



HOLIDAY WISH LIST



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- 🍎 Take up a collection to purchase needed gift certificates or vouchers.
- 🍎 Start early. Some needs may have been met.
- 🍎 Organizations listed in this booklet are requesting items and/or volunteers for the holiday season and beyond. Help an organization today!
- 🍎 If you wish to donate item(s) listed in the booklet, reach out to the contact in the listing. Information includes the contact’s name, phone number, and email address.



Non-profit organizations need assistance year around, not just for the holidays. Help non-profit organizations by volunteering, donating much needed items, or making a monetary donation. Your gift will make a difference in the community and the lives of others.



For year-round volunteer opportunities, needs, and events from local organizations, visit:

www.volunteerhawaii.org

Disclaimer: Aloha United Way provides this information based upon submissions from our partner non-profit organizations. Each organization listed bears sole responsibility for the information and opportunities identified, including, but not limited to, all of the organization’s activities, selection of volunteers, and the terms and conditions of participation. Aloha United Way bears no responsibility for the activities, programs, and actions of those organizations.

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Aloha United Way

Mission

Brings together people, resources and organizations to advance the health, education and financial stability of every person in our community.

Program Needs

Adult/Senior Items: Soap, Shampoo, Razors, Shaving Crème, Toothbrushes, Toothpaste, Dental Floss Combs/Brushes, Face Wash, Deodorant, Towels, Slippers, Washcloths/Scrubbies, Nail Clippers.

Other Items: Cleaning supplies, Lysol/Generic wipes, Ziploc bags, Paper with designs, Cardstock Paper (White or light colored), Craft glue, Glue sticks, Scissors, Craft accents (gemstones, scrapbooking stickers, etc.), Rulers.

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Alternative Structures International (DBA Kahumana/Ohana Ola/Ulu Ke Kukui)

Mission

Transitional shelter for homeless families/Services for adults with developmental disabilities

Program Needs

Food Items: Formula, baby food

Children/Teen Items:

Diapers, wipes, clothing, slippers, bedding, toys, books, school supplies

Adult/Senior Items: Towels, hygiene items, pots & pans, silverware, plates/mugs, bedding

Gift Certificates: Movie tickets for learning disabled clients, Walmart or Longs gift certificates

Volunteer Opportunities

Ongoing Volunteer

Opportunities: Farm Volunteer Day - 1st Saturday of every month - call 696-2655 for details

Contact Information

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Armed Services YMCA of Honolulu

Mission

To enhance the lives of military members and their families in spirit, mind and body through programs relevant to the unique challenges of military life. Our focus is on strengthening military families, reducing isolation they may feel, and helping them connect to our community.

Program Needs

Food Items: You can assist us by collecting non-perishable food items that can be used to provide Thanksgiving and Christmas food baskets to military families in need who are stationed throughout the island. Desired food items include: Canned/Dry Gravy Mixes, Boxed Mashed Potatoes, Cookie/Cake Mixes, Jello/Pudding Mix, Onion Strings, Pumpkin Pie Filling, Packaged Pie Crust, Mini Marshmallows, Canned Cranberry Sauce, Cream of Mushroom, Canned Yams, Canned Corn and Green Beans, Evaporated Milk, and Boxed Stuffing.

Children/Teen Items:

Toy/Gift Donations for children and teens for our Christmas Baskets is also appreciated. Please deliver all donations to the ASYMCA, building 679 (Located at JBPHH, Navy College building 679, bottom floor), by December 15th, or call (808)473-3398 for pick-up.

Gift Certificates:

Commissary Gift Cards in the amount of \$25

Volunteer Opportunities

November Volunteer

Opportunities: Assist with our Annual Golf Tournament, Thursday, Nov. 9th. Tasks include Set-up, check-in, parking. Contact Liane Ha'i, at 808-473-3399 or pearlharbor@asymcahi.org Assist with the assembling of Thanksgiving Holiday Baskets with food items for a family to have a full Thanksgiving meal. We will be assembling baskets at all our branches Nov. 13-17th. Contact Liane Ha'i at 808-473-3399 or pearlharbor@asymcahi.org

December Volunteer

Opportunities: Assist with the assembling of our Christmas Holiday Baskets with food items for a family to have a Christmas meal

and gifts for the children. We will be assembling baskets at all our branches December 18-21. Contact Liane Ha'i at 808-473-3399 or pearlharbor@asymcahi.org

Contact Information

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Family Promise of Hawai'i

Mission

Family Promise of Hawai'i is a community-based nonprofit that helps Oahu's working families struggling with homelessness. Family Promise leverages existing community resources by partnering with interfaith congregations and community groups to provide temporary shelter and meals to the families in our program overnight. Our staff work with the families during the day at our Day Centers to support the families through case management, financial literacy and assistance with finding housing.

