

## OUR COMMITMENT

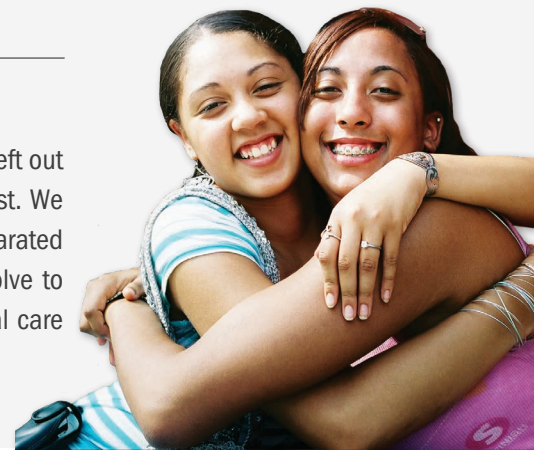
To alleviate, reduce and prevent poverty.

## OUR MISSION

The mission of Catholic Charities is to provide service to people in need, to advocate for justice in social structures and to call the entire church and other people of good will to do the same.

## OUR VISION

As Catholic Charities, we labor in the streets inviting and serving those who have been left out to know and experience the tremendous and abundant love of God through Jesus Christ. We commit ourselves to break down walls of division that keep sisters and brothers separated from one another, excluded, or rendered disposable by our society. With joy, we resolve to build bridges of hope, mercy and justice toward the creation of a culture of communal care responsive to the cries of those who are poor.



## CATHOLIC CHARITIES PRIORITIES

### INNOVATE

AFFORDABLE HOUSING	IMMIGRATION & REFUGEE SERVICES	INTEGRATED HEALTH & NUTRITION	LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT & CATHOLIC IDENTITY
Develop and implement a national strategy to finance renovations of existing properties, new construction of shelters, and temporary and permanent housing for vulnerable persons.	Increase the organizational capacity of the Catholic Charities immigration and refugee resettlement ministry by 20% over five years.	Establish the framework to connect the social determinants of health with healthcare providers and behavioral health providers to improve the well being of low income and vulnerable people.	Introduce comprehensive formation opportunities that address Catholic Identity and Leadership needs for the ministry of Catholic Charities.

### ELEVATE

SOCIAL ENTERPRISE INITIATIVES	ADVOCACY & SOCIAL POLICY INITIATIVES	DISASTER SERVICES
Promote successful models of social ventures and measure the effectiveness of service outcomes and employment rates.	Integrate and leverage the expertise of the Catholic Charities ministries on relevant federal poverty concerns.	Lead the Catholic Charities ministry in disaster response and building disaster operations capacity.

▶ FAST FACTS

**10 MILLION**  
people served

**57,000**  
employees

**287,000**  
volunteers

**167**  
Catholic Charities agencies

**\$3.8 BILLION**  
combined revenue

**\$3.6 BILLION**  
combined expenses



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