

# Catholic Charities

## *At a Glance*

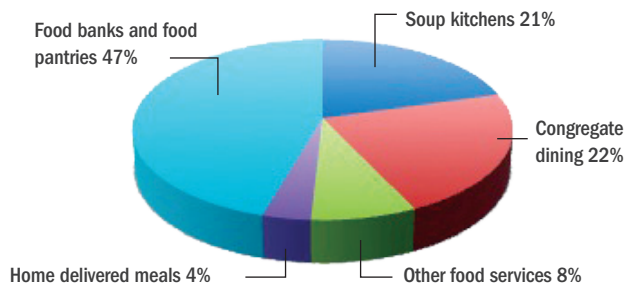
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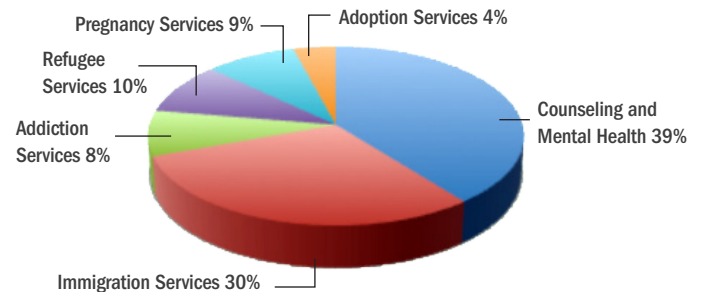
Working to reduce poverty, promote human dignity, support families, and empower communities, Catholic Charities across the nation provided help and created hope for 9,164,981 (unduplicated) people regardless of their religious, social or economic backgrounds in 2009. In all, 163 Catholic Charities agencies, provided an array of vital community-based services 14,975,726 times. This brief report details a 7.5% increase in services in 2009 and disturbing trends of the last few years. For more information, visit [www.CatholicCharitiesUSA.org](http://www.CatholicCharitiesUSA.org).

### ■ Provided Food Services to 7,216,379 people



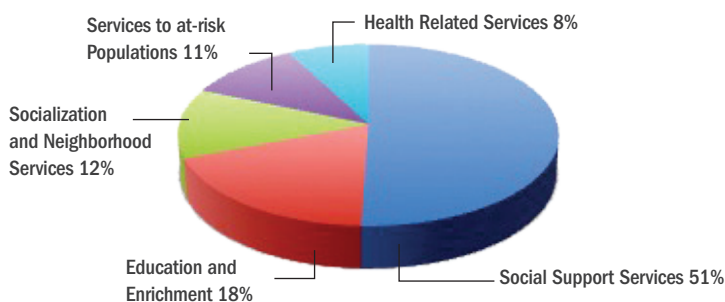
Food banks and food pantries	3,281,135
Soup kitchens	1,484,735
Congregate dining	1,609,935
Other food services	575,843
Home delivered meals	264,731

### ■ Provided Services that Strengthen Families to 1,064,913 people



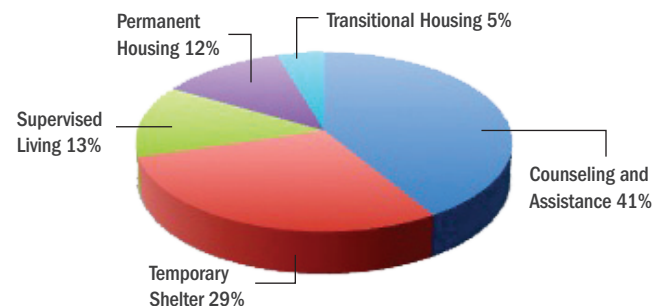
Counseling and mental health services	419,222
Immigration services	319,952
Refugee services	100,465
Pregnancy services	93,977
Addiction services	87,315
Adoption services	43,982

### ■ Provided Services that Build Strong Communities to 3,956,234 people



Social support services	1,999,189
Education and enrichment	730,645
Socialization and neighborhood services	490,850
Services to at-risk populations	430,263
Health-related services	305,287