Program Needs

Food Items: All types of food for our Family Day Centers, baby formula, food, fruit is especially helpful.

Children/Teen Items:

Diapers (newborn to 5)

Adult/Senior Items: Towels, Toiletries i.e. shampoo, bar soap, toothpaste

Other Items: Rice Cookers, Shower Curtains + Rods, Dishware including knives, Plates, Fans, Pillows, Coleman Air Beds 4-in-1 Brand, Household cleaning supplies

Gift Certificates: Foodland \$50 for dinner meals to families, Taxi Gift Cards \$50 for our families that work late and need to get to the shelter after the bus stops running, ROSS store \$50 for our families that are moving into a new place and need something or need a new outfit for a job interview.

Agency Needs

Office Depot Gift Cards, Brother TN310M Ink Toner, HP Officejet Pro 6835 Ink Toner, copier paper, postage stamps

Volunteer Opportunities

November Volunteer

Opportunities: Holiday Help - Help our hosting partners by providing dinner to our

families and/or provide overnight coverage during the Thanksgiving time frame. Contact Whitney at 548-7478 or volunteer@familypromisehawaii.org.

December Volunteer

Opportunities: Holiday Help - Help our hosting partners by providing dinner to our families and/or overnight coverage during the Christmas and New Year time frame. Contact Whitney at 548 7478 or volunteer@familypromisehawaii.org.

January Volunteer

Opportunities: Help our hosting partners with meals and overnight coverage. Contact Whitney at 548-7478 or volunteer@familypromisehawaii.org.

Contact Information

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Gregory House Programs

Mission

We provide affordable housing assistance and support services to persons living with HIV/AIDS and their families in Hawaii.

Program Needs

Adult/Senior Items:

Toiletries for 280 clients: Regular sized body wash, shampoo, towels, and other hygiene products.

Other Items: Personal electric fans.

Gift Certificates: 25 gift cards for Walmart, longs, Safeway, or Walgreens. 1 large gift card from a grocery store to provide a meal for 25 adults. Home Depot gift card for \$100 to buy a fresh Christmas tree.

Agency Needs

Home Depot or Sears gift cards to purchase supplies, appliances, or furniture for shelters.

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Hawaii Literacy (Adult Programs)

Mission

Since 1971, Hawaii Literacy has worked to help the 1 in 6 adults in Hawaii who are functionally illiterate. Our Adult Literacy programs provide free 1-to-1 trained tutors on Oahu, Kauai, and in Kona, and our English Language Learner program provides free Drop-in Classes for immigrants in Kalihi.

Program Needs

Adult/Senior Items: Writing supplies (including pencils, pens, and notebooks) that our Learners may use for their lessons; good condition tablets for Tutor-Learner pairs to play educational apps; and low reading level books for adults.

Agency Needs

Copier paper (white or colorful), USPS forever stamps, and binders are used to create tutor manuals and mail tutoring resources.

Volunteer Opportunities

November Volunteer

Opportunities: Join the 2-day training in Honolulu to learn how to help a low-literacy adult living in your community! Nov. 11 & Nov.

18, 9am-3pm (both days required).

January Volunteer

Opportunities: If you can't make the first 2018 training sessions, we will have several more throughout the year. Or help out on a more casual basis at our ELL Drop-in Center! For more info, visit hawaiiliteracy.org/volunteer.

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Hawaii Literacy (Youth Programs)

Mission

Hawaii Literacy works year-round with over 2,600 keiki on-site in public housing and transitional/homeless shelters in communities with the highest illiteracy rates. Our Leeward Coast-based Bookmobile and Kalihi-based Family Literacy Libraries provide after-school youth programs, large lending libraries with no penalties for late or lost books, literacy tutoring, reading challenges, and more for thousands of

local keiki as we work to break the cycles of illiteracy and poverty.

Program Needs

Food Items: Healthy snacks, paper cups, and sandwich bags for after-school youth programs.

Children/Teen Items: School supplies such as crayon sets, mini staplers, sharpeners, flash drives, pencil boxes/bags, scissors, calculators, and backpacks are part of the prizes keiki earn for reading. Good condition tablets are used to play educational apps. \$5-\$10 gift cards are used as incentives for youth who complete tutoring sessions or reading challenges.

