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**United Way of Cumberland County Awards Grants from the COVID – 19 Relief Fund**

United Way of Cumberland County (UWCC) has allocated \$28,500 from the COVID – 19 Relief Fund to three community impact partners. These funds will aid them in providing basic critical needs to individuals and families affected by the pandemic throughout Cumberland County.

The first round of funding has been awarded to:

**Better Health of Cumberland County:** \$9,500 to help with prescriptions

**Catholic Charities:** \$9,500 to help with food

**Fayetteville Urban Ministry:** \$9,500 to help with utilities

UWCC would like to thank BB&T now Truist, the Fayetteville Rotary Club and all of the individuals who have donated to this fund. The affects of COVID – 19 will be felt for a long time in our community so we are still asking companies, corporate partners and individuals to join in the fight. Every dollar helps and will stay here in Cumberland County to help our friends and neighbors. To donate to the relief fund, visit [www.unitedway-cc.org](http://www.unitedway-cc.org), text United to 855-735-2437 or mail a check to UWCC office at 222 Maiden Lane, Fayetteville NC 28301 with **COVID-19** written on the memo line.

If you or your neighbors are in need of assistance, call 211 or visit [www.nc211.org](http://www.nc211.org). You can also text COVIDNC to 898211 to receive updates. NC 2-1-1 is a confidential multilingual call center that is available 24/7 to provide the most accurate and up to date information for Cumberland County. The City of Fayetteville, Cumberland County Government, Fayetteville PWC and UWCC are sponsors of this program.

**About United Way**

United Way improves lives by mobilizing the caring power of communities around the world to advance the common good. United Way of Cumberland County strives to advance the common good by focusing on the building blocks for a good life: education, financial stability, health and critical basic needs. At United Way, we recognize that lasting changes are achieved by addressing the underlying causes of problems. United Way partners with other nonprofit agencies to improve lives right here in Cumberland County. Give. Advocate. Volunteer. LIVE UNITED.

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