

2016 STATE CSBG FACTSHEETS



From the AR FFY 2015 Community Services Block Grant Information System Survey

Arkansas

CSBG NETWORK PARTICIPANTS

The Arkansas State Office administered CSBG funds to 16 Community Action Agencies in 100% of AR counties.

In Arkansas, Community Action Agencies provided services to 202,749 low-income individuals.

76% of families served by the CSBG Network lived below 100% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines.

Vulnerable populations served included:



64,822
people who
lacked health
insurance



55,841
people with
disabilities



57,335
seniors



51,002
children

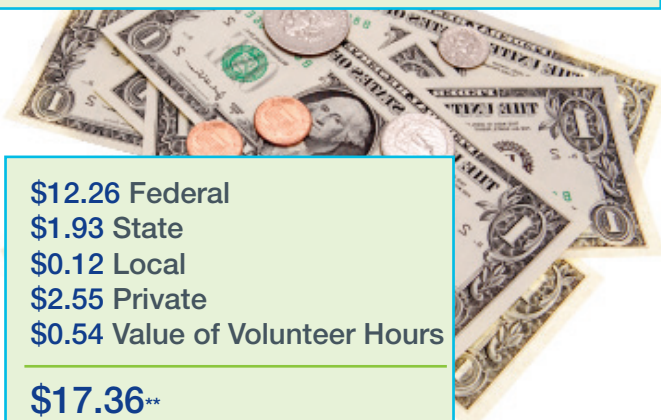
28% of families served in AR were in severe poverty, below 50% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines.

Nationally, 1,026 Community Action Agencies receiving CSBG funding provided services to 15.6 million individuals with low-incomes.

Nationally, of the 6.6 million families served by the CSBG Network, 82.6% were living below 125% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines.

CSBG NETWORK RESOURCES

For every \$1 of CSBG, the AR Network leveraged \$17.36 from federal, state, local, and private sources, including the value of volunteer hours.*



\$9,282,922 in CSBG funds were allocated in support of local entities in Arkansas.

The AR Network's non-CSBG funding totaled \$143,027,571.34.

*Value of Volunteer Hours calculated using federal minimum wage, except in those states with a higher minimum wage.

** Values may not equal total due to rounding

2016 STATE CSBG FACTSHEETS



From the AR FFY 2015 Community Services Block Grant Information System Survey

CSBG PERFORMANCE OUTCOMES FOR ARKANSAS

Services and strategies provided by the AR Network resulted in **1,282,383 outcomes for participants and communities with low incomes.**

Outcomes Include:

189,845	Employment Participants with low incomes in the CSBG Network employment initiatives obtained supports which reduced or eliminated barriers to initial or continuous employment, acquired a job, increased their income, or achieved “living wage” employment and benefits.
4,837	Economic Asset Enhancement and Utilization Households with low incomes increased their financial assets or financial skills.
54,784	Child and Family Development Infants, children, youth, parents, and other adults participated in developmental or enrichment programs facilitated by the CSBG Network and achieved program goals.
86,117	Independent Living for Vulnerable Populations with Low Incomes Vulnerable individuals with low incomes received services from the CSBG Network and secured or maintained an independent living situation as a result.
115,102	Family Stability Participants with low incomes obtained supports which reduced or eliminated barriers to family stability through assistance from the CSBG Network.
357,651	Emergency Assistance Individuals and families with low incomes received emergency assistance from the CSBG Network.
425,560	Community Opportunities and Resources Community opportunities or resources were improved or expanded for people with low incomes as a result of CSBG Network projects or initiatives, or partnerships with other public and private agencies.
48,487	Community Empowerment Community members and people with low incomes mobilized to engage in activities that support and promote their own well-being and that of their community as a result of CSBG Network initiatives through maximum feasible participation.