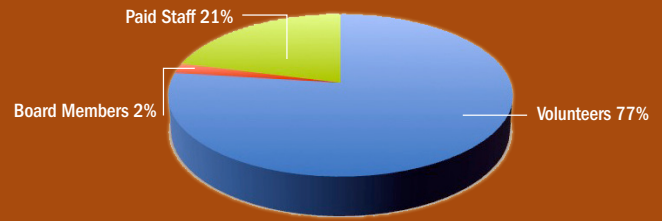
### ■ Provided Housing-related Services to 497,732 People



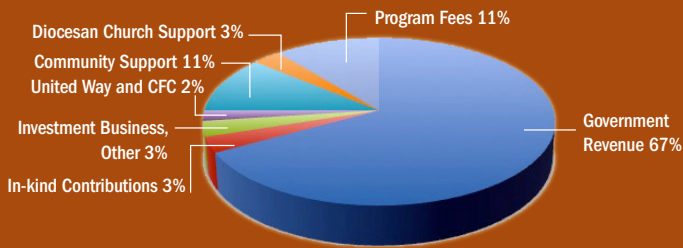
Temporary Shelter	144,671
Counseling and Assistance	205,262
Supervised Living	64,789
Permanent Housing	60,196
Transitional Housing	22,814

# Catholic Charities Personnel and Finances

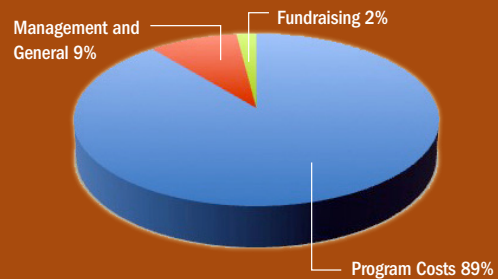
Agencies identified 337,527 people who worked with Catholic Charities in 2009, a 9 percent increase from employees identified in 2008. Paid staff, increased 2% in 2009 and volunteers increased 10%.



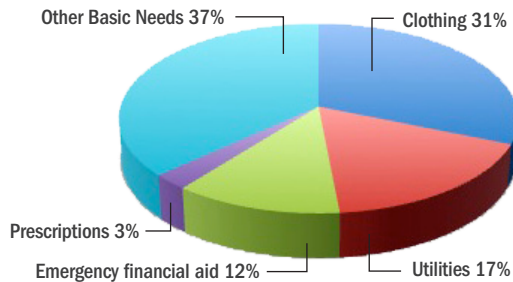
## Total Income: \$4,270,309,450



## Total Expenses: \$4,275,186,136



## Provided Other Basic Assistance to 1,933,799

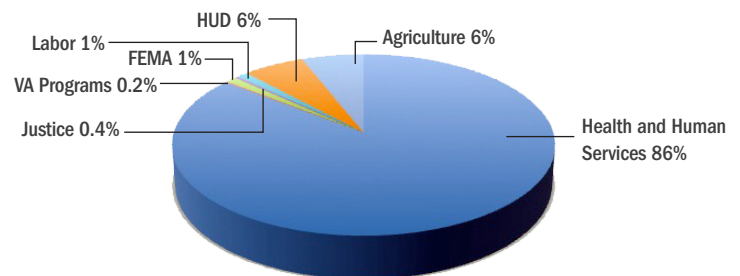


Clothing Assistance	604,873
Other basic needs assistance	711,253
Utilities assistance	332,815
Emergency financial assistance (not rent, mortgage, etc.)	234,292
Prescription assistance	50,566

## Provided Disaster Services to 99,665 People

## Other Facts About Catholic Charities

- In 2009 67% of cash income came from government sources:



- Every Catholic Charities agency reflects the needs of the community it serves. All agencies provide service without regard to the person's race, gender or religious affiliation.
- 48 agencies received \$4,438,330 attributable to the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act.
- Innovative Services are responding to new challenges throughout the country. These include:
  - Training parishes and police to work collaboratively with crime victims.
  - Community gardens that become focal centers for nutrition education, job training, culinary institutes and community catering businesses.
  - Literate prisoners mentor illiterate inmates, providing dignity for both.
  - Job counseling and emergency aid for mid-level management executives who lost jobs during economic downturn.
- Catholic Charities is committed to working to reduce poverty in America by 50% by 2020. Please join us in this endeavor.



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