



Michigan Community Action is the state association for the 27 designated Community Action Agencies in Michigan that **help people move from poverty to economic stability and self-sufficiency.**

Mission

Michigan Community Action leads and serves a poverty-fighting network. We are dedicated to helping people and changing lives, through advocacy, education, and collaboration.

Vision

Economic opportunity and stability for all.



The MCA network is united by the Promise of Community Action:

Community Action changes people's lives, embodies the spirit of hope, improves communities, and makes America a better place to live. We care about the entire community, and we are dedicated to helping people help themselves and each other.



Community Action Agencies **HELP** homeowners, communities, families and participants engage with programs and resources that provide guidance and support to empower positive change in their lives.

Housing and homelessness

Weatherization, rent assistance, temporary housing.

Emergencies

Food, heating, and transportation services.

Learning

Early childhood education, financial literacy, employment, and parenting.

Poverty

Alleviating poverty and building self-sufficiency.

Saginaw County Community Action Committee

Counties served: Saginaw

19.8% of households using SNAP benefits



Mission

To serve as a proactive and dedicated community organization providing programs and services to low-income individuals and families helping them to achieve economic security.

3,350

individuals served
in 2024

456

individuals received
utility assistance

700

individuals received
water assistance

17

food pantries served
through TEFAP

8,000

food boxes distributed through The
Emergency Food Assistance Program

1,500

seniors benefited from
outreach services



Areas of Need



Children

Youth Programs



Food & Emergency Needs

- The Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP)
- Emergency Utility Assistance



Benefits

MI Bridges Community Partner



Older Adults

- Home Repair
- In-Home Services



Veteran/Migrant

Supportive Services for Veterans



Housing, Employment & Community Development

- Housing Programs
- Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)
- Weatherization, Home Repair, and/or Home Rehab
- Family Self-Sufficiency Program (FSS)
- Foreclosure Prevention & Intervention
- Individual Development Accounts
- Financial Literacy & Self-Sufficiency
- Literacy & GED Attainment