Agency Needs

Toilet paper, paper towels, trash bags, and cleaning supplies are used daily, and much-appreciated! We're also looking to replace an aging vacuum.

Volunteer Opportunities

Ongoing Volunteer Opportunities: Volunteers can help keiki along the Leeward Coast or in Kalihi with weekly program activities such as helping the kids to read, doing literacy tutoring or brain games, and helping with library

operations. We also have an ongoing need for volunteer storytellers; guests willing to share a special talent; or groups who would like to run a Saturday Story Hour. For more info, visit hawaiiliteracy.org/volunteer.

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Healthy Mothers Healthy Babies Coalition of Hawaii

Mission

Healthy Mothers Healthy Babies Coalition of Hawaii is a statewide organization committed to promoting, protecting and improving maternal and child health in Hawaii. Our purpose is to develop, implement and participate in health education and outreach programs that benefit women and infants at each stage of pregnancy and first year of life. Furthermore, we are empowered to increase access to quality care by engaging a broad group of

stakeholders to improve health outcomes.

In addition to workshops, we also run the following programs:

- Crib For Kids (Safe-sleep education program that provides cribs to low-income families)
- Piko Pals (New parent support program that connects and mentors parents of newborns)
- Text4Baby (a free mobile app and text messaging service for pregnant and new parents)
- Mothers Care Line (New parent phone support)

Program Needs

Children/Teen Items: New (in-box) Graco Pack 'n Play portable cribs for our Cribs4Kids safe sleep program, board books for babies

Gift Certificates: \$20-\$50 gift cards to supermarkets to purchase refreshments for our new parent meetings

Agency Needs

We would appreciate printing services to make promotional materials for our parent support programs. We like to leave brochures with health professionals and community partners who work with young families.

Volunteer Opportunities

Ongoing Volunteer

Opportunities: We are always in need of volunteer Piko Pals Group Leaders to mentor our newborn parenting groups. Groups meet weekly for 2 hours, for 12 weeks, in various parks, homes, and community centers. Group Leaders do not need to be parenting experts. They do however, need to be nurturing, empathetic, and supportive of a variety of parenting styles, diverse backgrounds and cultures. Many of our group leaders have found great joy in watching their Piko Pals develop confidence in their own parenting style, as well as budding friendship and community with the other participants. Please email pikopals@hmhb-hawaii.org for our latest training.

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Honolulu Community Action Program

Mission

Providing Opportunities and Inspiration to enable low-income individuals or families to achieve self-reliance.

Program Needs

Food Items: We would like to request canned goods to stock for our emergency food pantries at the District Service Centers. We would also like to distribute 15 or 24-packs of bottled water to clients during the LIHEAP summer program in June.

Adult/Senior Items: We would like towels, bedsheets, clothing (t-shirts, shorts, and pants), footwear (slippers and shoes), and hygiene products (shampoo, bath soap, toothbrush, toothpaste, razors, and deodorant) to give out to clients and homeless families. Kitchenware (silverware, plates and bowls, tablecloths) and puzzle books (crossword puzzles, Sudoku, word search puzzles) would be great items to give to low-income seniors enrolled in our Kupuna Independent Life Series.

Other Items: We would like to request flash drives for clients to save scans of their important documents, and camping gear (tents, cots, and medical supplies) for the homeless. We would also like to give planners and calendars for job-seeking clients, so that they can keep track of job interviews and office appointments.

Gift Certificates: We are looking for donations of gift cards to Longs Drugs, Walmart, and Foodland so that clients are able to purchase hygiene products and proper attire for interviews and employment. Store gift cards would also be used for the raffle prizes held at HÅ Initiative: Creative STEM After-School Program's quarterly Family Nights. We would also like to request Costco or Sam's Club membership cards to give out to large families, so that they can save money on groceries and household cleaning products (trash bags, laundry detergent, paper towels, etc.).

Agency Needs

We would like to request office chairs for one of our District Service Centers.

Volunteer Opportunities

Ongoing Volunteer Opportunities: Volunteers are needed for selected Ohana Produce food distribution days, which is organized by staff at the Central, Kalihi-Palama, Leeward, and Windward District Service Centers. Food distribution happens once a month. Contact Tram or visit <http://www.hcapweb.org/our-locations/> for more details on the District Service Centers that participate in Ohana Produce.

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“Giving is not just about making a donation. It is about making a difference.”

