



## A Look at Homelessness in Arizona

- In 2010, the number of homeless families found on the streets increased 28% over the year before. (*Maricopa Association of Governments, 1/27/11*)
- Arizona had a 17.29% increase in the number of homeless families in 2010 – one of the highest in the nation. (*The State of Homeless in America 2011*)
- Families with children accounted for 33% of shelter populations in Arizona in 2010. (*Arizona Department of Economic Security Report on Homelessness in Arizona, 2010*)

## How UMOM Is Making A Difference

During fiscal year 2010-2011,  
UMOM served over 4,150 people

- **Emergency Shelter**
  - Served 313 families, over 1,400 individuals.
  - 72% of residents exited program into stable housing.
  - The Watkins Emergency Shelter served 1,093 single women and 1,355 family members.
- **Transitional Housing**
  - Served 77 families, over 370 individuals.
  - 82% of residents exited into permanent housing.
- **Domestic Violence Shelter**
  - Served 85 families, over 360 individuals.
  - Nearly 90% of residents exiting the shelter did not return to their abusers.
- **Next Step Housing**
  - In total, Next Step Housing offers over 300 affordable apartment units throughout Phoenix.

## Community Support is the Foundation of our Success

**50% of UMOM's funding comes from private sources**

Significant community support has been critical in assisting UMOM serve the homeless population.

During FY 2010-2011:

- Eighty-six (86) corporate groups, 60 civic groups and schools and 57 faith-based organizations worked together on behalf of UMOM New Day Centers.
- Volunteers served 117,840 meals to our clients.
- Over 9,300 volunteers contributed 28,021 hours of service to UMOM – an estimated value of \$546,409.
- Phase I of UMOM's Housing, Employment, Learning, Purpose (HELP) Capital Campaign has raised \$21 million.
- Phase II of the HELP Capital Campaign is now underway.

***You can make a difference!***

There are many ways to help UMOM:

- Register to walk in our Annual Walk for Homeless Families, held every fall and hosted by our Women's Auxiliary.
- Designate UMOM through your employer's United Way campaign.
- Volunteer at one of our locations. We are always in need of help to serve meals, care for children, sort donations, and staff events and programs.
- Join the UMOM Speaker's Bureau to help spread the message.

**Get Involved: Volunteer, Give, Share Our Message**

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- A donation of \$3,000 provides meals for a family for one year.
- A donation of \$1,000 provides transitional housing and support services for one family for one month.
- A donation of \$400 provides emergency shelter, support and education for a family for two weeks.
- A donation of \$100 provides diapers for 12 infants and toddlers for one month.



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