Central Michigan 211

Fourth Quarter 2023

Community Report October - December



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A partnership of LifeWays, United Way of South Central Michigan, United Way of Genesee County/ Shiawassee County, United Way of Livingston County and United Way of Monroe/Lenawee County.







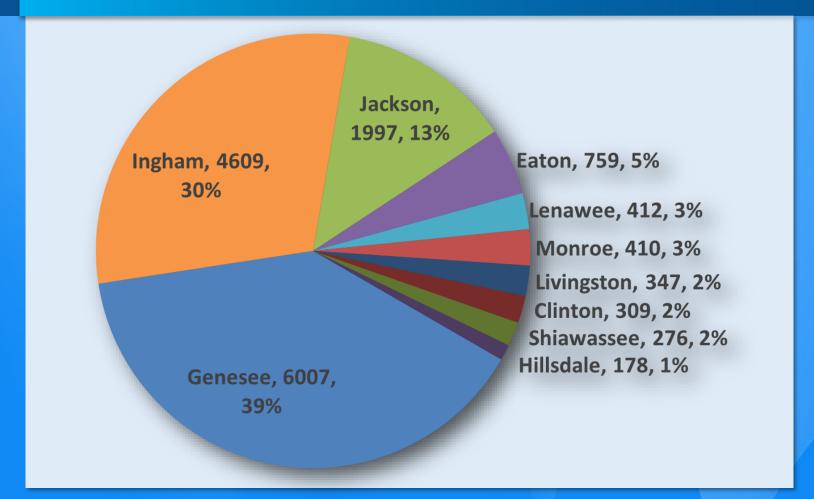


Fourth Quarter Highlights

- Central Michigan 2-1-1 received 17,550* total calls during the Fourth Quarter of 2023.
- In the Fourth Quarter of 2023, Central Michigan 2-1-1 received 16,199 referral calls and 2,227 information calls.
- The top unmet need during the Fourth Quarter of 2023 was Rent Payment Assistance. The second most common unmet need was Electric Service Payment Assistance.
- The top need expressed during the Fourth Quarter of 2023 was Electric Service Payment Assistance with 3,222 referrals in our service area. The second most common referral was Rent Payment Assistance with 1,615 total referrals.

* Call volume includes calls taken outside of our ten county area.

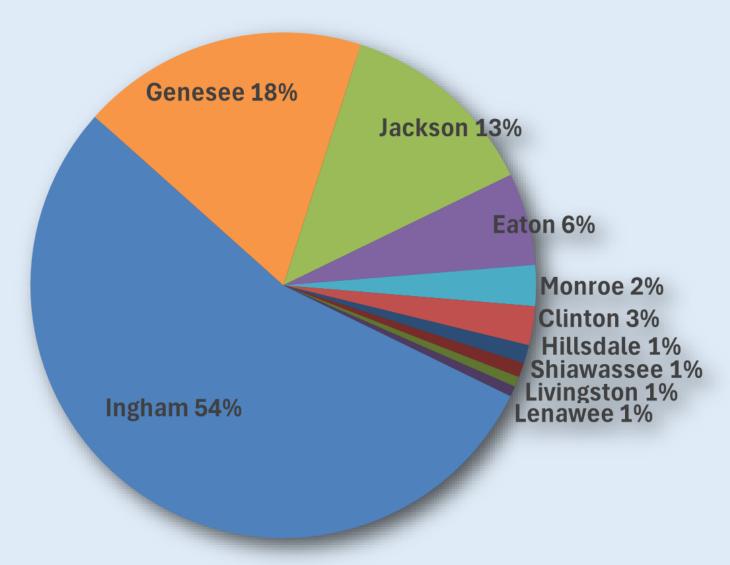
Fourth Quarter Call Volume by County



Special Interest: Holiday Assistance

Top Referrals		Top Unmet Needs	
Thanksgiving Baskets	271	Holiday Gifts/Toys	97
Holiday Gifts/Toys	260	Thanksgiving Baskets	80
Christmas Baskets	106	Christmas Baskets	50
Thanksgiving Meals	39	Thanksgiving Meals	21
Holiday Adoption Programs	37	Christmas Meals	15

Holiday Assistance Referrals



Clinton County Summary

Top Referrals		Top Unmet Needs
Electric Service Payment Assistance	62	Rent Payment Assistance 7
Rent Payment Assistance	42	General Furniture Provision 3
Food Pantries	28	Food Pantries 2
At Risk/Homeless Housing Related Assistance Programs	12	Mortgage Payment Assistance 2
Homeless Motel Vouchers	10	Rental Deposit Assistance 2

