

Kennebec Valley Community Action Program

2021 Annual Report

Helping People. Changing Lives.

KVCAP Board of Directors

KVCAP is governed by a Board of Directors comprised of volunteers from our service area. KVCAP bylaws ensure that the Board represents the communities we serve and brings together caring, dedicated community members from diverse professions, income levels, and backgrounds to support KVCAP's mission. Board members serve on various subcommittees and volunteer hundreds of hours to KVCAP. Together their efforts benefit more than 20,000 people in Kennebec, Somerset, Lincoln and Sagadahoc counties each year.



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KVCAP's Mission

We strengthen individuals, families and communities by providing direct services and by partnering with others to create sustainable solutions to poverty in an ever-changing environment.

Letter from Leadership

Dear Friends,

On behalf of the Kennebec Valley Community Action Program's Board of Directors, we are pleased to present KVCAP's Annual Report for 2021. It has been an honor for our organization to serve families and the community each and every year for the past 56 years. KVCAP staff and volunteers are the heart of our agency and we rely on them every day. We are incredibly grateful for all they do on behalf of KVCAP. A huge thank you to our Board of Directors for their unwavering support and to our funders and donors for the financial backing to be able to continue and improve upon the important work that we do.

While 2020 was a year of reacting and adapting, 2021 has been a year of perseverance and reflection. We are incredibly proud of our KVCAP staff who have shown resilience and dedication by continuing to provide much needed services and by pivoting to develop new programs to best meet the needs of families impacted by the pandemic. From food deliveries to diaper drives, virtual home visits to housing stability, early care and education to transportation, KVCAP has forged ahead, always with our eye on our mission and on the future.

As we embark on a hopeful new year, KVCAP will continue its effort to offer a "whole family" approach as outlined in our Strategic Plan. This innovative model focuses on families in a holistic way by combining access to high quality early care and education (for the children) with wrap around services (for adult family members) that strengthen the family core, such as employment and education for adults, parent education, household management, and self-advocacy skills. Not only does this entail working closely with families to set goals and action steps, but it also means that all KVCAP programs work in harmony to ensure that services are seamless and on a parallel pathway for families that are being served by more than one program.

KVCAP values our partnerships and will continue to work closely with other organizations, communities, and schools to ensure that children and families are healthy and thriving, now and for years to come. In the pages of this annual report, you will read about the many services we provide and the positive impact that staff and programs have had in the community over the past year. We are extremely proud of the accomplishments and progress that has been made to enhance the economic stability of individuals and families throughout Kennebec and Somerset Counties.

Take Care,

L. Dennis Carrillo KVCAP Board President

Suzanne Walsh KVCAP CEO



The Promise of Community Action

Community Action changes people's lives, embodies the spirit of hope, improves communities, and makes America a better place to live. We care about the entire community, and we are dedicated to helping people help themselves and each other.

Financial Information

Community Action Network's Core Funding - Community Services Block Grant (CSBG)

Community Action Agencies nationwide receive federal Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) funding. This allows agencies to implement services and strategies that address issues of poverty at the local level, with the goal to increase family stability and financial security of the people we serve. To guide the allocation of CSBG dollars, agencies are required to conduct a comprehensive community needs assessment every three years. KVCAP's community needs assessment can be found on the KVCAP website. KVCAP also received CSBG CARES Act funding to specifically help people negatively impacted by COVID-19. Regular CSBG funded programs and activities for 2021 included:



- Agency capacity activities—staff training, strategic planning, community assessments, etc.
- Child abuse and neglect prevention
- Child care supports
- Community Investors initiative
- Connecting people to resources
- Housing Counseling
- Parent education and supports
- Poverty Action Coalition—raising awareness of poverty issues
- Partnership building to expand community resources
- South End Teen Center

Private Funding Sources

Alfond Youth & Community Center/Boys & Girls Club **Buffett Early Childhood Fund** Clare Foundation Early Learning Network **Educate Maine Hudson Foundation** John T. Gorman Foundation Lennox Foundation Maine Cancer Foundation Maine Children's Trust Maine Community Action Partners Maine Early Learning Investment Group MaineGeneral Health NeighborWorks America Northern Light Inland Hospital Oak Grove Foundation Penquis Community Action Program

