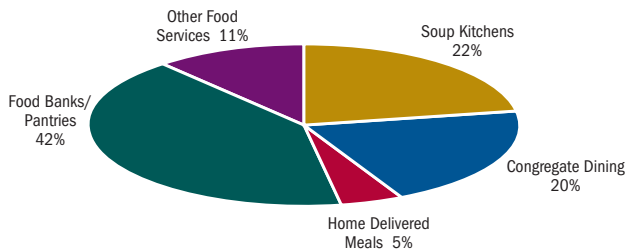


The Catholic Charities Network at a Glance

Working to reduce and eliminate poverty, support families, and empower communities, Catholic Charities across the nation provided help and created hope for 7,449,119 (unduplicated) people regardless of their religious, social, or economic backgrounds in 2005. In all, 173 main Catholic Charities agencies, which includes nearly 1,500 branches and affiliates, provided an array of vital, community-based services 12,643,199 times. For more information about the Catholic Charities network, visit www.CatholicCharitiesUSA.org.

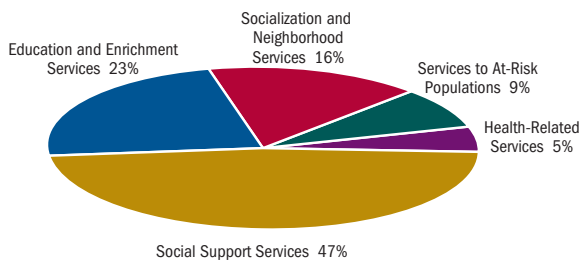


■ Provided Food Services to 5,677,257 People



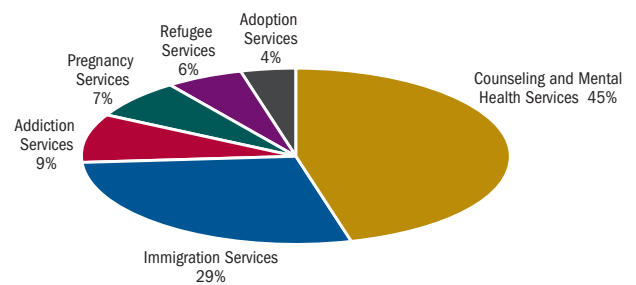
Food banks and food pantries.....	2,349,333
Soup kitchens	1,266,246
Congregate dining	1,156,308
Other food services	644,180
Home delivered meals.....	261,190

■ Provided Services that Build Strong Communities to 3,411,470 People



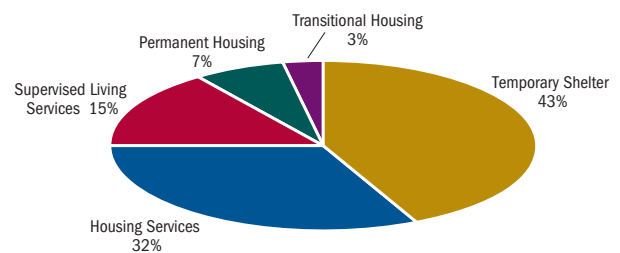
Social support services.....	1,638,256
Education and enrichment	768,428
Socialization and neighborhood services.....	533,293
Services to at-risk populations.....	300,720
Health-related services	170,733

■ Provided Services that Strengthen Families to 1,150,226 People



Counseling and mental health services	539,990
Immigration services.....	339,872
Addiction services	104,026
Pregnancy services.....	80,691
Refugee services	69,958
Adoption services.....	42,852

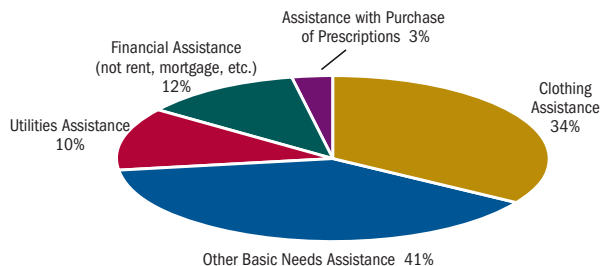
■ Provided Housing-related Services to 591,757 People



Temporary shelter	251,837
Housing services	191,129
Supervised living.....	90,958
Permanent housing.....	39,139
Transitional housing	18,694

Information in this summary is from the *Catholic Charities USA 2005 Annual Survey*.

■ Provided Other Basic Needs Services to 1,578,579 People



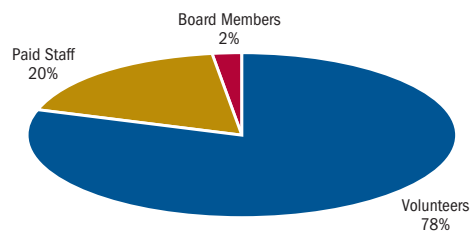
Other basic needs assistance.....	654,296
Clothing assistance	532,289
Emergency financial assistance (not rent, mortgage, etc.)	189,531
Utilities assistance	162,795
Medication assistance.....	39,668

■ Other Facts about Catholic Charities

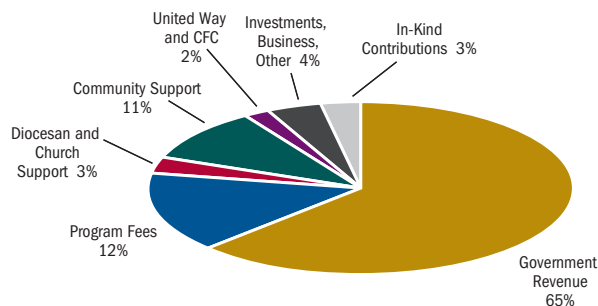
- In 2005, Catholic Charities agencies reported that half of the people they serve live below the poverty level, compared to 46 percent in 2004, 40 percent in 2003, and 43 percent in 2002.
- Every Catholic Charities agency is as unique as the communities it serves. However, they all share a common goal of providing the services and programs that address their communities' diverse and changing needs.
- Ninety cents of every dollar donated to Catholic Charities agencies goes directly to programs and services, making the Catholic Charities network one of the most efficient in the country.
- The Catholic Charities network traces its roots back more than 275 years ago when in 1727 the French Ursuline Sisters opened an orphanage in New Orleans.

Catholic Charities Personnel and Finances

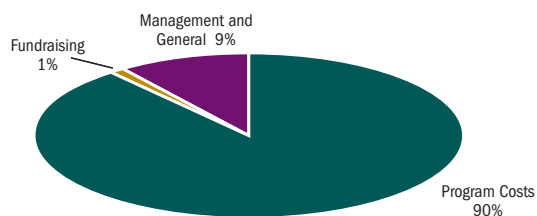
■ In 2005, 263,739 people worked with Catholic Charities, including 48,680 paid staff, 204,957 volunteers, and 6,532 board members.



■ Total Income: \$3,363,106,510



■ Total Expenses: \$3,320,433,179



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