

2025 River Region United Way Needs Assessment

Basic Needs - 89%

Providing help with essential human needs like food and shelter.

Health - 6%

Encouraging healthy living and promoting well-being.

Financial Stability - 3.4%

Promoting income stability and self-sufficiency.

Education - 1.4%

Helping children, youth, and adults achieve their potential.

Basic Needs - 89% of the four categories

Housing & Shelter	41.57%
Utility Assistance	24%
Food Insecurity	17.6
Government & Legal	7%
Clothing & Household	6.1%
Transportation Assistance	2.5%
Child Care & Parenting	1%

Health - 6% of the four categories

Health Insurance	32.2%
Substance Abuse & Addictions	11%
Prescription Medications	9.4%
Medical Providers	8.8%
Medical Expense Assistance	8.7%
Crisis Intervention & Suicide	7.5%
Mental Health Services	6.8%
Dental & Eye Care	6.4%
Death Related	3.7%
Nursing Homes & Adult Care	3.1%
Covid Testing	1.2%
Marriage & Family	1.06%
Other Healthcare	.05%

Financial Stability- 3.4% of the four categories

Job Search	76.32%
Tax Preparation	15.05%
Money Management	4.8%
Financial Assistance	3.1%
Job Development/ Unemployment	.8%

Education - 1.4% of the four categories

Adult Education	61.2%
School Supplies	27%
Other Education Providers	5.4%
Tutoring	2.5%
Scholarships & Aid	2%
Literacy	1.5%
ESL/ Citizenship	.25%

Funds will be allocated according to the greatest needs, determined by the highest percentage per the four categories.

* The needs assessment is based on calls collected through 2-1-1 from October 1, 2023 through September 30, 2024 requesting assistance in the categories listed above for Autauga, Elmore, Lowndes, Macon, and Montgomery Counties.