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









Connecting individuals and families to free community resources and health services.

Guest Data

The annual Community Connect took place on Tuesday, March 28th from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm at Salem First Baptist Church. The event served 436 guests with the help of 200 community volunteers and 51 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)

GENDER

Male: 234 Female: 119

RACE/ETHNICITY

White: 254

Hispanic/Latino: 51

Asian: 1

Native American: 19 African American: 9

Other: 21

PRIMARY LANGUAGE

English: 321 Spanish: 27 Other: 6

AGE

0-10 years old: 20 11-17 years old: 6 18-21 years old: 8 22-35 years old: 72 36-50 years old: 111 51-64 years old: 117 65 and older: 18







Guest Data

LIVING SITUATION

Where did you sleep last night?

Non-Sheltered—Outdoors: 111 Non-Sheltered—Vehicle: 29

Sheltered—Someone else's home: 41

Sheltered—Hotel: 4

Sheltered—Short Term Facility: 65 Sheltered—Own house/apartment: 60

Sheltered—Other: 5



Single: 220

Single Parent Male: 1 Single Parent Female: 13 Married w/Children: 23 Married w/out Children: 16 Co-habitants/Roommates: 49

What city do you live in?

Salem: 322 Keizer: 12 Woodburn: 1

Dallas/Monmouth: 3

Other: 9

EMPLOYMENT AND FINANCIAL RESOURCES

What is your current employment status?

Full-time: 13
Part-time: 14
Day Labor: 5
Retired: 19
Self-Employed: 4

Do you have other income sources?

Alimony: 1

Child Support: 3 Food Stamps: 236

Unemployed: 217

Temporary Assistance for Needy Families

(TANF): 7

Pension/Retirement: 3 Social Security: 32

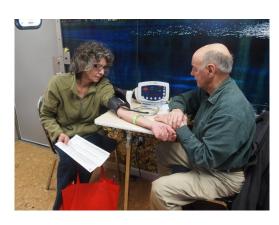
Social Security Disability Insurance: 61

Unemployment Benefits: 4

Veteran's Benefits: 3

Other: 10





Do you have health insurance?

Yes: 8 No: 83 OHP: 223

Veterans Benefits: 13

Medicare: 31



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

Planning Team

DJ Vincent, Salem Leadership Foundation, Co-Event Coordinator
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Michael Sanders, Salem First Baptist Church, Facilities Coordinator
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Jerry Stevens, ProFund Fundraising Solutions, Companion Guide & Security Coordinator
Janeen Baker and Natalie Dunn, Community Members, Café Coordinators
Charlotte Isaac and Carol Hannah, Salem First Baptist Church, Kitchen Coordinators
Al & Anne Hilgers, Community Members, In-kind Donation Coordinators
Barbara Sanford and Misty Bidiman, Community Members, Welcome & Reception Coordinators
Anthony Galenbeck, Community Member, Bag Check Lead

Committee Descriptions:

In-kind Donations—All in-kind elements, storage and transportation to the event.

Volunteers- Intake areas, belongings check-in, greeters, set-up and clean-up, companion guides.

Housing Services- Housing needs including referrals, day shelters, energy assistance programs, etc.

Medical/Dental/Vision— On-site services and referrals including medical, dental, vision, diabetes testing, vital signs, immunizations, etc.

Pet Services – Services for pets including flea treatments, nail clippings, exams, vaccinations, etc.

Children/Family Services— Services that support children and families including education opportunities, daycare, teen shelters, immunizations, student outreach, etc.

Women's Services— Services for women including hygiene, advocacy, emergency cell phones, etc.

Guest Services—Services including bike repair, haircuts, alterations, etc.

Café- Food services including coffee, donuts, breakfast, lunch and snacks.

Counseling Services— Confidential counseling services including drug and alcohol, legal, behavioral care, recovery, peer counseling etc.

