Suicide and Violence Prevention

Our prevention programs seek to foster healthier, safer communities through a broad range of efforts — educating, mobilizing and influencing change.

3,548 students educated in the Signs of Suicide program.

670 middle and high school students identified with possible depression or suicidal thoughts/ actions and referred for assistance.

95 high school students identified as having suicidal thoughts and referred to a mental health professional the same day.

195 community members and partners participated in the 11th Annual Suicide Prevention Walk.

105 community members and professionals were training in QPR (Question. Persuade. Refer) gatekeeper suicide prevention training. Of those attending, 98% reported an increase in knowledge about suicide and that the program is valuable.

854 students completed the intimate partner violence prevention program Safe Dates and Love: All That & More. Of those students, 94% found the presentations to be very helpful and informative.

Lives Impacted: 43,762

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Financials

Total Source of Funds
- Grants: 32%
- After-Hours Contracts: 2%
- Contributions/Fundraising: 1%
- Other: 9%
- DMHRSB: 53%
- United Way: 2%

Total Disbursements
- Operating Expenses: 15%
- Personnel: 76%
- Telephone: 2%
- Equipment: 5%
- Other: 1%
- Advertising/Printing: 2%

$3,568,744

$2,959,007

Strategic Resilience and Safety during Crisis

The community’s go-to for supporting and empowering change.

For more information about our Annual Report or to learn about our programs, visit www.helplinedelmor.org

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Guide the good with us!

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Sexual Assault Response Network (SARN)

SARN provides emotional support and crisis intervention for sexual assault survivors in Delaware, Morrow, Crawford, and Wyandot counties. The SARN volunteer team has grown significantly since January of 2022, with 10 volunteers able to serve survivors in our service region, an increase of over 200%. SARN is launching a full array of rape crisis and advocacy services in Union County, working closely with the Victims of Crime Advocacy Program in the county Prosecutor’s office. These services will include crisis response to survivors at hospitals and police departments, long-term advocacy services, and survivor-centered events.

5,247
SARN emergency on-call hours provided by volunteers to Survivors.

2-1-1 Crisis Support, Information & Referral

Our 24/7 support line, 2-1-1, provides information during on and off hours to connect you with the right resources at the right time like mental health support, food pantries and shelters.

14,275 calls answered by our hotline.

16,880 referrals made through the crisis and information & referral 211 line to local health and human services programs.

193 Survivors helped through SARN and our 24-hour rape crisis hotline with 42 co-Survivors served.

Crisis Engagement Coordination Program

The CEC program offers Delaware and Morrow County residents of all ages ongoing support by phone or text during a crisis or mental health emergency. CEC also assists individuals and families seeking mental health or drug and alcohol treatment.

1,022 people provided short and longer term crisis intervention, support, follow up, referral or linkage to mental health or addiction treatment, and help addressing barriers to treatment by licensed clinicians through the Crisis Engagement Program.

3,175 other referrals to mental health & other community resources.

3,722 care contacts made to follow-up on CEC program participants.

Connections Volunteer Center

Bridging the gap between passionate volunteers and community needs, our volunteer center helps nonprofits focus on what matters most – people leading fulfilled and supported lives. With a special emphasis on older adults 55+, we continue to help increase activity, reduce isolation and loneliness, improve connectedness and overall health.

668 volunteers were matched to community service opportunities and 186 of them were ages 55+.

444 volunteers served four nonprofits and 97 older adults at their homes during the 15th Annual Make A Difference Delaware County —the largest single day of volunteering in the county.

4,441 hours of volunteer service provided to the community for a total of $111,705 reinvested in Delaware County through volunteerism.