- Kathy Calvin

HUGS Help, Understanding & Group Support for Hawaii's Seriously Ill Children and Their Families (DBA HUGS Help, Understanding & Group Support)

Mission

The mission of HUGS-Help, Understanding & Group Support for Hawaii's Seriously Ill Children and Their Families is to improve the quality of life for Hawaii's families as they face the emotional and financial hardships of caring for a seriously ill child. HUGS provides free comprehensive, long-term support services for children, ages infants to 21 years old, who have a wide variety of life-threatening illnesses, such as cancer, cardiac ailments, cystic fibrosis, kidney and liver disease, and their families.

Understanding that life-threatening childhood illness impacts each member of the family, HUGS provides unique programs for each family member (including siblings), such as peer support activities, respite activities, hospital visitation,

family events and financial assistance, to alleviate the many stressors that they face. HUGS currently serves nearly 300 families (16,430 individuals) statewide and is not affiliated with any national organization; thus relying upon the local community to support its mission.

Program Needs

Adopt-A-Family: Adopt a family at Christmas by providing holiday gifts and a food basket to brighten their holiday. Confirm participation by November 1, deliver gifts to HUGS by Dec. 10. Contact Audrey at (808) 732-4846 or Audrey@hugslove.org.

Food Items: We provide non-perishable food to Hawaii families who have a seriously ill child and are financially burdened. Desired food include canned meats (tuna, chicken, spam, sausage - a priority!), rice, canned fruits and vegetables, pasta, sauces.

Children/Teen Items: Interactive games, toys and gifts are needed to distribute to hospitalized children who are undergoing medical treatment for a life-threatening illness. Desired gifts include small soft

stacking blocks, small toys that make sounds, light up, small toy car/trucks, Legos, Kinex, dolls, simple puzzles, simple board games, card games, hand-held games, mini make up sets, mini manicure sets, jewelry making kits, ear buds, brain games, iTunes gift cards, books for teens, portable speakers, etc. *** Must be new, unopened packages; no stuffed animals, blankets or used toys accepted.

Other Items: flash drives (min. 16GB), household cleaning supplies, student size desk

Gift Certificates: We are looking for gift certificates to share with HUGS families whose child is receiving medical treatment for a life-threatening illness. Desired gift cards in varying denominations include WalMart, iTunes, Amazon, Safeway, Zippy's, Subway, Starbucks, Jamba Juice, Game Stop, Consolidated Theatres, Regal Theaters. These gift cards will be used for our peer to peer support activities, a meal or refreshments for parents enduring long stays with their child in the hospital, enable a family member to purchase basic necessities when their child is admitted

to the hospital on an emergency basis, or for a hospitalized teen to enjoy some music.

Agency Needs

Home Depot or Lowes gift cards to purchase supplies for facility repairs, arts and crafts supplies for children's activities, paper goods for our family events.

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Junior Achievement of Hawaii

Mission

Junior Achievement of Hawaii, through our mission to inspire and prepare young people to succeed in a global economy, partners with local businesses, professionals, and educational communities to ensure that Hawaii's keiki learn about financial literacy, work readiness, and entrepreneurship.

Volunteer Opportunities

Ongoing Volunteer Opportunities: Our

volunteer needs are ongoing. Volunteers are needed to facilitate our programming in classrooms, grades K-12. JA provides training and all materials needed for the programs. Commitment varies from 1-5 hours depending on your schedule and the program you are matched with. We also are looking for job shadow sites for students to spend 2-3 hours learning about the day-to-day work life in different industries. Contact education@jahawaii.org for more information on how to volunteer.

Contact Information

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Sometimes it takes only one act of kindness and caring to change a person's life.

- Jackie Chan

Oahu Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (DBA Oahu SPCA)

Mission

"Every healthy, treatable animal will find a forever home" has been a success thanks to your continued support. You were an instrumental part in establishing the first Oahu SPCA and the largest animal shelter in Hawaii based on a "no-kill" philosophy.

Program Needs

Other Items: Animal Care Supplies (kitty litter, dog/cat food, puppy/kitten food, puppy pads, dog bowls, mops, etc), Dog & Cat Toys, Cleaning Supplies, Office Supplies, Dog Kennels.

Gift Certificates: Costco Gift Cards, Petco Gift Cards, Walmart Gift Cards - Anywhere that sells groceries or supplies.

Agency Needs

Anything related to animal care, copier paper, cell phones, postage stamps, thank you cards, animal toys, cleaning supplies.

