



TCAA continues to transition from a traditional service provider to a regional leader in combating poverty. On average, here's what we accomplish daily:

- Provide more than 2,000 pounds of food to hungry families in Tempe.
- Deliver 180 hot meals to seniors and the disabled, promoting independent living for our customers.
- Award more than \$3,000 to the working poor for assistance in paying rent and utilities.
- Shelter 35 residents – a majority being in case management to transition from homelessness to full-time employment and stable housing.
- Serve 50 meals a day in our senior centers.
- Make 20 home visits to pregnant and new mothers focusing on nutrition, early childhood health, and welfare.

Far more important than the numbers – providing hope and optimism for better days ahead; and treating our valued clients and customers with the dignity and respect that we all want and deserve. We are proud of the above accomplishments – but there is so much more to do! There are many more residents in need than we have the resources to help – for now.

Sincerely,

Bill Epps
Executive Director

Shauna Warner
President



TCAA helped
3,872 households
(10,632 individuals) with
**31,508 emergency
food boxes.**



Our I-HELP program
(Interfaith Homeless
Emergency Lodging
Program) provided
12,891 bed nights
to **950 clients.**



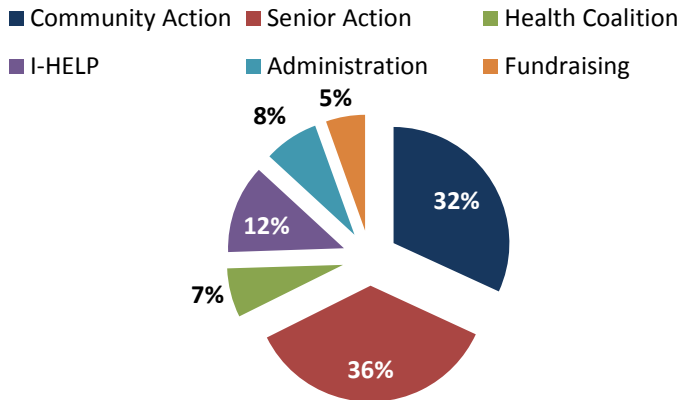
Health Start, a TCAA
program, worked with
270 families in
Mesa, Tempe and
Scottsdale to **foster
healthy birth weights
and early childhood
development.**

Tempe Community Action Agency

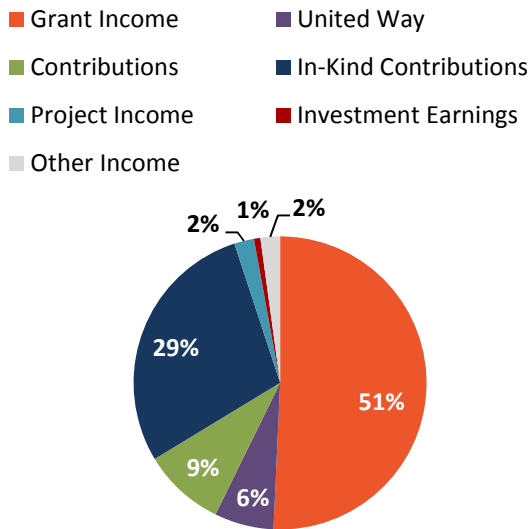
TCAA provides education, stability and advocacy to working poor families, children, seniors and the homeless. We help those who are struggling to obtain adequate food and shelter, as well as seniors and disabled adults working to attain their highest level of independence.

Acting with financial support from the community we serve, TCAA operates a food pantry, three senior centers, aging programs, the Tempe Interfaith Homeless Emergency Lodging Program (I-HELP), pre- and post-natal services, two community gardens, and other projects and programs that serve our most vulnerable residents.

Functional Expenses



Revenue Sources



Nearly **24%** of Tempe residents live in poverty.

Mary has volunteered at the Food Pantry for nearly a year. She works up to 32 hours per week at her job, but whenever she has a day off, she comes in to help at the Pantry because she loves helping others and wants to give back for the help she receives from TCAA. We have assisted her with food, rent and utilities as she struggles to provide for herself and her daughter. TCAA also has provided her with a monthly bus pass at times to help her get to work.



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