



ANNUAL REPORT

A Look At What We Accomplished Together



Empowering immigrants and others
to become self-sufficient, productive
and civically engaged.

2017



EDUCATION

- Nearly 700 adults learned English in our English as a Second Language (ESOL) classes
- Close to 100 families improved their parenting skills through the Family Strengthening program
- 100% of VPK-preschoolers were ready for kindergarten
- 100% of our youth after school/summer programs did not break the law, become pregnant or used drugs/alcohol
- 85% of participants improved their reading, math and science skills

Economic DEVELOPMENT

- 85% of participants acquired employment or a better job through our Center for Working Families (CWF) program
- 40% of clients saved, reduced debt and/or built their credit
- 80+ clients attended the First Time Home Buyers program
- Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program created an economic impact of \$6M+ in tax refunds for our clients and Broward County
- Nearly 6,000 clients saved \$1.4M in tax preparation fees (services provided for free)
- 880+ adults learned how to start/strengthen their small business
- 300+ individuals participated in the 2017 Entrepreneur Summit

Health & FAMILY CARE

- 2,550+ individuals received nutrition education and food assistance
- 170+ clients purchased a qualified health plan with annual savings of \$1.7M+ in health insurance premiums
- 750+ participants of Comprando Rico y Sano learned about healthy eating on a budget and received food support

Civic ENGAGEMENT

- Nearly 5,000 clients participated in citizenship classes throughout South Florida
- 850+ applications were submitted for U.S. Citizenship
- 280+ clients attended intensive 8-week Pathways to Citizenship classes

Legal Assistance, ADVOCACY & MORE

- 120+ clients received FREE legal services through our partner, Legal Aid Service of Broward County

2017 Awards & CERTIFICATIONS

- Recognized for partnership excellence in the Emerging Entrepreneurs education model by SCORE headquarters in Washington, DC.
- One of 20 National Early Childhood Program Accreditation (NECPA) Certified Preschools in Broward – One of only 5 serving South Broward.
- Department of Justice (DOJ) Recognized & Accredited Representative – One of only 16 organizations in South Florida.
- Recognized nationally as a leader and innovator in volunteer recruitment and training for the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program by the IRS.



Served 18,000 clients in 2017

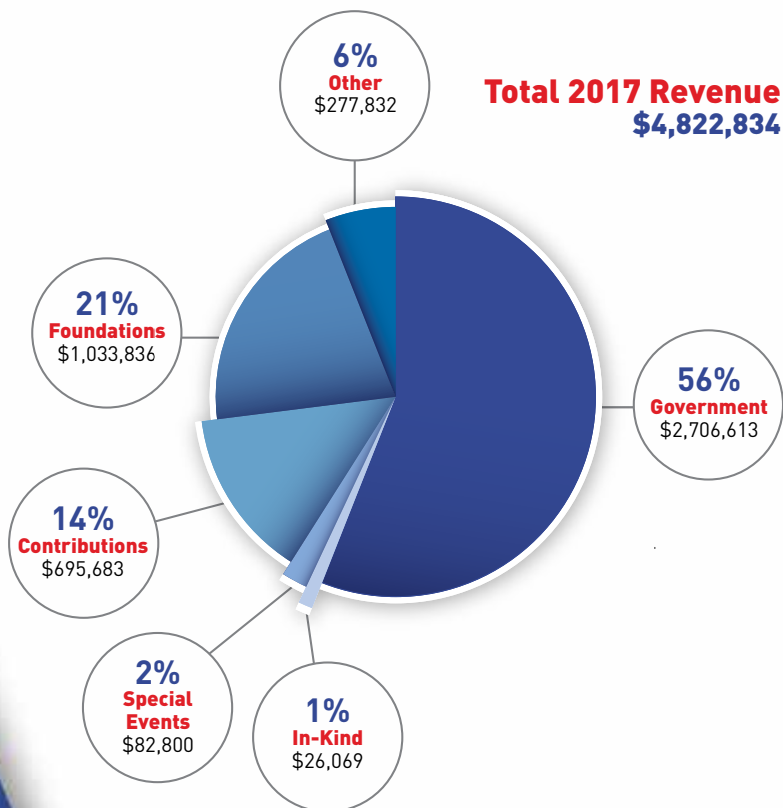


70% of clients hail from Latin Nations and the Caribbean

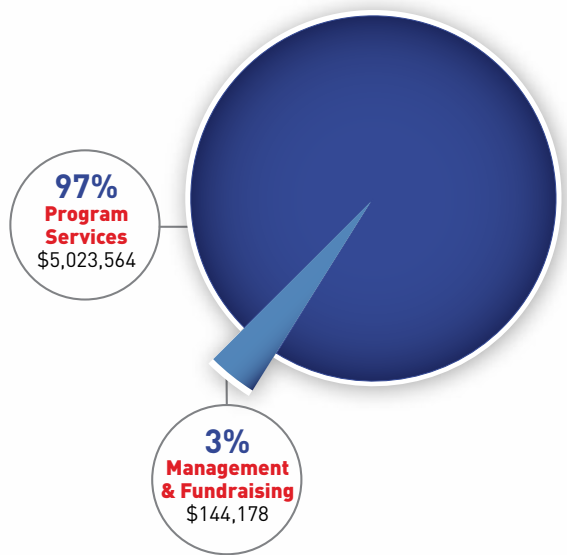


Clients from 30 different countries

HUF FINANCIALS



Total 2017 Expenses Excluding In-Kind \$5,023,564



Annual EMPOWERMENT PARTNERS

Mission-Capacity Level: \$250K to \$4M+



Visionary Level: \$100K to \$249K



Tate Family Foundation Fund of the Community Foundation of Broward



Investor Level: \$75K to \$99K



Leader Level: \$50k to \$74K



Influencer Level: \$25K to \$49K



Supporter Level: \$15K to \$24K



Kids Helping Kids
One Stroke at a Time



Friend Level: \$10K to \$14K



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