Volunteer Opportunities
Ongoing Volunteer Opportunities: Everyday - Animal Care & Cleaning, Weekend Adoption Events

Contact Information

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Partners in Development Foundation

Mission

Partners in Development Foundation (PIDF) provides a wide range of 11 free programs throughout Hawaii in: education (early childhood education, adult education, homeless family education, youth mentoring), social services (resource/foster family support and licensing, Safehouse for adjudicated youth, mentorship to build an organization serving the Micronesian community), and Hawaiian culture/language. The mission of PIDF is to inspire and equip families and communities for success and service using timeless Native

Hawaiian values and traditions. Since 1997, PIDF has served over 80,000 people in over 75 communities statewide. All items on this wishlist are for participants in PIDF's Ka Pa'alana Homeless Family Education Program.

Program Needs

Children/Teen Items: 3 toddler beds, bedding for toddler beds, clothing for girls (24 month-3T), clothes hangers (kids size), shoes for girls (size 7-8), play kitchen, Nerf guns, fidget spinners, building toys (blocks, legos, magnet blocks, etc.), storage for kids' toys (2), riding toy. The following are items needed for 25 children ages 0-3 and 25 children ages 3-5: Hygiene products, age-appropriate toys, clothing ranging in sizes 0-5T, art supplies (glue, construction paper, markers, crayons, colored pencils, scissors, stickers, tape).

Adult/Senior Items: Skillet, pots/pans, clothes hangers. 40 adults are in need of the following: hygiene products of any kind, towels, blankets, pillows.

Other Items: Microwave, Christmas tree, skillet, pots/pans, rake, 4 long curtain panels (52'x84'), 4

regular curtain panels (52"x63")

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Surfrider Spirit Sessions

Mission

Surfrider Spirit Sessions is a local nonprofit that inspires Oahu's teens who are at-risk, vulnerable or in trouble with the law to choose a better path. We change their lives and help them become successful citizens and young leaders in our communities by using surfing as a metaphor for life's lessons. By connecting teens with a caring adult mentor and surfing, we open their eyes to their own potential and new possibilities for their future

Program Needs

Food Items: We need snacks for teens in our youth mentoring program (chips, granola bars, trail mix, and canned drinks).

Other Items: Backpacks and duffle bags.

Gift Certificates: 1. We need \$20 gift cards to Walmart or Ross, for teens who do not have the appropriate clothing to participate in our experiential ocean mentoring program. 2. We need bus passes for youth to provide transportation to Waikiki to attend our 8-week Spirit Sessions.

Agency Needs

We are in need of copier paper, HP902 Officejet ink cartridges, and letter file folders and hanging files.

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Honolulu, HI 96814



Volunteer Legal Services Hawaii

Mission

Volunteer Legal Services Hawaii is a non-profit legal service organization, established in 1981, that provides legal assistance to the community through education, legal advice clinics, brief services, and referrals to pro bono

attorneys for direct representation. Volunteer Legal partners with volunteer attorneys to provide services to those who qualify based on income and legal issue. Volunteer attorneys are the backbone of the organization, without whom access to justice could not be achieved in Hawaii. Volunteer Legal understands that not everyone can afford an attorney, but may be able to help themselves resolve legal issues if they are given the right information, professional support, and assistance. Volunteer Legal staff and its volunteers assist with civil legal problems through services designed to help people handle legal problems on their own.

Program Needs

Food Items: Cases of bottles of water for volunteers and clients at our free legal clinics

Other Items: Cases of Reams of Copy Paper (8.5 x11 White), Office supplies (pens, highlighters, post its, paper clips, staples, flash drives, etc.), Cleaning supplies (paper towels, Lysol wipes, soap, etc.), Postage Stamps

Gift Certificates: (4) - \$50 Gift Cards to Costco (We are

looking for donations to offset the cost of snacks and water at our free legal pop up clinics), (4) - \$50 Gift Cards to Safeway, Foodland (We are looking for donations to offset the cost of snacks and water at our free legal pop up clinics)

Agency Needs

While our office is located in Oahu, we travel to neighbor islands to bring free legal clinics to the neighboring islands. We send staff and volunteer attorneys to staff the free legal clinic. We need donations to cover

airfare and car rental for the day. We would like donations to Hawaiian Airlines (gift cards or miles) and car rental companies so we can offset some of the costs and help more of the community. Request: (4) - \$150 Giftcards to Hawaiian Airlines or (4) 15,000 Hawaiian Airline Miles

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- Consumer complaints
- Crisis intervention
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- Donation information
- Domestic violence programs
- Elderly care services
- Employment resources
- Family counseling
- Family programs
- Legal assistance
- Mental health services
- Rental and utility assistance
- Substance abuse treatment
- Suicide prevention
- Veteran programs
- And much, much more!

