

SUPPORTING PEOPLE IN CRISIS

Meet Kiara

When Kiara was a teenager, she needed an immediate, safe place to go. With the help of United Way, she was able to find safe, secure housing and support to help her get back on track to reach her full potential.

At any given moment, a person can experience a crisis like Kiara's situation. Job loss, hunger, rising rent, unaffordable utility bills, fire or a natural disaster are other scenarios people may face that affect their safety and stability.



2,095

people

experience homelessness on any given day

47%

people renting

spend 30% or more of their income on housing costs

1 in 7

people

have trouble buying groceries

OUR IMPACT



5,843 people

received emergency shelter



6,044 individuals

received utility assistance



669,838 people

received help with food services

Our **Safety Net Impact Area** strives to provide essential needs to those in crisis, create a system of support through case management, increase healthy food options through food pantries and community distributions, connect people to emergency shelter, help individuals achieve housing stability through case management and more.

Together, we are working to:

- Support the successful transition to economic stability
- Increase access to healthy food
- Provide emergency shelter for individuals and families in crisis
- Provide services that lead to housing stability



United Way of San Antonio
and Bexar County

To learn more, visit: uwsatx.org/safety-net

For full list of sources, visit: uwsatx.org/sources

Learn how Kiara and others
were impacted by United Way.

