



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.

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# Washtenaw County Office of Community & Economic Development

Counties served: Washtenaw

**7.8%** of households using SNAP benefits



## Vision

Washtenaw County is stronger when all people are able to fully participate in our community and economy. To that end, OCED is committed to stepping out of traditional government roles to drive long-term system changes that increase equity and opportunity. Informed by data and resident voices, we deliver services, invest resources, shape public policy, lead initiatives, and amplify the impact of community partners.

**698**  
people permanently  
housed

**273,116**  
meals delivered to  
1,125 seniors

**160**  
rehabilitation and  
weatherization  
projects completed

**\$1,520,109**  
distributed to fund 1,099  
households



## Areas of Need



### Children

Foster Grandparent Program and/or  
Senior Companion Programs



### Food & Emergency Needs

- Emergency Solutions Grant Program (ESG)
- Emergency Utility Assistance



### Older Adults

- Home Delivered Meals and Congregate Meals
- Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP)
- Home Repair



### Housing, Employment & Community Development

- Housing Programs
- Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)
- Weatherization, Home Repair, and/or Home Rehab
- Foreclosure Prevention & Intervention
- Home Buyer Education & Home Ownership