HOURS OF OPERATION

Call Monday - Friday, 7 a.m. - 5 p.m. Or anytime by visiting:
www.auw211.org or [facebook.com/AlohaUnitedWay211](https://www.facebook.com/AlohaUnitedWay211)

2017 ALOHA UNITED WAY AT A GLANCE



\$14.4 million raised,
managed and distributed



Over 920,000 services were
provided by Aloha United Way
and our nonprofit community



Over \$4.3 million
donated to impact
funding in the
areas of Education,
Poverty Prevention
and Safety Net

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Aloha United Way



Aloha United Way
funding serves everyone
from keiki to kupuna



338 agencies
supported by
Aloha United Way



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organizations and
government agencies
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assistance from our 211
information and referral
service helpline

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GIVING SOCIETIES



SOCIETY OF YOUNG LEADERS

Who We Are

The Society of Young Leaders is a remarkable group whose mission is to give, serve and learn to make a collective, positive impact on the most pressing issues in our community. The group selected Education as its area of focus for the year. Volunteer and fundraising efforts will go to support and raise awareness in this impact area.

Who Qualifies?

Anyone between the ages of 21-39 that donates a minimum of \$120.

Why Join?

Through unique networking events and hands-on volunteering opportunities, members are able to leverage the power of Aloha United Way to connect, serve and grow, both personally and professionally.

Contact

To join or learn more, email syl@auw.org.

HAWAII CARES

Who We Are

Hawaii Cares is a volunteer initiative of exceptional professionals that serve to inspire and empower leaders to create a better Hawaii. The group involves individuals who are passionate about leading, inspiring, educating and empowering one another to share their time, talent and resources to effect positive community change. The goal is to make a BIG impact on our community with significant results.

Who Qualifies?

Anyone who is age 35 and older that donates a minimum of \$240.

Why Join?

We are a catalyst for change. People of all generations and walks of life are looking to make a connection — to make things better, to be part of something bigger. Through Hawaii Cares, we are igniting a social movement in Honolulu by empowering people to unite and solve complex problems that affect us all.

Contact

To join or learn more, email hawaiicare@auw.org.

WOMEN UNITED

Who We Are

Women United is a powerful collaboration of women committed to significantly improving the quality of life for a better tomorrow. Women United is one of 150 Women United affinity groups across the United States. The focus is to support women's initiatives through Aloha United Way's 3 impact areas: Education, Poverty Prevention and Safety Net.

Who Qualifies?

Anyone who is female and donates a minimum of \$1,000.

Why Join?

Women United is an extraordinary group of women leaders who are engaged in philanthropy, advocacy and are passionate about creating lasting change in our community. Benefits also include special events, networking and volunteer opportunities.

Contact

To join or learn more, email womenunited@auw.org.

Thank you! Your contribution is important and vital to strengthening our community. It helps families, children, neighbors and colleagues achieve their full potential in life by giving them access to programs and services that support financial literacy and early childhood development, food sustainability, after-school enrichment programs and hospice care for loved ones.

“The act of giving is like tossing a stone into a pond creating ripples. The generosity of the donor is transferred to a nonprofit, to a child, a family, to our community. During the holidays, we can be especially grateful for what we have and offer to share that with others in our community.”

- Cindy Adams, President & CEO, Aloha United Way

“As community leaders, I believe it’s our duty to create charitable calls of action which encourage others to give back to those who are less fortunate. Whether it’s donating toys to fill a holiday wish list, or toiletries for the homeless, I’m always blown away by people’s generosity because they’ve been wanting to be of service for so long, but just haven’t had the opportunity to do so. I believe creating a giving culture, as opposed to one of getting, helps us all to remember the true meaning of the holidays and bonds us all closer together as human beings.”

- Emi Hart Sorenson, Yelp Hawaii, Senior Community Director

“Thanks to Aloha United Way, the employees of many organizations such as C.S. Wo & Sons have opened their hearts and given generously, donating toys and other gifts at Christmas for our HUGS children. The toys are shared at our HUGS Family Christmas Party. It’s so precious seeing the joy and the smiles on the children’s faces.”

- Joan Naguwa, HUGS Executive Director