Eaton County Summary

Top Referrals		Top Unmet Needs	
Electric Service Payment Assistance	162	Rent Payment Assistance	28
Rent Payment Assistance	97	Electric Service Payment Assistance	16
Food Pantries	50	Holiday Gifts/Toys	13
At Risk/Homeless Housing Related Assistance Programs	45	Gas Money	7
Community Shelters	34	General Furniture Provision	6

Genesee County Summary

Top Referrals		Top Unmet Needs
Electric Service Payment Assistance	1468	Rent Payment Assistance
Rent Payment Assistance	655	Electric Service Payment Assistance
Food Pantries	433	Homeless Motel Vouchers
Water Service Payment Assistance	383	Thanksgiving Baskets
At Risk/Homeless Housing Related Assistance Programs	346	Rental Deposit Assistance

Hillsdale County Summary

Top Referrals		Top Unmet Needs
Electric Service Payment Assistance	42	Rent Payment Assistance 9
At Risk/Homeless Housing Related Assistance Programs	14	Homeless Motel Vouchers 5
Food Pantries	8	At Risk/Homeless Housing Related 4 Assistance Programs
Heating Fuel Payment Assistance	8	Holiday Gifts/Toys 4
Community Shelters	7	Community Shelters 3

Ingham County Summary

Top Referrals		Top Unmet Needs	
Electric Service Payment Assistance	861	Rent Payment Assistance	118
Rent Payment Assistance	583	Rental Deposit Assistance	55
Food Pantries	471	Holiday Gifts/Toys	51
At Risk/Homeless Housing Related Assistance Programs	245	Electric Service Payment Assistance	32
Thanksgiving Baskets	190	VITA Program Sites	30

Jackson County Summary

Top Referrals		Top Unmet Needs	
Electric Service Payment Assistance	302	Homeless Motel Vouchers	87
Food Pantries	143	Rent Payment Assistance	65
Rent Payment Assistance	127	Thanksgiving Baskets	24
At Risk/Homeless Housing Related Assistance Programs	121	Community Shelters	21
General Legal Aid	74	Electric Service Payment Assistance	21

Lenawee County Summary

Top Referrals		Top Unmet Needs	
Electric Service Payment Assistance	96	Rent Payment Assistance	14
Food Pantries	25	Electric Service Payment Assistance	8
Rent Payment Assistance	22	At Risk/Homeless Housing Related Assistance Programs	7
Gas Service Payment Assistance	19	Homeless Motel Vouchers	6
Home Rehabilitation Grants	19	Community Shelters	5

Livingston County Summary

Top Referrals		Top Unmet Needs	
Electric Service Payment Assistance	51	Community Shelters	11
At Risk/Homeless Housing Related Assistance Programs	43	Holiday Gifts/Toys	4
Homeless Motel Vouchers	39	Automotive Repair and Maintenance	3
Rent Payment Assistance	36	Homeless Motel Vouchers	3
Food Pantries	20	Rent Payment Assistance	3

Monroe County Summary

Top Referrals		Top Unmet Needs
Electric Service Payment Assistance	100	Rent Payment Assistance 25
Food Pantries	27	Homeless Motel Vouchers 16
At Risk/Homeless Housing Related Assistance Programs	26	At Risk/Homeless Housing Related 10 Assistance Programs
Rent Payment Assistance	25	Community Shelters 6
Community Shelters	17	Electric Service Payment 5 Assistance

Shiawassee County Summary

Top Referrals		Top Unmet Needs	
Electric Service Payment Assistance	78	Rent Payment Assistance	13
Rent Payment Assistance	23	Homeless Motel Vouchers	10
Food Pantries	22	Community Shelters	5
At Risk/Homeless Housing Related Assistance Programs	20	At Risk/Homeless Housing Related Assistance Programs	3
General Legal Aid	13	Electric Service Payment Assistance	3

Our Ongoing Commitment



Local organizations benefit from being included in the 2-1-1 database not only because they get more referrals but because those referrals are made with foresight and purpose. 2-1-1 stays in close contact with these organizations to track the exact nature and availability of their resources, easing the burden caused by incorrectly referred clients. 2-1-1 also faithfully and accurately reports community needs to local and state government, helping to reveal hidden problems that might otherwise go unnoticed.

2-1-1 is committed to providing the highest level of community service. If you are unable to contact us by dialing 2-1-1 then please call us toll-free at: 866-561-2500. You can also texted us your zip code to 898-211*.

2-1-1 is primarily supported through contributions from people like you! If you're interested in supporting the program, dial 2-1-1!

Search our database online - visit www.centralmichigan211.org

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