightly fewer than 1 in 6 treated for hypertension

1 day to 6 months ranges of stays for clients

## **Empowering Families and Stabilizing Neighborhoods**

## Helping Parents

- 126 Families attended community baby showers
- 30 Vendors were present between two events to distribute community resources

## ASCARE — Afterschool & Summer Programs — Arbor Hill & South End

- 39 Families regularly served (many single-parent families, allowing parents to retain employment)
- 62 School-age children participated in programs

## Jail Transition — Albany County Correctional Facility Program

- 53 Intakes since July 2023
- 19 Successful completions
- 5 Released participants

## Parent & Child Early Enrichment Program

- 52 Participants resulted in successful on-time entry into kindergarten
- 8 Children referred to Early Intervention or school district for an evaluation and special needs programming
- 2 Parents with mental health diagnoses
- 6 Referred to care management organizations
- 2 Parents with developmental disabilities
- 6 Referred to Head Start programs for pre-school services

## WALC (Wellness Advocates Linking Communities)



- 48 Food needs met (obtained SNAP/WIC benefits and/or linked to emergency food)
- 52 Achieved housing
- 10 Employment obtained
- 78 Transportation needs met
- 64 Benefits navigation
- 6 Linked to legal services
- 12 Linkages to social programing (reducing social isolation)
- 22 Clothing and household goods obtained

## **Empowering Families and Stabilizing Neighborhoods**



## Race to 10,000

- 2 Times a week / 10-week sessions / Twice a year
- 22 Participants in word recognition program
- 19 Graduates

## **Foster Care Prevention**

- 313 Children served by program
- 114 Families served by program
- 12 Cases had a parent partner
- 23 Children returned home from foster care placement
- 39 Early childhood clients screened for developmental concerns
- 228 Children had CPS involvement
- 44 Children had truancy issues
- 45 Children were in custody of the county