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"Helping one person might not change the whole world, but it could change the world for one person."











Connecting homeless individuals and those at-risk of becoming homeless with services in Salem-Keizer to improve the quality of their lives.

Guest Data

The annual Community Connect took place on Tuesday, March 27th from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm at Salem First Baptist Church. The event served 436 guests with the help of 227 community volunteers and 52 service providers representing nonprofits, faith based & government agencies and businesses.

The following are the demographics of the event:

(Demographic information was on a voluntary basis; not all those in attendance chose to participate in the interview process)

GENDER

Male: 219 Female: 120 Other: 8

RACE/ETHNICITY

White: 235

Hispanic/Latino: 23

Asian: 1

Native American: 24 African American: 7

Other: 36

PRIMARY LANGUAGE

English: 318 Spanish: 2 Other: 1

AGE

0-10 years old: 4 11-17 years old: 0 18-21 years old: 9 22-35 years old: 65 36-50 years old: 136 51-64 years old: 96 65 and older: 16







Guest Data

LIVING SITUATION

Where did you sleep last night?

Non-Sheltered—Outdoors: 141 Non-Sheltered—Vehicle: 28

Sheltered—Someone else's home: 37

Sheltered—Hotel: 2

Sheltered—Short Term Facility: 58 Sheltered—Own house/apartment: 30

Sheltered—Other: 3



Single: 235

Single Parent Male: 2
Single Parent Female: 9
Married w/Children: 15
Married w/out Children: 18
Co-habitants/Roommates: 36

What city do you live in?

Salem: 301 Keizer: 11

Dallas/Monmouth: 5

Other: 3

EMPLOYMENT AND FINANCIAL RESOURCES

What is your current employment status?

Full-time: 8
Part-time: 15
Day Labor: 2
Retired: 13
Self-Employed:

Self-Employed: 4 Disabled: 43 Unemployed: 223

Do you have other income sources?

Alimony: 1

Child Support: 2 Food Stamps: 222

Temporary Assistance for Needy Families

(TANF): 10

Pension/Retirement: 3 Social Security: 15

Social Security Disability Insurance: 45

Unemployment Benefits: 0 Veteran's Benefits: 45

Other: 8





Do you have health insurance?

Yes: 10 No: 67 OHP: 213

Veterans Benefits: 4

Medicare: 15



Community Connect was organized and made possible through the commitment of our planning team and the generosity of our sponsors.

Planning Team

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Barbara Sanford and Misty Bidiman, Community Members, Welcome & Reception Coordinators

Nicole Johnson, Community Member, Bag Check Lead

Sponsors

Restorer of Dignity Sponsor—\$500 and greater

First Christian Science Church
City of Salem
Our Savior's Lutheran Church
United Way of the Mid-Willamette Valley
Court St. Christian Church
Salem First Baptist Church
Mid-Willamette Valley Community Action Agency
Salem Leadership Foundation

<u>Creator of Hope—\$250 - \$499</u>

West Salem Service Integration Team ProFund Fundraising Solutions St. Paul's Episcopal Church

Provider of Help—\$100—\$249

Anonymous

Revenue, Expenses & Donations

Revenue—Sponsorships and Cash Donations	
Financial Sponsorships	\$10,300.00
Cash and Online Donations	\$112.75
Total Revenue	\$10,412.75

Expenses	
Linens, Table and Tent Rentals	\$1,251.60
Dental Vans	\$2,500.00
Food	\$1,299.25
Sleeping Bags	\$1,500.00
T-Shirts for Volunteers	\$1,531.88
Other Supplies (parking passes, table covers, orientation supplies/food)	\$628.03
Total Expenses	\$8,710.76

In-kind Donations, Volunteer Time and Donated Use of Space	
In-kind Donations:	\$3,269.50
Cherriots Bus Passes Chipotle (Food for volunteer orientation night) Marion-Polk Food Share	\$1,579.50 \$700.00 \$990.00
Volunteer Value (227 volunteers donated 1080.25 hours at a value of \$24.69 per hour)	\$26,671.37
Donated Use of Space	\$6,700
Total Value of Services	\$36,640.87

Service Providers

Benefits

DHS Self Sufficiency
DMV
Helping Hands Resources
Interface Network
NW Senior and Disability Services
PHTech
Social Security Administration
St Vincent DePaul
Willamette Valley Community Health CCO
WVP Health Authority

Bike Services

The Northwest HUB

Children & Youth Services

Community Action Head Start
Community Action HOME Youth & Resource Center
Family Building Blocks
STEP- Salem-Keizer School District

Clothing Area

Salt Creek Baptist Church

<u>Counseling</u>

Bridgeway Recovery Services
Dual Diagnosis Anonymous of Oregon
Mid-Valley Behavioral Care Network
Project Able
Recovery Outreach Community Center
Salem Area Alcoholics Anonymous
Willamette Valley Hospice

Employment

Employment & Leadership for Youth & Young Adults
Goodwill Job Connections
ResCare
WorkSource Oregon

Housing

Community Action ARCHES Project Family Promise
Oxford House
Salvation Army
Union Gospel Mission
US Department of HUD

Medical/Dental

Capitol Dental
Medical Teams International
Marion County Health Department
NW Human Services
Oregon Lions Vision & Hearing
Salem Free Medical Clinic
Salem Health

Other

211info
City Vibe
DeMuniz Resource Center
Lifetime Animal Partnerships
Salem For All

Pet Services

West Coast Mobile Pet Grooming Willamette Valley Animal Hospital

Veterans Services

Disabled American Veterans
Portland VA Healthcare System
Salem Vet Center
Take a Veteran Fishing
WestCare Oregon

Services Provided

Note: Not all providers reported number of services this year.

Housing	# of Services
Information and Referrals, Vouchers, Shelter, Family Services, Financial Assistance	279
Children and Families	# of Services
Information and Referrals, Healthy Kids, Clothing, Books, Toiletries, Clothing Vouchers, Medication Vouchers	139
Counseling	# of Services
Information and Referrals, Supportive Housing, Mental Health Services, Addiction Support	76
Benefits	# of Services
VA Information, Claims, Records, SSI, SSDI, OHP Services	272
Dental	Services
Evaluations, Extractions, Surgical Extractions, Fillings, X-rays, Fluoride, Cleanings, Debridement, Prophylaxis, Hygiene.	Hygiene services: 20 Dental work: 29 Value of services: \$17,538.00
Employment Services	
Employment resources and referrals, classes, resume writing	Numbers not reported
Vision	Services
Vision & Blood Pressure Screenings and mobile screening fee	Vision services: 45 Value of services: \$18,100.00
Medical	# of Services
Medical Inquiries, Mental Health Information, Immunizations, Blood Pressure Screenings	382
Pet Services	Value of Services
Examinations, Vaccines, Flea Treatments, Ear Cleaning & Treatment, Spay/Neuter vouchers, pet grooming	\$1,501.50
Hair Cuts	Value of Services
Women, Men and Child Hair Cuts, Beard Trims	96 Haircuts \$955.20
Bike Services	Value of Services
Inspect & Repair Brakes, Gears, Tires, and Chains	\$340.00

A special thanks to all of Community Connect's sponsors, volunteers and participating agencies, without you this event would not be possible.









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