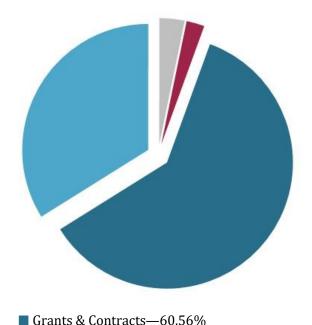
Red Nose Day Fund
Redington Fairview General Hospital
Quimby Family Foundation
Somerset Public Health
Southwest Human Development
Start Early – Ounce of Prevention
United Way of Kennebec Valley
United Way of Mid-Maine
University of Nebraska



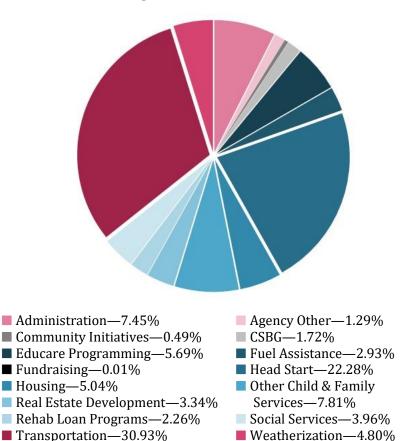
Financial Information

Revenue & Expenses (Based on Audited Fiscal Year 2020 Financial Statements)

Revenue Breakdown by Funding Source Total Revenue = \$31,230,039



Expense Breakdown by Service Area Total Expenses = \$28,882,926



Government Funding Sources

Corporation for National and Community Service Maine Commission for Community Service Maine Department of Economic & Community Development

Maine Department of Education

Maine Department of Environmental Protection

Maine Department of Health & Human Services

Maine Department of Labor

■ Program Revenue—33.90%

■ Other Revenue—3.23%

■ In-kind—2.31%

Maine Department of Transportation

Maine Judicial Branch

Maine State Housing Authority

U.S. Department of Agriculture

U.S. Department of Energy

U.S. Department of Health & Human Services

U.S. Department of Health & Human Services – Administration of Children & Families

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U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development

U.S. Department of Justice

U.S. Department of Transportation

U.S. Department of Treasury

Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (CARES)

Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act (CRRSAA)

Thank you for your generous support!

Business, Community, and Municipal Support

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Capital Area New Mainers Project

Capital City Law Central Church Central Maine Power

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City of Gardiner City of Hallowell City of Rockland City of Waterville Cross Insurance Downeast Energy Eaton Peabody

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Maine Children's Home for Little

Wanders

Maine Community Foundation Maine Paper & Janitorial Maine Rural School Unit #19 Maine Rural School Unit #49

Maine Rural School Unit #54 Maine Rural School Unit #74

Maine State Credit Union

McCormack Building Supply Inc.

McKee Law LLC

Mid-Maine Chamber of Commerce

Mutual of America Network for Good New Dimensions FCU O'Connor Auto Park One River CPAs

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Shaw's

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United Way of Greater Portland
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Waterville 859-1500 ■ Skowhegan 474-8487 ■ Augusta: 622-4761

Childcare - Early Head Start - Head Start - Family Child Care

Home Visiting 859-1652

Family Child Care (Home Start) 491-3976

Educare Central Maine 680-7200

Skowhegan Early Head Start 858-1450

RSU #54 Preschool (Canaan, Norridgewock, Skowhegan) 314-8774

RSU #49 Preschool (Fairfield, Clinton & Albion) 509-5019

RSU #74 Preschool (Anson, Solon) 314-0780

RSU #19 Somerset Preschool (Hartland) 938-4770

Community Initiatives

Resource Navigator 859-1500 or resourcenavigator@kvcap.org South End Teen Center 873-5621

Energy & Housing Services

Energy & Fuel Assistance 1-800-542-8227 or energy@kvcap.org Home Repair 859-1544 or homeservices@kvcap.org Homebuyer Education 859-1637 Financial Counseling/Education 859-1641 Emergency Rental Assistance 1-800-542-8227 or rentrelief@kvcap.org Real Estate Development/Cony Village 859-1554

Social Services

Family Enrichment Council (Kennebec County) 859-1514 or 859-1588 Family Enrichment Council (Somerset County) 859-2520 or 859-2521 Maine Families Home Visiting 859-2537 or 859-8503

Transportation Services

All locations 1-800-542-8227 or 859-1500