Sponsors

Restorer of Dignity Sponsor—\$500 and greater

Oregon Lions Sight & Hearing Foundation
Medical Teams International
City of Salem
Cherriots
Willamette Valley Animal Hospital
West Salem Service Integration Team
United Way of the Mid-Willamette Valley
Salem First Baptist Church
Mid-Willamette Valley Community Action Agency
Salem Leadership Foundation
Anonymous

<u>Creator of Hope—\$250 - \$499</u>

The Northwest Hub
ProFund Fundraising Solutions
Thrivent Financial for Lutherans

Provider of Help—\$100—\$249

Anonymous

Revenue—Funds, Donations and Volunteer Time	
Financial Sponsorships	\$4,679.95
Cash and Online Donations	\$1,224.95
In-Kind Sponsorships (Dental, Vision, Hair Cuts, Bike Repair, Veterinary Services, Bus Passes, Sleeping Bags)	\$50,254.25
Volunteer Value (200 volunteers donated 938.00 hours at a value of \$24.14 per hour)	\$22,643.32
Donated Use of Space	\$6,700
Total Revenue	\$85,502.47
Actual Expenses	
Linens, Table and Tent Rentals	\$1,054.72
Dental & Vision Vans	\$1,295.28
Food	\$1,075.91
Sleeping Bags	\$1,000.00
Other Supplies	\$375.10
Total Expenses	\$4,801.01

Service Providers

Benefits

DHS Self Sufficiency Helping Hands Resources Maps Credit Union Marion County Health Department NW Senior and Disability Services Salvation Army Social Security Administration St Vincent DePaul United HealthCare United Way of the Mid-Willamette Valley WVP Health Authority

Bike Services

The Northwest HUB

Children, Family & Women's Services

Community Action Head Start Community Action HOME Youth & Resource Other Center Family Building Blocks Hope Pregnancy Clinic Oregon Child Development Coalition WVP Health Authority

Clothing Area

Salt Creek Baptist Church

Counseling

Bridgeway Recovery Services Dual Diagnosis Anonymous of Oregon Project Able Recovery Outreach Community Center Salem Area Alcoholics Anonymous Willamette Valley Hospice

Employment

Easter Seals Goodwill Job Connections Salem-Keizer School District WorkSource Oregon

Housing

Community Action ARCHES Project Oxford House Salem Housing Authority Salem Interfaith Hospitality Network Shangri-La Union Gospel Mission **US Department of HUD** West Valley Housing Authority

Medical/Dental

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

American Red Cross City Vibe Community Action Weatherization DeMuniz Resource Center Legal Aid Mano A Mano

Pet Services

Willamette Valley Animal Hospital

Veterans Services

Salem Vet Center

Services Provided

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

Housing	# of Services
Information and Referrals, Vouchers, Shelter, Family Services, Financial Assistance	247
Children and Families	# of Services
Information and Referrals, Healthy Kids, Clothing, Books, Toiletries, Clothing Vouchers, Medication Vouchers	17
Counseling	# of Services
Information and Referrals, Supportive Housing, Mental Health Services, Addiction Support	131
Benefits	# of Services
VA Information, Claims, Records, SSI, SSDI, OHP Services	440
Dental	Value of Services
Evaluations, Extractions, Surgical Extractions, Fillings, X-rays, Fluoride, Cleanings, Debridement, Prophylaxis, Hygiene	\$24,576.00
Employment Services	
Employment resources and referrals, classes, resume writing	98
Vision	Value of Services
Vision and Blood Pressure Screenings	\$23,200.00
Medical	# of Services
Medical Inquiries, Mental Health Information, Immunizations, Blood Pressure Screenings	98
Pet Services	Value of Services
Examinations, Vaccines, Flea Treatments, Ear Cleaning & Treatment, Spay, Neuter	\$721.50
Hair Cuts	Value of Services
Women, Men and Child Hair Cuts, Beard Trims	\$746.25
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.









Sight & Hearing Foundation













